

As a Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program, the RN to BSN curriculum is designed to enhance the knowledge of individuals with an associate degree in nursing (ADN) who are licensed as registered nurses. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program will focus on enhancing/developing the following skills: communication, use of technology and informatics, critical thinking, leadership and management, integration of research findings and interpretation of statistics. Upon graduation students will be prepared for advancement to the Master of Science in Nursing degree.

RN to BSN classes are offered in a blended format (partially online and partially face-to-face) and face-to-face classes meet one day per week to better accommodate most RN work schedules.

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 baccalaureate degree in nursing at Southeast Missouri Hospital College of Nursing and Health Sciences is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, One Dupont Circle, NW, Suite 530, Washington, DC 20036, 202-887-6791.

<http://www.aacn.nche.edu/ccne-accreditation>

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>

SoutheastHEALTH Employee Discount

Students who are employees of SoutheastHEALTH (>0.6) will receive a 30% discount on tuition and fees for RN to BSN courses.

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must have graduated from an approved associate degree nursing program and have an uncensored registered nurse license. Students who are currently enrolled the final year of an associate degree nursing program may apply to the RN to BSN with admission pending graduation from the program and passing the NCLEX-RN exam within 90 days of graduation.

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

- Official high school transcript showing graduation or completion of an approved high school equivalency exam
- Official transcripts from all colleges, universities, and vocational schools attended with a minimum overall GPA of 2.80 on a 4.00 scale (May be tentatively admitted with a 2.50 GPA.)
- Completion of all immunization requirements
- Clearance on various background checks

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
- If currently enrolled send transcripts once 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. (Waived for students who have attended classes at the College with the past year.)

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 RN to BSN track

The Accelerated track has courses only on Wednesdays. This track begins every year with the Summer semester.

| 1st Summer | | Spring 16 weeks | |
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| ENG 200 | 3 | AH 200 | 3 |
| GOVT 100 | 3 | | |
| Fall 16 weeks | | Spring 1st 8 weeks | |
| MAT 150 | 3 | NS 403 | 3 |
| | | NS 404 | 4 |
| Fall 1st 8 weeks | | Spring 2nd 8 weeks | |
| NS 300 | 3 | NS 400 | 3 |
| NS 301 | 2 | NS 405 | 3 |
| NS 401 | 3 | PSY 200 | 3 |
| Fall 2nd 8 weeks | | 2nd Summer | |
| NS 302 | 3 | FA 200 | 3 |
| NS 402 | 3 | HST 105 | 3 |

Two-Year RN to BSN track

The two-year track has courses only on Wednesdays. This track begins every year in the Summer semester.

| Year 1 | | Year 2 | |
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| Summer | | Summer | |
| ENG 200 | 3 | HST 105 | 3 |
| GOVT 100 | 3 | FA 200 | 3 |
| Fall | | Fall | |
| MAT 150 | 3 | NS 301 | 2 |
| NS 300 | 3 | NS 401 | 3 |
| NS 302 | 3 | NS 402 | 3 |
| Spring | | Spring | |
| AH 200 | 3 | NS 400 | 3 |
| PSY 200 | 3 | NS 403 | 3 |
| NS 404 | 4 | NS 405 | 3 |

Curriculum Courses

All courses require a grade of C or better to be considered passing. Students must complete a total of 120 semester hours with at least 30 hours of RN to BSN courses taken at this College.

General Education Courses

RN to BSN students are granted transfer credit for up to 34 semester credits of general education courses. If 34 hours of general education courses were not completed as part of the associate degree, students will be required to take elective courses to meet the total of 55 general education hours.

Students may begin taking general education courses the semester after they complete the admission and enrollment processes.

- AH 200 Introduction to Statistics (3)
- ENG 200 Expository Writing (3)
- FA 200 Art Appreciation (3)
- GOVT 100 Government and Politics in the United States (3)
- HST 105 American History (3)
- MAT 150 College Algebra (3)
- PSY 200 Life Span Development (3)

Nursing Courses

RN to BSN students are granted transfer credit for up to 38 semester credits of nursing courses. If 38 hours of nursing courses were not completed as part of the associate degree, students will be required to take elective courses to meet the total of 65 nursing hours or may choose to receive credit by exam.

- NS 300 ADN to BSN Transition (3)
- NS 301 Nursing Informatics (2)
- NS 302 Pathophysiology (3)
- NS 400 Management and Leadership (3)
- NS 401 Holistic Assessment (3)
- NS 402 Pharmacology (3)
- NS 403 Nursing Research and Evidence Based Practice (3)
- NS 404 Public and Community Health (4)
- NS 405 Politics and Health Care Policy (3)

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