

2026 Curriculum Catalog

LPN/LVN

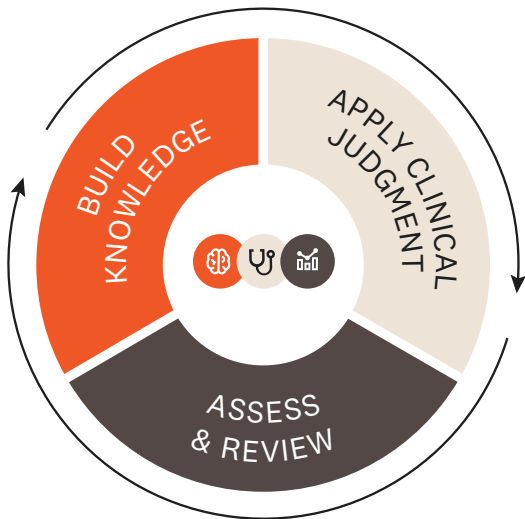
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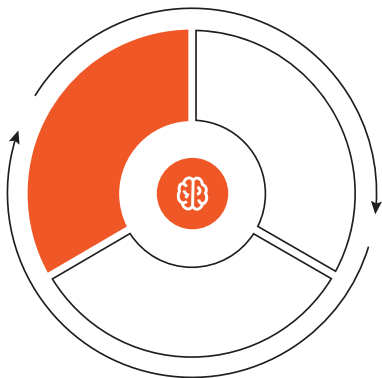
Seamless integration — streamline your program with consistent course materials from a single, trusted partner that all work together to elevate the learning experience.

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Build knowledge

Cultivate knowledge development throughout your curriculum with Elsevier's market-leading content and engaging digital learning tools. We offer everything needed to help students fully absorb the key concepts that form the foundation for their success.



- Sherpath® for Giddens: *Concepts for Nursing Practice, 4th Edition*
- Osmosis® videos within Sherpath — available for select collections
- Textbooks — print and ebooks

Sherpath

Everything you need to deliver a highly effective, interactive course experience — ***all on a single platform***

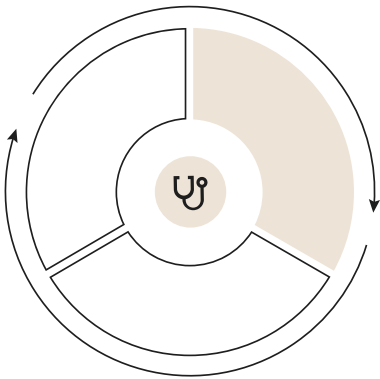
Sherpath includes:

- Elsevier ebook
- Comprehensive digital lessons
- Assignment data and performance analytics
- Elsevier Adaptive Quizzing (EAQ)
- Osmosis videos for select collections
- Sherpath AI



Apply clinical judgment

Provide a wide range of content-based clinical scenarios that allow students to immerse themselves in realistic patient interactions. Our safe, learning-based environments are ideal for honing their clinical judgment and therapeutic communication skills.

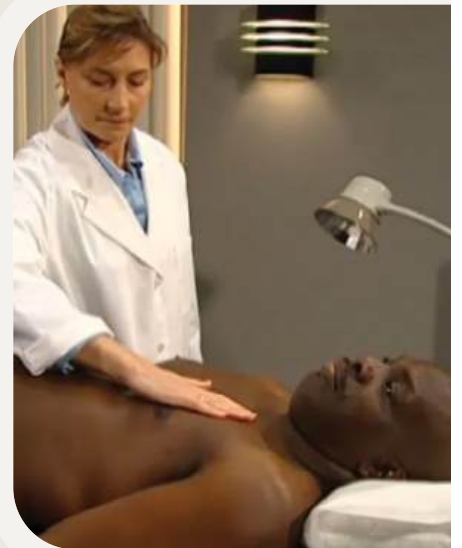


- Shadow Health® Digital Clinical Experiences™
- Simulation Learning System for LPN/LVN
- HESI PN Case Studies
- Clinical Skills: Skills for LPN/LVN Collection

Clinical Skills LPN/LVN Collection

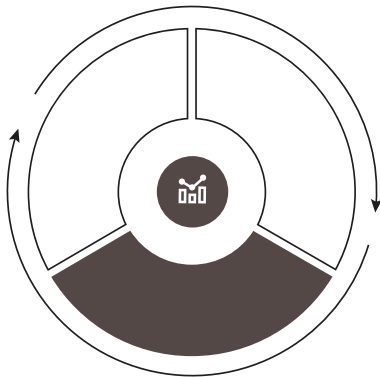
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Now available on our Next Generation platform, Clinical Skills offers the same trusted content, but with an updated interface and additional course functionality.



Assess & review

From day one to the NCLEX, monitor student progress at key points in your program with review and assessment tools that help them gain the skills and confidence they need for exam and career success.



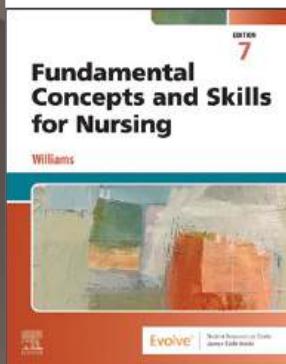
- HESI PN Admission Assessment Exam
- HESI PN Practice Tests
- HESI PN Specialty Exams
- HESI PN-ADN and PN-BSN Mobility Exams
- HESI Custom Exams, including Mid-Curricular Exams
- HESI PN Exit Exam
- HESI PN Live/Virtual Review
- Elsevier Adaptive Quizzing for the NCLEX-PN Exam
- Elsevier's Assessment Builder

HESI Review and Testing

Our valid and reliable HESI assessment and preparation products work together seamlessly to provide the detailed diagnostic data you need to enhance and strengthen your students' NCLEX readiness, your curriculum design, and your program outcomes.

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- Comprehensive reporting of **individual student exam performance**
- Institutional data on **student, aggregate, and national comparison data**
- Data regarding key **nursing themes and topics** to consider adding, updating, or removing as you revise your curriculum
- Pertinent data for your next **accreditation visit**

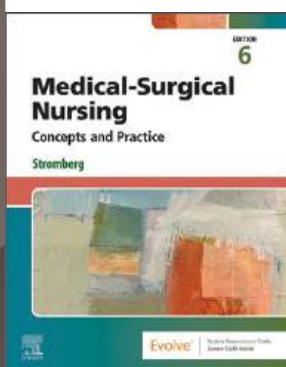


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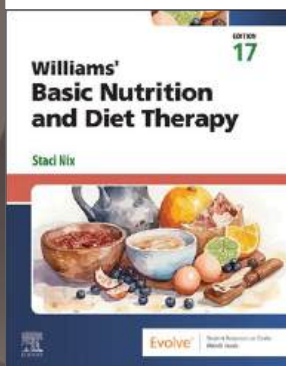


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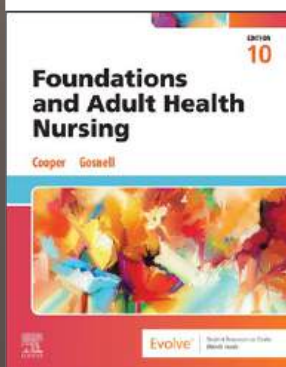


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2026 LPN/LVN Textbooks

PUB DATE	AUTHOR/TITLE	ISBN	ebook	Educator Resources	Online Courses	Student Resources	Study Guide	TEACH	Linked to CBC Exemplars in Giddens	Standalone Elsevier Adaptive Quizzing	Sherpath with EAQ
ALL-INCLUSIVE CURRICULUM											
March 2026	NEW! Cooper/Gosnell: Foundations and Adult Health Nursing, 10th Edition	9780443261763	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY											
August 2025	NEW! Herlihy: The Human Body in Health and Illness, 8th Edition	9780443124723	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	
2025	Patton/Bell/Thompson/Williamson: Structure & Function of the Body, 17th Edition	9780323871754	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	
2024	Patton/Bell/Thompson/Williamson: The Human Body in Health & Disease, 8th Edition	9780323882408	●	●	●	●	●	●			
DRUG CALCULATIONS											
2023	Kee/Marshall/Woods/Forrester: Clinical Calculations: With Applications to General and Specialty Areas, 10th Edition	9780323812122	●	●	●	●		●		●	
January 2026	NEW! Morris: Calculate with Confidence, 9th Edition	9780443127342	●	●		●		●	●		●
2023	Ogden/Fluharty: Calculation of Drug Dosages: A Work Text, 12th Edition	9780323830874	●	●		●		●			●
January 2026	NEW! Tritak-Elmiger/Daingerfield: Brown and Mulholland's Drug Calculations: Ratio and Proportion Problems for Clinical Practice, 13th Edition	9780443127199	●	●		●		●			
2023	Turner: Mulholland's The Nurse, The Math, The Meds: Drug Calculations Using Dimensional Analysis, 5th Edition	9780323792035	●	●		●		●			●
FUNDAMENTALS/FOUNDATIONS/SKILLS											
February 2026	NEW! Cooper/Gosnell: Foundations of Nursing, 10th Edition	9780443261794	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
2026	NEW! Elsevier: Clinical Skills: Skills for LPN/LVN Collection	9780443350696			●						
2025	Giddens: Concepts for Nursing Practice, 4th Edition	9780323812085	●	●		●		●			●
2026	NEW! Williams: Fundamental Concepts and Skills for Nursing, 7th Edition	9780443245992	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
GERONTOLOGY											
2023	Williams: Basic Geriatric Nursing, 8th Edition	9780323828895	●	●		●		●	●		●
GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT											
2022	Leifer/Fleck: Growth and Development Across the Lifespan, 3rd Edition	9780323809412	●	●		●		●			●

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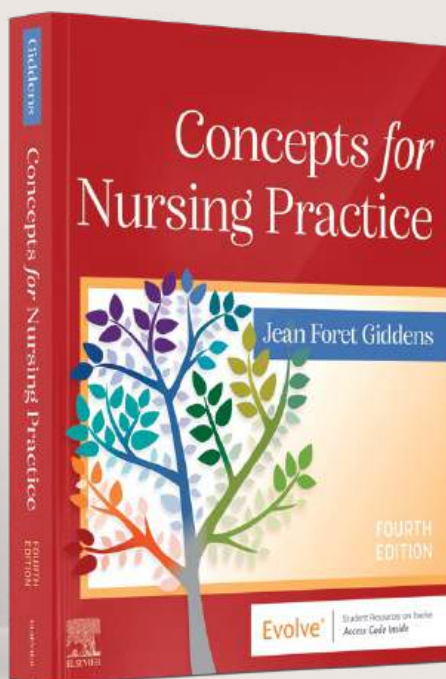
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MATERNAL-CHILD NURSING											
2026	NEW! Cooper/Gosnell: Leifer's Introduction to Maternity and Pediatric Nursing, 10th Edition	9780443261404	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING											
February 2026	NEW! Cooper/Gosnell: Adult Health Nursing, 10th Edition	9780443260742	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
2023	Linton/Matteson: Medical-Surgical Nursing, 8th Edition	9780323828451	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
2025	McMillan: Case Studies in LPN/LVN Nursing	9780323711067	●	●							
2026	NEW! Stromberg: Medical-Surgical Nursing: Concepts and Practice, 6th Edition	9780443245251	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY											
2025	Chabner: The Language of Medicine, 13th Edition	9780443110139	●	●	●	●		●			
2026	NEW! LaFleur Brooks/Levinsky/LaFleur Brooks: Exploring Medical Language, 12th Edition	9780443348099	●	●	●	●		●			
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2025	Visovsky/Zambroski/Hosler: Introduction to Clinical Pharmacology, 11th Edition	9780443115967	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
2026	NEW! Willihnganz/Gurevitz: Clayton's Basic Pharmacology for Nurses, 20th Edition	9780443263996	●	●		●	●	●	●		●
2024	Workman/LaCharity: Understanding Pharmacology: Essentials for Medication Safety, 3rd Edition	9780323825726	●	●		●	●	●			●
PROFESSIONAL CONCEPTS											
2023	Carroll/Collier: Success in Practical/Vocational Nursing: From Student to Leader, 10th Edition	9780323811750	●	●		●		●	●		●
2025	Claywell: LPN to RN Transitions, 6th Edition	9780443122156	●	●		●		●			
PSYCHIATRIC NURSING AND MENTAL HEALTH											
2023	Morrison-Valfre: Foundations of Mental Health Care, 8th Edition	9780323811446	●	●		●		●	●		●

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REFERENCES AND RESOURCES											
2026	NEW! Mosby: Mosby's PDQ for LPN, 5th Edition	9780443125010	●								
2024	Mosby: Mosby's Pocket Dictionary of Medicine, Nursing & Health Professions, 9th Edition	9780323833110	●								
March 2026	NEW! O'Toole: Mosby's Dictionary of Medicine, Nursing & Health Professions, 12th Edition	9780443125614	●			●					
April 2026	NEW! Skidmore-Roth: Mosby's Drug Guide for Nursing Students, 17th Edition	9780443385544	●			●					
REFERENCES AND RESOURCES											
2023	Elsevier: Elsevier Adaptive Quizzing for the NCLEX-PN® Examination, 4th Edition	9780323882361								●	
February 2026	NEW! HESI: HESI Comprehensive Review for the NCLEX-PN® Examination, 8th Edition	9780443278914	●			●					
August 2025	NEW! Ignatavicius/Little: Developing Clinical Judgment for Practical/Vocational Nursing and the NGN Readiness, 2nd Edition	9780443245756	●			●					
2023	LaCharity/Kumagai/Hosler: Prioritization, Delegation, and Assignment in LPN/LVN Nursing: Practice Exercises for the NCLEX-PN® Examination	9780323779180	●	●		●					
2024	Silvestri/HESI: HESI/Saunders Online Review for the NCLEX-PN® Examination, 3rd Edition	9780323795326			●						
August 2025	NEW! Silvestri/Silvestri: Saunders 2026-2027 Clinical Judgment and Test-Taking Strategies: Passing Nursing School and the NCLEX® Exam, 9th Edition	9780443246142	●			●					
2025	Silvestri/Silvestri: Saunders Comprehensive Review for the NCLEX-PN® Examination, 9th Edition	9780443113871	●	●		●					
2023	Silvestri/Silvestri: Saunders Q&A Review for the NCLEX-PN® Examination, 6th Edition	9780323828789	●			●					
2025	Zerwekh: Illustrated Study Guide for the NCLEX-PN® Exam, 10th Edition	9780443112553	●			●					

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