

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

RN to BSN

PROGRAM START DATES: JANUARY, MAY & AUGUST*

Saving Lives, Becoming Heros.

If you are a registered nurse with an associate degree or diploma certificate in nursing, North Carolina Wesleyan University's Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN) program can prepare you for an advanced professional role in the healthcare system **in as little as 12 months**.** Obtaining your RN to BSN degree will position you to drive change and transform the landscape of healthcare for the betterment of those receiving your services. Established with insight from healthcare employers, NCWU's **100% online** RN to BSN program will provide registered nurses with a broadened skill set to integrate new and innovative knowledge into daily nursing practice.



CONVENIENT

Take classes from anywhere! Balance work, home and school with this 100% online, accelerated 8-week term program.



FLEXIBLE

Complete your degree at your pace with a full-time or part-time schedule. Featuring multiple start times per year, begin when you are ready.



AFFORDABLE

Maximize your transfer credits. NC Wesleyan's tuition rates are extremely competitive compared to other graduate schools in the U.S.



EXPERIENCED

Our faculty has real-world professional experience to ensure you are challenged and supported through practical coursework.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Apply theories and concepts from liberal arts, humanities and science as the foundation for professional nursing practice
- Demonstrate knowledge and utilization of quality improvement and safety management concepts to provide competent professional nursing care
- Manage information technology in the delivery of providing enhanced innovative quality patient care in various healthcare settings
- Integrate knowledge of healthcare policy, financial concepts and regulatory requirements that influence the delivery of healthcare
- Translate credible nursing research into evidence-based nursing practice
- Facilitate effective communication and collaboration to improve health outcomes and minimize risks to improve practice
- Apply and analyze principles of prevention and health promotion at both the individual and population level

*NUR major courses start in January, May and August. Students can also begin with general education and/or elective requirements in March, June and October

**This does not include required general education courses, as this may differ per student based on what they are able to transfer in to the program.



CAREER FIELDS:

- Medical/Surgical Nurse
- Nurse Manager
- Informatics Specialist
- Nursing Case Manager
- Traveling Nurse
- Legal Nurse Consultant

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA:

- Associate Degree (ADN) or diploma in nursing from a regionally accredited institution
- A current, unencumbered license as a Registered Nurse from the state in which the student resides*
- Transcripts from all previously attended institutions
- Minimum GPA of 2.0 and must have a “C” or better in all transfer credits
- “C” or better in all required nursing prerequisites

**Must reside in a SARA (State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement) approved state. See website for details.*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING RN TO BSN CURRICULUM PLAN

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS			
Courses	Credits	Courses	Credits
HCA-300: Legal & Ethical Issues in Healthcare	3	NUR-335: Healthcare Policy & Information Management	3
HLP-301: Principles of Health Education	3	NUR-345: Transition to Professional Baccalaureate Nursing Practice	3
HLP-304: Epidemiology for Healthcare	3	NUR-350: Nursing Leadership, Management & Finance	3
HLP-310: Introduction to Public Health	3	NUR-400: Professional Nursing Research & Evidence Based Practice (WI)	4
NUR-330: Promoting Quality, Safety & Cultural Awareness in Healthcare (WI)	3	NUR-410: BSN Professional Nursing Capstone (WI)	6**

Total Program Credit Hours: 120

(Includes transfer credits, electives, general education and nursing core credits)

NOTE:

- General education courses can be taken before or during the major coursework but must be completed prior to NUR 330 and NUR 335. All electives must be completed prior to NUR 410.
- Students can transfer up to 90 credits from a four-year institution and up to 86 credits from an ADN. Transfer students may need additional general education and/or elective hours to fulfill degree requirements. The total hours needed and specific coursework will depend on individual transcript analysis.

***NUR-410 is a 16-week, 6 credit course that is taken over the course of both sessions A & B.*

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The baccalaureate degree program in nursing at NC Wesleyan University is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.

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