

Objectives for the HLGU Associate of Nursing (ASN) Major

Statement of Mission and Purpose:

The mission of Hannibal-LaGrange University is to provide an excellent education in both liberal arts and professional disciplines in a distinctively Christian environment that integrates Christian faith and learning in preparing graduates for both personal and career effectiveness.

The mission of the Hannibal-LaGrange University Craigmiles School of Nursing is to achieve excellence in nursing education by maintaining high academic standards in a distinctively Christian environment. Such an environment encourages the highest development of the student intellectually, physically, socially, and spiritually.

Objectives for the Nursing (ASN) Major:

The end-of-program student learning objectives of the Hannibal-LaGrange University ASN program are to produce graduates who will:

- 1. Practice safe, competent, and cost-efficient nursing care to diverse individuals, families, and communities.
- 2. Provide caring and holistic nursing interventions in an attempt to help the person maximize self-care abilities throughout the lifespan while promoting, maintaining, and restoring health or providing end-of-life care.
- 3. Communicate and collaborate effectively with individuals, families, communities, and other members of the health care team.
- 4. Demonstrate critical thinking in clinical decision making through utilization of the nursing process and research from nursing and related disciplines.
- 5. Utilize principles of management and leadership in diverse settings.
- 6. Exhibit competence with current technology.
- 7. Engage in the practice of professional nursing within the legal, ethical, and regulatory frameworks.
- 8. Assume responsibility for lifelong learning, personal, and professional growth.

Our purpose is to help you discover God's purpose for your life.