

Southeast Missouri Hospital College of Nursing and Health Sciences offers a two-year Associate of Applied Science in Nursing degree. Upon completion of this program graduates have met the educational requirements necessary to be eligible to take the national examination for registered nurse licensure exam. (Nurse Practice Act, Section 335.066RSMo).

A registered nurse performs many duties as a member of the healthcare team. These duties include:

- Assessing a patient's condition
- Identifying patient problems or needs
- Working with the patient, family, physician, and other healthcare team members in planning patient care
- Providing treatments for patients as well as teaching patients and families to provide care
- Evaluating treatment plans to determine if additional treatment is needed

### College Mission

To respond to the healthcare educational needs of the region by preparing qualified healthcare professionals.

### Accreditation

The College is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, 230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500, Chicago, IL 60604.

The A.A.S. Nursing Program is accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, GA 30326 and has full approval of the Missouri State Board of Nursing, 3605 Missouri Blvd, PO Box 656, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0656.

### Financial Aid

Grants and loans are available to students who complete a FAFSA and qualify. The College participates in financial aid programs such as the GI Bill, GoArmyEd, Vocational Rehabilitation, and Trade Act Assistance. Additional Financial Aid information is available from the Financial Aid Coordinator or our website.

### Tuition and Fees

The College charges the same fees for Missouri and non-Missouri residents. A complete current Fee Schedule can be found on our website. <https://www.sehcollege.edu/financial>

### Eligibility Requirements

The following requirements must be met to be admitted to this program:

- GPA requirement (one of the following):
  - ◇ If 18 or more semester hours of college-level courses are completed, overall college GPA of 2.50 on a 4.0 scale plus completion of a high school diploma or approved high school equivalency exam
  - ◇ If less than 18 semester hours of college-level courses are completed, overall college GPA of 2.50 on a 4.0 scale plus high school GPA of 2.50 on a 4.0 scale or completion of an approved high school equivalency exam
- Exam requirement (one of the following):
  - ◇ ACT composite score of 21 or higher taken less than 5 years ago
  - ◇ ATI TEAS score of 58.7% or higher (if age 23 or older)
- Completion of all immunization requirements
- Clearance on various background checks
- Minimum one year of Paramedic work experience
- Current Paramedic license

**Application packets are available on our website at**

**<https://www.sehcollege.edu/admissions>, in our Admissions Office during regular business hours, or via mail upon request.**

### Enrollment Requirements

The following requirements must be met after a student receives an acceptance letter but before the student can be enrolled in classes:

- Pay a \$200 seat retainer (non-refundable deposit) which will be applied to your first semester tuition and fees
- Meet with the Dean of General Education
- If currently enrolled in high school or another college or university, send transcripts when final grades are available
- Contact Southeast Occupational Medicine thirty to sixty days prior to enrolling for classes at the college to schedule and complete a urine drug screen and TB skin test. You will not be able to enroll for classes until your health screening has been completed.

It is the policy of Southeast Missouri Hospital College of Nursing and Health Sciences to maintain and promote equal education opportunity. Students and applicants will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, ethnicity, religion, national origin, gender, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, age, veteran status, or handicap which does not preclude the person from practicing the program profession after graduation and successful completion of the licensure, certification, or registry.



## Curriculum

### Accelerated Paramedic to RN Track

The Accelerated Paramedic to RN track has daytime and evening courses. This track begins every year in the Summer semester.

Summer			
BI 151		4	
FYS 101		1	
MAT 101		3	
PSY 100		<u>3</u>	
		11	
Fall			
1st 8-weeks		2nd 8-weeks	
AH 201	1	BI 200	3
BI 152	4	COM 100	3
NS 105	3	NS 107	4
NS 106	<u>4</u>	NS 201	3
	12	NUT 100	<u>3</u>
			13
Spring			
1st 8-weeks		2nd 8-weeks	
CH 100	5	NS 204	4
ENG 100	3	NS 206	4
NS 202	<u>3</u>	SOC 102	<u>3</u>
NS 203	11		11

### Part-Time Paramedic to RN Track

The part-time Paramedic to RN track has courses and clinicals that meet on Mondays and Thursdays to accommodate most Paramedic work schedules. This part-time track begins every year in the Fall semester.

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Fall	Fall	Fall	Fall
BI 151 4	NS 106 4	AH 201 1	NS 204 4
COM 100 3	PSY 100 <u>3</u>	NS 203 3	NS 206 <u>4</u>
FYS 101 <u>1</u>		NUT 200 <u>3</u>	<u>8</u>
8		7	
Spring	Spring	Spring	
BI 152 4	BI 200 3	NS 201 3	
NS 105 <u>3</u>	ENG 100 3	NS 202 5	
7	NS 107 4	SOC 102 <u>3</u>	
	10	11	
Summer	Summer	Summer	
CH 100 3	No classes	No classes	
MAT 101 <u>3</u>	required	required	
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## Curriculum Courses

All courses require a grade of C or better to be considered passing.

### General Education Courses

Paramedic students will be allowed to challenge BI 151 Anatomy and Physiology I. Information about the exam will be provided in the acceptance letter.

These courses may be taken earlier than listed on the plans to the left. Students may begin taking general education courses the semester after they complete the admission and enrollment processes.

- AH 201 Human Diversity in Healthcare Delivery (1)
- BI 151 Anatomy and Physiology I (4)
- BI 152 Anatomy and Physiology II (4)
- BI 200 Microbiology (3)
- CH 100 Chemistry (3)
- COM 100 Oral Communications (3)
- ENG 100 English Composition (3)
- FYS 101 College Seminar (1)
- MAT 101 Mathematics for Healthcare Professionals (3)
- NUT 200 Health and Nutrition (3)
- PSY 100 Psychology (3)
- SOC 102 Sociology (3)

### Nursing Courses

Paramedic students are given 8 semester hours of credit for basic nursing courses. The courses below must be taken in the order listed on the plan to the left beginning with the semester listed in the acceptance letter.

- NS 105 Bridging to Professional Nursing Practice (3)
- NS 106 Mental Health Nursing (4)
- NS 107 Medical Surgical Nursing 1 (4)
- NS 201 Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family (3)
- NS 202 Medical Surgical Nursing 2 (5)
- NS 203 Nursing Care of the Child and Family (3)
- NS 204 Medical Surgical Nursing 3 (4)
- NS 206 Transitions to Professional Practice (4)

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