BSN Completion Program (RN-BSN)
for applicants already licensed as Registered Nurses as of Fall 2016

All BSN nursing classes are offered online and can be taken in any order. Students can attend full or part-time. Students must meet both the UVU requirements and the Department of Nursing requirements to qualify for graduation. Information about requirements & applying can be found at http://www.uvu.edu/nursing, select Degrees & Programs, RN-BSN.

Prerequisite Requirements: All prerequisites must be completed before applying to the program. Final grade of B- or higher is required in all classes. Ask the nursing advisor about classes taken before 2010.

- ENGL 1010 Intro to Writing
- MATH 1050 College Algebra
- PSY 1100 Human Development/Life Span
- CHEM 1110 Elem Chemistry
- ZOOL 2320 Human Anatomy w/lab
- Micro 2060 Microbiology w/lab
- ZOOL 2420 Human Physiology w/lab
- Associate of Science in Nursing
- RN licensure complete

General Education Requirements: It is strongly suggested to complete all GE requirements prior to starting the program or completion may take more than two semesters. Officially transferring an AS degree may fill some of these requirements.

- American Institutions
- Humanities
- Fine Arts
- Upper Division Credits: A minimum of 40 upper division credit hours are required to graduate. Courses numbered 3000 or higher are considered upper division credits.

BSN credits alone will not satisfy this requirement.

Non-Nursing BSN Degree Requirements: It is strongly suggested that these classes be taken prior to entry. If not, program completion may take more than two semesters. Final grade of B- or higher is required.

- ZOOL 4400 Pathophysiology
- MATH 1040 Introduction to Statistics: Either MATH 1040 or MATH 2040 is acceptable.

Contact the Math department at 801-863-8650, for steps required to register for a statistics course.

Statistics is a pre- or co-requisite to NURS 4540 Research & Theory in Nursing Practice.

BSN Completion Curriculum Outline - NURSING CLASSES ONLY

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Total Nursing classes for BSN completion = 31 credit hours

GE Credits: 36 + Nursing Credits: 84 = Total BSN credit hours: 120

Additional information on the back of this page.
*APPROVED NURSING ELECTIVE HOURS:  8 Credits
The BSN degree requires 8 credit hours of advisor approved Nursing Elective Hours.
All or at least 2 credit hours of the required 8 Nursing Elective Hours must be upper division nursing classes from the Approved Nursing Elective Classes List. If needed, other Nursing Elective credit hours may be taken from the Approved Non-Nursing Classes List.
For the list see www.uvu.edu/nursing, select, student resources, or look at Wolverine Track.
NURS 490R Special Topics in Nursing - limit of 4 credit hours can be applied toward elective hours.
NURS 495R Independent Study in Nursing - limit of 3 credit hours can be applied toward elective hours.
Contact the Nursing advisor for any questions.

NURS 4540 Research & Theory in Nursing Practice
The BSN statistics course requirement must be taken prior to or concurrent with NURS 4540.

NURS 4325 Nursing in the Community Clinical
This class must be taken concurrently with NURS 4320.
NURS 4325 Nursing in the Community Clinical requires 90 hours of community service.
40 hours of community service will be spent in community nursing settings such as home health, hospice, public health, clinic, correctional, etc. Clinical faculty members responsible for the course will make arrangements for clinical assignments for students living locally, however students who live outside the area will be responsible for finding and making arrangements for specific clinical settings in their communities. Contracts must be signed between UVU and clinical sites providing clinical assignments for nursing students. UVU already has contracts established with many facilities in Utah. For students not living locally, this process may take several months and it may be best to start the process of getting a contract in place before registering for the classes. The clinical hours must be done while registered for NURS 4320 & 4325, not before or after. Only the contract can be in place before registering for the classes. Students needing to make arrangements outside of the area, should contact the faculty member teaching the Community Clinical to assist them with the process. Students outside the area also have the option of coming to Utah to complete these hours.
Requirements for the balance of the clinical hours needed and any questions regarding the community clinical course requirements should be directed to the clinical faculty responsible for the course.

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