



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

RN TO BSN PROGRAM: LOWER TUITION!

Adding the **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING** to your credentials can assist you with career advancement and/or acceptance into a variety of post-baccalaureate nursing programs. Cleveland State University's School of Nursing offers the working RN a flexible, online schedule or a Blended Delivery option. Students are admitted to the nursing program as juniors. The required nursing courses can be completed in as little as three consecutive semesters (one year) in our online program, or over six semesters in our Blended Delivery option.

The School of Nursing participates in the Northeast Ohio Access in Nursing model. Participation in this articulation model grants college credits to graduates of associate degree and diploma nursing programs. These credits are applied toward the total number of hours needed to graduate from Cleveland State University with a BSN.

Graduates may be able to move immediately into our online Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) program — currently ranked among the top 50 online MSN programs in the country, according to *U.S. News & World Report* — the semester following graduation if they meet all MSN requirements.

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FOR A LIST
OF SCHEDULED
ADVISING SESSIONS**

HOW DO I APPLY TO THE SCHOOL OF NURSING?

Begin the admissions process by attending an information session. A schedule may be found on our website. You may also contact the School of Nursing and schedule an appointment with an advisor. Detailed admissions requirements, instructions, and application forms may be also found at csuohio.edu/nursing.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION INCLUDE:

- 1 Hold an active Ohio Registered Nurse License (or the U.S. state where you reside).
- 2 Complete all prerequisite coursework with a grade of "C" or higher. Maintain a GPA of at least 2.0.
- 3 Maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0.
- 4 Apply for admission to CSU. We recommend that this be done at least four weeks prior to any School of Nursing deadlines.
- 5 Apply for admission to the School of Nursing. Complete applications are due no later than June 1st for the fall cohort and November 1st for the spring cohort.

ABOUT US

The School of Nursing at Cleveland State University offers both undergraduate and graduate nursing programs. *The baccalaureate degree program in nursing and master's degree program in nursing at Cleveland State University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education* (<http://www.ccnaccreditation.org>). The programs are available to those who have been admitted to Cleveland State University and the School of Nursing.

THE SCHOOL OF NURSING OFFERS PROGRAMS IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- ▶ Our graduates are highly sought after by employers
- ▶ Over 90% NCLEX passage rate for first-time test takers
- ▶ Numerous service learning opportunities in Greater Cleveland and abroad
- ▶ Collaborative research opportunities with faculty
- ▶ Opportunity to learn with a diverse and inclusive student body

PREREQUISITE COURSEWORK

- ▶ Anatomy and Physiology I and II
- ▶ College level Chemistry with a Lab
- ▶ Microbiology
- ▶ Statistics
- ▶ Principles of Psychology
- ▶ English 101 and 102

All prerequisite courses must be completed prior to starting the nursing course sequence



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WHAT IS THE RN TO BSN PROGRAM?

The RN to BSN program is designed for those students who already hold an active Registered Nurse License. The nursing curriculum provides learning opportunities that foster the development of self-direction, creativity, critical thinking and discriminative judgment. In-state tuition is \$215 per credit hour.

HOW IS THE PROGRAM SCHEDULED?

This program consists of nursing coursework and has supplemental field work and a capstone component in the final semester. The program begins in the fall and spring semester of every year. There are two options for entering the program: our completely online format or our Blended Delivery format that includes both online and in-person classes.



Contact us FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION,
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