

# Critical Care Nursing

## 2003-2004 Career Programs

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*The principal objective of these programs is employment or upgrading in an occupation, NOT transfer. However, students interested in transfer should meet with a counselor to discuss their options.*

### Certificate of Completion - Critical Care Nursing Level I

#### Certificate Requirements

- All courses must be completed at De Anza College with a passing grade (P/C or better).
- See Counseling Center for academic planning and to apply for certificate.

**Prerequisite: Student must possess a current California RN License.**

Course Requirements	Units
NURS 79A Coronary Care Nursing Concepts	3 1/2
NURS 79J Critical Neurological Nursing Concepts	1 1/2
NURS 79K Critical Respiratory Nursing Concepts	1 1/2
NURS 79P Critical Renal Nursing Concepts	1
NURS 79Q Hemodynamic Monitoring	1
<b>Total Units Required</b>	<b>8 1/2</b>

### Certificate of Completion - Critical Care Nursing Level II

#### Certificate Requirements

- All courses must be completed at De Anza College with a passing grade (P/C or better).
- See Counseling Center for academic planning and to apply for certificate.

**Prerequisite: Student must possess a current California RN License.**

Course Requirements	Units
Complete all requirements for the Critical Care Nursing Level I certificate, plus the following courses:	8 1/2
NURS 77 Trauma Nursing	1
NURS 78 Emergency Nursing	1
<b>Total Units Required</b>	<b>10 1/2</b>

### Certificate of Completion - Critical Care Nursing Level III

#### Certificate Requirements

- All courses must be completed at De Anza College with a passing grade (P/C or better).
- See Counseling Center for academic planning and to apply for certificate.

**Prerequisite: Student must possess a current California RN License.**

Course Requirements	Units
Complete all requirements for the Critical Care Nursing Level I certificate, plus the following courses:	8 1/2
NURS 79G Critical Cardiovascular Nursing Concepts	1
NURS 79L Seminar on Shock	1/2
NURS 79M Seminar on Liver Disease, GI Bleeding, and Clotting	1
NURS 79N Critical Endocrinology Concepts	1/2
<b>Total Units Required</b>	<b>11 1/2</b>

### Certificate of Achievement - Critical Care Nursing Level IV

#### Certificate Requirements

- A minimum 2.0 grade point average in these units.
- A maximum of 6 quarter units may be transferred from other institutions.
- See Counseling Center for academic planning and to apply for certificate.

**Prerequisite: Student must possess a current California RN License.**

Course Requirements	Units
Complete all requirements for the Critical Care Nursing Level III Certificate, plus the following courses:	11 1/2
NURS 77 Trauma Nursing	1
NURS 78 Emergency Nursing	1
<b>Total Units Required</b>	<b>13 1/2</b>