2026-27 TEXTBOOKS & SUPPLIES LIST

PROGRAM: PRACTICAL NURSING
INTAKES: JAN 2027 AND MAY 2027

TERM 1

TEXTBOOKS & ONLINE LEARNING MATERIALS

Course	Textbook Title	Ed	Req	Rec	Author	Publisher	ISBN	Price
Various	Elsevier Sherpath Bundle Terms 1 & 2 (E-texts)*	N/A	X		After receiving your code from the bookstore, redeem the code & register.		9780443597077	$ 1682.00
All Courses	Mosby's Dictionary of Medicine, Nursing & Health Professions	11	X		Mosby	Elsevier	E-book: 9780323755542 Print: 9780323639149	$ 56.99 or $ 79.50
All Courses	An Introduction to Writing for Health Professionals: The SMART Way	4	X		Zilm/Perry	Elsevier	9781771721950	$ 41.99
All Nursing courses	**Choose one:** Nursing Care Plans: Diagnoses, Interventions, & Outcomes	11	X		Gulanick/Myers/Bowman-Woodall	Elsevier	E-book: 9780443124563 Print: 9780443105272	$ 102.99 or $ 129.25
	Choose one: Ackley and Ladwig's Nursing Diagnosis Handbook	14			Makic/Martinez-Kratz	Elsevier	9780323811170	$ 90.99
NURS-0006	Human Development: A Life Span View (Cdn ed)	9	X		Kali/Cavanaugh	Cengage Learning	9780357658024	$85.77 or $117.69 or $ 148.95
PSYC-0002	Psychology	1	X		Walters	Thompson Rivers University	N/A	$ 0.00
SCIE-0005 / 0006	ISE Seeley's Anatomy & Physiology (Connect compatible)	13	X		Vanputte/Regan/Russo	McGraw Hill	9781264577873	$ 213.25
SOCI-0002	Introduction to Sociology	3	X		Little	BCcampus		$ 0.00
All Courses	Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association	7		X	American Psychological Association	Login Canada	9781433832185	$ 47.87
						Total:		**$ 2,170.99 - $ 2,342.81**

***Elsevier Bundle (Terms 1 & 2):** See Appendix A at the end of this document for details.

OTHER COMPULSORY ACADEMIC-RELATED COSTS (SUPPLIES & FEES)

Course	Item	Direction	Est. Cost
Entire Program	MFA Device	▪ Students can either download the DUO Mobile Application (FREE) on their mobile device or purchase a Yubikey ($70)	$ 0.00 - $ 70.00
Entire Program	CLPNM SPN Registration	▪ Student registration applications will be emailed to students a month prior to the start of the program by CLPNM ▪ Review CLPNM website for further information – questions about SPN should be directed to the CLPNM ▪ Review Policy SON – 01 SPN Registration ○ Per policy, students must obtain their SPN registration within six weeks after day one of the program start	$ 80.00
All Practicums	Up-to-Date Immunization	▪ Form must be completed and submitted to nursingdocuments@assiniboine.net prior to the start of Term 2	$ 500.00
All Practicums	BLS or CPR-HCP Certification	▪ To be arranged by student and renewed annually, prior to expiration date -- certificates must be submitted to: nursingdocuments@assiniboine.net prior to start of Term 2	$ 70.00 - $ 150.00
All Practicums	N95 Mask Fit Testing	▪ To be arranged by student (Fit Tester contact information will be provided during program orientation) ▪ Documentation must be submitted to nursingdocuments@assiniboine.net prior to start of Term 2	$ 95.00
		Total Estimate:	**$ 745 - $ 895**

TERM 1 - TOTAL ESTIMATED COST FOR TEXTBOOKS, ONLINE LEARNING MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, AND OTHER COMPULSORY ACADEMIC-RELATED FEES: **$ 2,915.99 - $ 3,237.81**

Prices are subject to change without notice.
https://www.bkstr.com/assiniboineccstore/home
Assiniboine College bookstore is located at the Victoria Avenue East campus in Brandon, MB. Students outside of Brandon, MB have the option of ordering from the bookstore online.

TERM 2

OTHER COMPULSORY ACADEMIC-RELATED COSTS (SUPPLIES & FEES)			
Course	**Item**	**Direction**	**Est. Cost**
NURS-0018	978-1-9751-9826-8 vSim2 NextGEN Gerontology Simulation Module	▪ Student to purchase via the Laerdal website at start of Term 2 (do not purchase prior to start of Term 2) ▪ Use code Assiniboine26 for 25% discount	$ 122.60
NURS-0014 & SIMN-0004	978-1-9751-9846-6 vSim2 NextGEN Assessment Simulation Module	▪ Student to purchase via the Laerdal website at start of Term 2 (do not purchase prior to start of Term 2) ▪ Use code Assiniboine26 for 25% discount	$ 122.60
All Lab Courses & Practicums	LED Penlight	▪ Student to source or purchase at the Assiniboine College Bookstore	$ 20.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Blood Pressure Cuff	▪ Student to source	$ 80.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Watch	▪ Review policy SON – 04 Student Dress Code for guidelines ▪ Student to source or purchase at Assiniboine College Bookstore	$ 80.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Stethoscope	▪ Student to source or purchase at Assiniboine College Bookstore	$185.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Nursing Uniform (x2)	▪ Review policy SON – 04 Student Dress Code for guidelines ▪ Student to source or purchase at the Assiniboine College Bookstore	$ 200.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Nursing Crest (x2)	▪ Review policy SON – 04 Student Dress Code for guidelines ▪ Student to purchase at the Assiniboine College Bookstore	$21.00
All Lab Courses & Practicums	Nursing Shoes	▪ Review policy SON – 04 Student Dress Code for guidelines ▪ Student to source	$ 160.00
		Total Estimate:	**$ 991.20**

TERM 2 - TOTAL ESTIMATED COST FOR TEXTBOOKS, ONLINE LEARNING MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, AND OTHER COMPULSORY ACADEMIC-RELATED FEES:	$ 991.20

The textbook and supply list will be updated in summer 2027 to include textbooks and supplies for Terms 3–5.

APPENDIX A

1. **What is Sherpath?**

   Sherpath is an interactive online learning platform that combines Elsevier e-textbooks with digital lessons, quizzes, and tests/assessments. It helps students actively engage with course material, apply what they learn, and better prepare for tests.

2. **What is included in the Elsevier Sherpath bundles and why do I have to purchase them?**

   These bundles include all required Elsevier electronic textbooks (e-textbooks), which are accessed through the Sherpath platform.

   Students will be required to purchase two bundles over the course of the program. The first bundle must be purchased at the start of Term 1 and the second bundle must be purchased at the start of Term 3.

   The resources included in these bundles play an important role in supporting student success. Through Sherpath, students will gain access to interactive learning activities, required coursework, test preparation tools, and tests. These resources are incorporated into courses.

3. **Can I purchase these bundles from another source or Elsevier directly?**

   No; the bundles must be purchased through the Assiniboine College Bookstore.

4. **Why are there required Elsevier textbooks listed on the booklist that aren't included in the bundles?**

   Any Elsevier textbooks that are listed separately from the bundles are not part of Elsevier's Sherpath-supported e-textbook bundles and must therefore be purchased independently.

5. **If I find a physical copy of a textbook that is included in the bundle, can I remove it from the bundle and get a discount?**

   No. The bundles are sold as a complete package and cannot be modified or discounted based on individual resources.

6. **Will these bundles also come with the physical versions of the textbooks?**

   No. The bundles include digital e-textbooks only; no physical books are provided. However, after purchase and registration for each Sherpath, the physical copies of the Sherpath titles may be purchased within the platform – these are priced with a 50% discount.