

Our Nursing program is renowned for its innovation in nursing education. We are committed to preparing our students for real-life practice in an increasingly challenging, complex healthcare system.

In our state-of-the-art learning environment, classroom and laboratory experiences include integrated simulation, combined with clinical fieldwork in Montreal-area hospitals. Students practice in a wide range of specialties. The hours spent in the clinical setting gradually increase so that, by the third year, students spend much of their time in a hospital setting integrating all that they have learned.



THIS PROGRAM IS FOR YOU IF...

- You care about people and enjoy working with others.
- You are trustworthy and accountable.
- You have good communication and interpersonal skills.
- You have good observation and problem solving skills.

WHAT DISTINGUISHES THE PROGRAM OFFERED AT JAC FROM OTHERS LIKE IT?

The goal of our Nursing program is to educate students in meeting the challenges of this demanding profession. Classroom and laboratory experiences include integrated simulation and technology, combined with clinical fieldwork in Montreal-area hospitals. Nursing students study in specialties ranging from medicine, surgery, rehabilitation, geriatrics, obstetrics, psychiatry and pediatrics.

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THIS PROGRAM HAS SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:

Prior to starting their clinical rotation in the first semester, nursing students **MUST** have completed:

- A BLS CPR and First Aid certification for Health Care Providers (HCP). The Nursing Department will offer this course in the summer semester and within the first 2 weeks of the fall semester before students begin their clinical rotation.
- Registration with the provincial licensing organization, the *Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers du Québec* (OIIQ).
- A medical examination including an immunization record.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

DES

+ Science EST 4 or SE 4

+ Sec. 5 Chemistry

+ Mathematics TS 4 is strongly recommended



- As per the government decree, it is mandatory that Nursing students be double vaccinated for COVID 19. The 3rd COVID 19 booster is highly recommended as it will provide increased protection against COVID and may become mandatory as per hospital policy.
- All graduates must pass the *Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers du Québec* (OIIQ) licensing exam and meet the *Office québécois de la langue française* (OQLF) requirements to practice in Québec.



WHERE NURSING CAN TAKE YOU!

The health care sector is actively searching for qualified candidates; job prospects are excellent. Graduates work in many healthcare settings, such as acute or chronic hospitals, rehabilitation centres, clinics and more.

Graduates of the program are expected to have the knowledge and abilities to practice nursing in a rapidly changing health care system, in a manner that is professional, ethical, caring and competent. They will function as collaborative members of the health care team, in accordance with the Québec Nurses Act.

CEGEP-UNIVERSITY INTEGRATED NURSING PROGRAM (DEC-BN)

This five-year Integrated Nursing program is an opportunity for eligible graduates of the DEC program to complete a bachelor's degree in two years. The program builds on the college foundation and streamlines the university component.



HOW TO APPLY

John Abbott College is affiliated with the *Service régional d'admission du Montréal métropolitain* (SRAM) and uses its online application service.

To apply:

- complete the online application at admission.sram.qc.ca,
- select John Abbott College and the program of your choice along with the corresponding program number, and
- if applicable, send all required documents and the application fee.

Students whose prerequisites are more than five years old should contact the Admissions office.

The application deadline is March 1 for the fall semester and November 1 for the winter semester. The 3-year program begins in the fall and the intensive 2-year program begins in the winter. All documents and payment must be submitted by the deadline.

Program start: fall and winter

PROGRAM PLANNER

FIRST SEMESTER

603-101-MQ	ENGLISH
109-1__-MQ	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
____-____-__	COMPLEMENTARY COURSE
101-805-AB	Human Anatomy and Physiology 1
350-803-AB	Developmental Psychology
180-10D-AB	Nursing 1: Introduction to Nursing 1

SECOND SEMESTER

603-1__-MQ	ENGLISH
____-____-__	COMPLEMENTARY COURSE
101-806-AB	Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
387-803-AB	Sociology of Diverse Families and Communities
180-20G-AB	Nursing 2: Introduction to Nursing 2

THIRD SEMESTER

602-1__-MQ	FRANÇAIS
345-1__-MQ	HUMANITIES
101-814-AB	Microbiology and Immunology
350-813-AB	Issues in Psychology and Health Care
180-30K-AB	Nursing 3: Health and Illness 1

FOURTH SEMESTER

603-1__-MQ	ENGLISH
602-2__-AB	FRANÇAIS
109-1__-MQ	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
387-813-MQ	Sociology of Health
180-40K-AB	Nursing 4: Health and Illness 2

FIFTH SEMESTER

603-200-AB	ENGLISH
345-1__-MQ	HUMANITIES
101-823-AB	Pathophysiology
180-51J-AB	Nursing 5: Health and Illness 3

SIXTH SEMESTER

345-21_-AB	HUMANITIES
109-103-MQ	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
180-60N-AB	Nursing 6: Integration

•Note: a two-year intensive option is offered to students who already have a DEC or have completed all general education courses.

•For more information about our professional integration program for internationally educated nurses and refresher program for registered nurses refer to the Centre for Continuing Education website.

Courses taken by some students may need to be adjusted due to recent changes brought to the "Charte de la langue française" by Bill 96.