

NURSING MAJOR (NURS.BSN)

<u>Required Nursing Courses</u>		<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Prereq.</u>	<u>Rec. Yr.</u>
NURS 220	Foundations of Nursing Care	4	BIOL 151, 152, PSYC 238	Soph
NURS 222	Health Assmt in Nursing Practice	3	BIOL 151, 152, PSYC 238	Soph
NURS 225	Pharmacology for Healthcare Provider	3	NURS 220, 222 CHEM 105, 107L, BIOL 151, 152	Soph
NURS 230	Pathophysiology for Healthcare Provider	3	BIOL 151, 152	Soph
NURS 235	Nursing Care in Adult Health & Illness I	5	All 200 level NURS and all Support except coreq NURS 225	Jr
NURS 310	Nursing Care Childbearing Family	5	All 200 level NURS, 320; All support courses,	Jr
NURS 320	Psych Mental Health Across Lifespan	5	All 200 level NURS and all support courses	Jr
NURS 335	Nursing Care of Children	5	NURS 220, 222, BIOL 151, 152, CHEM 105, 107L; coreq BIOL 220	Soph
NURS 340	Nursing Care in Adult Health & Illness II	6	All 200 level NURS, 320, 330 & All support courses; coreq NURS 365	Jr
NURS 365	Research and Scholarly Inquiry in Nursing	3	All 200 level NURS and support	Jr
[^] NURS 420	Nursing Leadership & Mgmt Health Systems	6	All 300 level NURS, 440, 455	Sr
NURS 440	Comm Nursing & Population Health	5	All 300 level NURS & all support courses	Sr
NURS 450	Current/Future Trends Nursing Practice	1	All 300 level NURS, 440, 455; All support courses	Sr
NURS 451L	Trans to Professional Nursing Role Lab	1	All 300 level NURS, 440, 455; All support courses	Sr
NURS 455	Nursing Care Adults & Child Complex Illness	5	All 300 level NURS, 440, 455; All support courses	Sr
		<hr/> 60 hours		
<u>Required Support Courses (25 hours)</u>				
BIOL 151	Human Anatomy and Phys I	4		Fr
BIOL 152	Human Anatomy and Phys II	4	Successful completion BIOL 151	Fr
BIOL 220	General Microbiology	4	BIOL 152	Soph
CHEM 105	Gen, Org & Biochem for Health Sci I	3	Coreq CHEM 107L	Soph
CHEM 106	Gen, Org & Biochem for Hlth Sci II	3	C- or better in CHEM 105, 107L	Soph
CHEM 107L	Gen, Org & Biochem Hlth Sci Lab I	1	Coreq CHEM 105	
	<u>OR</u>			
CHEM 108L	Gen, Org, & Biochem Hlth Sci Lab II	1	Coreq CHEM 106	
EXSC 240	Fund. of Human Nutrition	3		Soph
PSYC 238	Developmental Psychology	3	PSYC 101	
		<hr/> 85 total hours		
<u>Recommended Course</u>				
INDS 151	The Language of Healthcare	1		Fr

[^]Satisfies advanced writing requirement

****REMINDERS****

1. The minimum acceptable grade for all nursing courses (theory, clinical components and support courses) is C (2.0). A nursing course may be repeated only once in attempt to attain the minimum grade. Only one nursing clinical course can be repeated.
 2. Nursing courses must be taken in sequence and are taught only one time per year.
 3. Nursing students must maintain at least a 2.75 cumulative GPA to continue in the nursing program.
- Note: Please enroll all nursing majors in PSYC 101 (needed as a prerequisite for Dev Psych) and in EXSC 240 (required support course). If students need to enroll in developmental courses, a five year plan of study is recommended.

ADMISSION TO SOPHOMORE PROFESSIONAL CLINICAL COMPONENT

Freshmen are admitted to the College as Pre-nursing majors. Admission to the Sophomore Professional Clinical component of the curriculum is based on: 1) review of the nursing application 2) the achievement of a cumulative grade point of 3.25 or higher, 3) completion of BIOL 151, 152 and PSYC 238 with a C (2.0) or higher, 4) completion of health form (forms available in nursing department), and 5) evidence of current CPR certification; negative TB test and a criminal background evaluation.

B.S.N Degree: Nursing Major (for students entering in Fall 2024/Spring 2025)

In the "WHAT" column, enter the specific course number when applicable--e.g. HIST 121. In the "WHEN" column, enter the term and year in which the requirement is satisfied--e.g., sp '00.

Liberal Arts Core	
WHAT	WHEN
_____	ENGL 101* w/ C (2.0) [3 hrs]
_____	ENGL 110 w/ C(2.0)* [3 hrs]
_____	COMM 211 w/ C(2.0) [3 hrs]
_____	Dept senior seminar/writing course
_____	Met by: _____ NURS 420 [6 hrs]
_____	FYEX 101 [3 hrs]
_____	FYEX 102 [1 hr]
_____	FYEX 103/104/105/106/107 [1 hr]
_____	FYEX 103/104/105/106/107 [1 hr]
_____	FYEX 401 [1 hr]
_____	Foundational Scientific Inquiry [3-4 hrs]
_____	Foundational Quantitative Analysis [3-4 hrs]
<i>No more than two lens courses may come from the same departmental prefix and one lens must be taken at the 300 level or above.</i>	
_____	Ethical/Spiritual Explor Lens (ETSP) [3 hrs]
_____	Aesthetic Expression Lens (AEXP) [3 hrs]
_____	Per & Soc Well Being Lens (PSWB) [3 hrs]
_____	Cultural Perspectives Lens (CEXP) [3 hrs]
_____	Experimental Inquiry Lens (EXIN) [3 hrs]
_____	36 – 42 Total semester hours
_____	120 semester hours required for graduation

*Enter NA (not applicable) if waived upon admission or if completing the honors program.

➤Only six hours of any minor may overlap with the required credit hours of a student's chosen major. The overlap constraint is not applicable to courses that majors or minors MUST take in others departments.

Nursing Major	
WHAT	WHEN
<u>Required Nursing Support Courses</u>	
<i>Minimum grade of C required in support course</i>	
_____	BIOL 151 [4 hrs]
_____	BIOL 152 [4 hrs]
_____	BIOL 220 [4 hrs]
_____	CHEM 105 [3 hrs]
_____	CHEM 106 [3 hrs]
_____	CHEM 107L/108L [1 hr]
_____	EXSC 240 [3 hrs]
_____	PSYC 238 [3 hrs]
<i>Minimum grade of C required in each NURS course</i>	
_____	NURS 220 [4 hrs]
_____	NURS 222 [3 hrs]
_____	NURS 225 [3 hrs]
_____	NURS 230 [3 hrs]
_____	NURS 235 [5 hrs]
_____	NURS 310 [5 hrs]
_____	NURS 320 [5 hrs]
_____	NURS 335 [5 hrs]
_____	NURS 340 [6 hrs]
_____	NURS 365 [3 hrs]
_____	NURS 420 [6 hrs]
_____	NURS 440 [5 hrs]
_____	NURS 450 [1 hr]
_____	NURS 451L [1 hr]
_____	NURS 455 [5 hrs]
_____	60 semester hours of Nursing

➤Freshmen are admitted to the College as Pre-Nursing majors.

➤A 3.25 cum GPA is required for enrollment in sophomore professional clinical component.

➤Students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better and earn a C (2.0) or better in each support course and in each Nursing course before proceeding in the program. A course with an unsatisfactory grade may be repeated only once. Only one clinical Nursing course may be repeated.

➤Nursing courses must be taken in sequence and are taught only once each year.

➤The following limits apply when counting hours applicable toward the 120 required for graduation – 4 hours of physical activity (EXSC) and 8 hours of MUSC 149..

➤Except in specifically approved majors, a maximum of 52 hours in an academic discipline may count toward graduation. Three hours over the limit may count to accommodate an internship in the discipline.