

NURS166 – American Medical Corps Transition to Vocational Nurse

This course introduces American Military Medical Corps members to therapeutic communication, medical/surgical nursing, basic nursing skills, basic pharmacology, and the nursing process.

PREREQUISITE: Statement from HMC or higher rank stating that you are a HM with honorable service (those separated, reservists, and retirees are also eligible).

*If not active duty, must provide a copy of DD214 showing honorable discharge.

CLASS CONTENT:

- Skills Review
- Critical Thinking
- Therapeutic Communication
- Pharmacology
- Adult Growth & Development
- Gerontology
- Acid/Base & Electrolyte Imbalance
- Hematology
- Oncology

DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY: This course is designed to help Corpsmen prepare for the LVN Exam. "Eligibility" from the Board of Vocational Nursing requires approx. one total year of hospital based care, not clinic or shore duty. Forms needed and directions for applying for challenging are on the BVNPT website www.bvnpt.ca.gov

CLASS INFORMATION: Classes begin every Spring and Fall semesters. Prerequisites need to be complete before class start date. Classes are 16 weeks long, meeting one night per week. Classes are currently only offered at the Naval Hospital at Camp Pendleton and online

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SUBMIT YOUR PREREQUISITES, PLEASE CONTACT THE NURSING DEPARTMENT AT (760)757-2121 EXT. 6466.

*Students wishing to enroll in this course will need to submit their prerequisites along with the following information to the Nursing Department:

- Full name
- MCC Student ID Number
- Email Address
- Mailing Address
- Phone Number

