



SACRAMENTO
STATE

Program Proposal Form B



Nurs 08-09 #6

Academic Group (<i>College</i>): Health & Human Services	Date of Submission to College Dean: April 25, 2008
Academic Organization (<i>Department</i>): Nursing	Requested Effective: Fall_08_, Spring __, 20 __.
Department Chair: Ann D. Stoltz	Contact if not Department Chair:
Title of the Program: RN to BSN Program in the Division of Nursing	
Type of Program Proposal: <input type="checkbox"/> Modification in Existing Program: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Substantive Change <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Substantive Change <input type="checkbox"/> Deletion of Existing Program <input type="checkbox"/> New Programs <input type="checkbox"/> Initiation (Projection) of New Program on to Master Plan <input type="checkbox"/> New Degree Programs <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Process <input type="checkbox"/> Fast Track Process <input type="checkbox"/> Pilot Process <input type="checkbox"/> New Minor, Concentration, Option, Specialization, Emphasis <input type="checkbox"/> New Certificate Program	
PLEASE NOTE: Form B is to be used only as a Cover Form. Additional information is requested for each of the above as noted in the corresponding procedure in the Policies and Procedures for Initiation, Modification, Review and Approval of Courses and Academic Programs found at http://www.csus.edu/acaf/univmanual/index.htm	
Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification. N178 provides students the opportunity to demonstrate intellectual and creative skills that have been developed over the course of study in the Bachelors' program. The project is research based and results in a tangible product to demonstrate synthesis of the student's coursework The current course was created and approved for the new RN to BSN program. The faculty have worked with this course for two semesters and identified that the hours required to achieve the course objectives exceeded the hours allocated for a 2 unit course. To accommodate the increase in time necessary to complete the culminating experience, an additional unit is requested, bringing the total number of units to 3 for the course. This change will not have fiscal repercussions, but will slightly increase FTES.	

Approvals:

Department Chair: Ann D. Stolt Date: 5-13-08
College Dean: Marilyn Hopkins Date: 5-2-08
University Committee: _____ Date: _____
Associate Vice President and Dean
for Academic Affairs: _____ Date: _____

Current RN to BSN Program

NURS 170 Nursing Research (3 units)

NURS 171 Transitional Concepts for Professional Nursing (6 units)

NURS 173 Theoretical Foundations for Leadership and Management (6 units)

NURS 174 Community Health Nursing for Professional Nurses in Leadership in the Community (6 units)

NURS 178 Culminating Project (2 units)

NURS 169 Reasoning and Critical Thinking (3 units)

Total units: 26

Proposed RN to BSN Program

NURS 170 Nursing Research (3 units)

NURS 171 Transitional Concepts for Professional Nursing (6 units)

NURS 173 Theoretical Foundations for Leadership and Management (6 units)

NURS 174 Community Health Nursing for Professional Nurses in Leadership in the Community (6 units)

NURS 178 Culminating Project (3 units)

NURS 169 Reasoning and Critical Thinking (3 units)

Total units: 27