

**CARE Class of August 2027 Block Schedule OCIS Shreveport\***  
**(Admit Spring 2026)**

<b>Block I (Spring 2026)</b>		<b>Dates: January 14, 2026- May 8, 2026</b>
<b>Holiday Breaks: Martin Luther King Day 1/19; Mardi Gras 2/17, Spring Break 3/31@7pm-4/7@7am; Good Friday 4/3; Reading Day 4/24 Final 4/27-4/30</b>		
<b>Course Number/Course Title</b>	<b>Dates 17 weeks</b>	<b>Day/Time</b>
HLSC 2410 Human Physiology	1/14-5/8	Monday 4:30 p-6:30p Wednesday 4:30 p-6:30p
HLSC 2412 Human Anatomy & Lab	1/14-5/8	Friday 1p-5p
NURS 2371 Introduction to Professional Nursing Concepts	1/14-5/8	Thursday 9a-11a
HLSC 2416 Health Assessment Theory	1/14-5/8	Wednesday 9a-11a
HLSC 2417 Health Assessment Lab	1/14-5/8	Monday 9a-1p & afternoon (if needed)

<b>Block II (Summer 2026)</b>		<b>Dates: May 11, 2026-July 23, 2026</b>
<b>Holiday Breaks: Memorial Day 5/25; Juneteenth 6/19; Independence Day 7/3</b>		
<b>Course Number/Course Title</b>	<b>Dates 11 weeks</b>	<b>Day/Time</b>
NURS 2351 Foundations of Nursing Theory	5/11-7/20 <b>11 weeks</b>	Monday 8a- 3p
NURS 2362 Foundations of Nursing Practicum	White Coat Ceremony TBA	Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday (if needed)
NURS 2372 Foundations of Nursing Lab		Friday
HLSC 3410 Pathophysiology	5/13-7/23 <b>11 weeks</b>	Thursday 9-12p
HLSC 3409 Pharmacology	5/13-7/23 <b>11 weeks</b>	Wednesday 4-7p

<b>Block III (Fall 2026)</b>		<b>Dates: July 27, 2026-December 18, 2026</b>
<b>Holiday Breaks: Labor Day 9/7; Thanksgiving 11/26, 11/27</b>		
<b>Course Number/Course Title</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Day/Time</b>
NURS 3356 Mental Health Theory	7/27-9/8	Monday 8a-12p, Tuesday, 9-1p
NURS 3366 Mental Health Practicum	<b>7 weeks</b>	Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday (if needed)
NURS 3370 Research in Nursing	8/12-12/4 <b>17 weeks</b>	Friday 12p- 3p
NURS 3351 Adult Health Theory	9/10-11/3 <b>8 weeks</b>	Monday, Tuesday 9a-3p (times may vary)
NURS 3362 Adult Practicum		Thursday, Friday, Saturday (if needed)
NURS 3372 Adult Simulation Lab		Wednesday 8a-12p
NURS 3355 Child Health Theory	11/6-12/18 <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 9-12p, Friday 9a-3p
NURS 3365 Child Health Practicum		Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Block IV (Spring 2027)		Dates: December 21, 2027 – May 14, 2027
<b>Holiday Breaks: Christmas and New Year's 12/24-1/1; Martin Luther King 1/19; Mardi Gras 2/17 Easter (Good Friday) 4/3</b>		
Course Number/Course Title	Dates	Day/Time
NURS 3358 Women's Health Nursing Theory	12/21-2/8 <b>7 weeks</b>	Tuesday 530-830p, Wednesday 530-830p
NURS 3368 Women's Health Nursing Practicum		Thursday, Saturday as needed for theory or practicum
NURS3451 Genetic Health Across the Lifespan	1/13-5/7 <b>17 weeks</b>	Monday 1-4p
NURS 4357 Population-Focused Nursing Theory	2/10-3/29 <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 9-12, Tuesday 9-3
NURS 4358 Population-Focused Nursing Practicum		Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
NURS 4352 Critical Care Theory	3/31-5/14 <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 9-12; Tuesday 12-3p
NURS 4362 Critical Care Practicum		Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, or Saturday
NURS 4372 Critical Care Sim/Lab		Tuesday 8-11a

Block V (Summer 2027)		Dates: May 19, 2027 – July 30, 2027
<b>Holiday Breaks: 5/31 (Shreveport); Juneteenth 6/18 (Shreveport); Independence Day 7/2</b>		
Course Number/Course Title	Dates	Day/Time
NURS 4359 Nursing Management in the Health Care System Theory	5/19-7/31 <b>11 weeks</b>	Thursday 12-3p
NURS 4369 Nursing Management in the Health Care System Practicum		Varies per preceptor
NURS 4371 Perspectives in Professional Nursing	5/20-7/30 <b>11 weeks</b>	Friday 9-11
NURS 4346 Gerontology	5/20-7/30 <b>11 weeks</b>	Friday 12-3

**\*Dates and times are subject to change**