

Resource: PDCCC College Catalog and Student Handbook 2017-18
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Title: **Notice to ADN cohort entering Fall 2017**
Type: Notice of the Fall 2018 implementation of the new concept based ADN program, and its implications for the last cohort to enter under the old curriculum, was sent by the Division of Nursing and Allied Health to all nursing students who entered the program in Fall 2017. PDCCC will teach out the 2-year program under the current program model for the students that entered in Fall 2017. However, should a student who entered the cohort in Fall 2017 fail any classes, he or she may have to take earlier level courses and/or additional co-requisites, to obtain the content necessary for graduation after Spring 2019. A summary of that communication is included below, and will be incorporated into the 2018-19 College Catalog and Student Handbook, in conjunction with the publication of both the medical model curriculum and the new concept based curriculum.
Effective: August, 2017

The ADN program (Registered Nursing Program) at Paul D Camp Community College, along with the 18 other nursing programs in the Virginia Community College System (VCCS) are moving to a statewide concept based curriculum in the Fall of 2018. Your cohort that entered in Fall 2017 will be the last cohort to obtain a nursing degree at PDCCC under the old medical model curriculum. The impact that this may have on students who entered the program in Fall 2017 is that *any failure of the current curriculum classes will lead to the student having to enter the new curriculum and potentially will add additional semesters his or her your schooling*. In order to meet the requirements of the new curriculum students may have to take earlier level courses to obtain the content necessary for graduation. Also required for the new curriculum are additional co-requisites that students would be required to obtain if they are not successful in the current curriculum. Any questions should be directed to the Dean of Nursing and Allied Health or your Academic Advisor.