

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Degree Completion Program for Registered Nurses

### Transfer Planning Guide: Danville Area Community College

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**Please note that the following information is only a guide. It does not represent an official agreement to transfer credits nor is it the official nursing curriculum at Danville. If you have questions, please contact a counselor at your institution or a University of Illinois advisor at the above phone number. If you would like a more detailed review of your transcript(s), please send them to the above mailing address or e-mail them to the above e-mail address.**

The College of Nursing at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Degree Completion Program for Registered Nurses online. Upon successful completion of all coursework, students will earn a fully accredited BSN degree from UIC.

#### TRANSFER FACTS

- ❖ Students will be prepared to enter the program if the following requirements are met:
  - Complete successfully the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing from Danville Area Community College
  - Hold a current license to practice as a registered nurse
  - Have a cumulative non-nursing GPA of 2.75 (4.0 grading scale) and no less than a “C” in all required coursework.
  - Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 (4.0 grading scale) in all natural science courses.
  - Complete required Liberal Arts and Sciences coursework
- ❖ Students who have graduated from a State Approved ADN program and hold a current license as a Registered Nurse will receive 33 semester hours of proficiency credit. The credit will be awarded upon successful completion of NUSC 210 and 242, with a grade of “C” or better, in the BSN Completion Program.
- ❖ The University of Illinois admits students to the BSN Completion Program in January, May, and September. Classes begin the first Wednesday of the month for each term. The preferred admission deadline is two weeks prior to the start of class.
- ❖ The non-refundable application fee is \$40 (Illinois residents), \$50 (Nonresidents), and \$75 (International). Tuition must be paid in full by the first day of class.
- ❖ Students should send transcripts to the University of Illinois office in Champaign at the address listed above. Transcripts will be evaluated by a Student Services Advisor. Students can contact an Advisor via the phone or email address listed above.

**OVERALL REQUIREMENTS FOR A UIC BSN DEGREE:**

**STEP I: Complete the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Nursing at Danville Area Community college**

**I. Degree Requirements for the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing at Danville Area Community College:**

| <b>General Education Requirements at Danville Area Community College</b> | <b>Semester Hours</b> |
|--|-----------------------|
| BIOL 136: Anatomy & Physiology I   | 4                     |
| BIOL 137: Anatomy & Physiology II  | 4                     |
| BIOL 140: Microbiology   | 4                     |
| ENGL 101: Rhetoric & Composition I                                       | 3                     |
| PSYC 100: Introduction to Psychology                                     | 3                     |
| SPCH 101: Oral Communications  | 3                     |
| *Humanities  | 3                     |
| <b>Subtotal - Gen Ed Hours Required</b>                                  | <b>24</b>             |

\*Select one course from *Understanding the Creative Arts* course list on p. 4.

| <b>Nursing Requirements</b>                     | <b>Semester Hours</b> |
|---|-----------------------|
| NURS 190: Concepts of Nursing I                 | 6                     |
| NURS 191: Concepts of Nursing II                | 6                     |
| NURS 194: Adult Nursing                         | 8                     |
| NURS 195: Maternal-Child Health Nursing         | 4                     |
| NURS 296: Advanced Nursing I                    | 6                     |
| NURS 297: Advanced Nursing II                   | 6                     |
| NURS 298: Advanced Nursing III                  | 8                     |
| NURS 299: Advanced Nursing IV                   | 4                     |
| <b>Subtotal – Nursing Credit Hours Required</b> | <b>48</b>             |

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| <b>Total Credit Hours Required for Danville’s Associate Degree in Nursing</b> | <b>72</b> |
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**STEP II: Complete additional courses required for a BSN degree at UIC and meet all other admissions requirements listed on page 1.**

**II. Additional Courses Required for a Baccalaureate Degree at UIC (which are not in the Danville ADN curriculum or part of the BSN Completion Program at UIC):**

| <b>BSN Program Requirements to be taken at Danville Area Community College</b> | <b>Semester Hours</b> |
|--|-----------------------|
| CHEM 101: Chemistry I  | 4                     |
| CHEM 102: Chemistry II   | 4                     |
| ENGL 102: Rhetoric & Composition II  | 3                     |
| HLTH 130: Nutrition  | 3                     |
| PSYC 210: Psychology of Human Development                                      | 3                     |
| *Understanding the Past (see courses listed on p. 4)                           | 3                     |
| *Exploring World Cultures (see courses listed on p. 4)                         | 3                     |
| *Understanding U.S. Society (see courses listed on p. 4)                       | 3                     |
| **Elective (two/three courses)   | 6 to 9                |
| ***Upper Division (not available at Danville)                                  | 3                     |
| <b>Total Credit Hours for Additional Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences Courses</b>   | <b>35</b>             |

\*Select one course from the lists below.

\*\*If the Upper Division course is completed prior to admission, then only two elective courses must be completed. Otherwise, three elective courses are required.

\*\*\*the Upper Division course is a 300/400 level humanities, science, or social science course that must be completed at a four year college/university. This course is not required for admission, but it must be completed to graduate from the BSN Completion Program.

**STEP III: After admission to the program, complete degree requirements at University of Illinois at Chicago for the BSN Completion Program**

**III. Degree Requirements for the BSN Completion Program at the University of Illinois at Chicago**

| <b>Nursing Requirements to be taken through UIC</b>                     | <b>Semester Hours</b> |
|---|-----------------------|
| NUSC 210: Health Assessment   | 3                     |
| NUSC 242: Concepts & Processes for Contemporary Nursing                 | 4                     |
| NUSC 310: Exploring Complementary/Alternative Practices                 | 2                     |
| NUSC 316: Nursing Informatics   | 3                     |
| NUSC 322: Intro to Nursing Research & Stats for Evidence Based Practice | 4                     |
| NUSC 385: Clinical Concepts & Process in Population-Focused Nursing     | 5                     |
| NUSC 390: Nursing Leadership & Management in Healthcare                 | 6                     |
| NUSC 397: Issues in Nursing Practice                                    | 3                     |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>30</b>             |

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**DANVILLE AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSES SATISFYING THE UIC LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCE COURSE REQUIREMENTS:9/29/2009**

One course from each category must be completed. While some courses may fall into more than one category, they will only fulfill one requirement.

***Understanding the Past***

ANTH 103: Anthropology  
ANTH 105: Introduction to Archaeology  
HIST 111/112: Western Civilization  
HIST 121/122: Latin America  
HIST 131/132: History of England  
HIST 141/142: Asian History  
HIST 151/152: History of U.S.

HIST 170: Women in America  
HIST 181/182: Ancient World  
HIST 190: Afro-American History  
POLI 150: American Government  
POLI 170: American Judicial Process  
POLI 231: State & Local Government

***Understanding the Creative Arts***

ARTS 105: Theater Appreciation  
ARTS 111/112: Art History  
ARTS 115: Art Appreciation  
MUSI 115: Music Appreciation

MUSI 120: Introduction to American Music  
MUSI 121: Ethnic Traditions in American Music  
MUSI 122: History of Rock & Roll  
MUSI 124/125: Music History

***Exploring World Cultures***

ANTH 105: Introduction to Archaeology  
ANTH 107: Cultural Anthropology  
GEOG 134: World Regional Geography  
HIST 121/122: Latin America  
HIST 141/142: Asian History

MUSI 127: Non-Western Music  
PHIL 104: World Religions  
POLI 160: International Relations  
POLI 238: Comparative Government  
POLI 240: Non-Western Comparative Gov.

***Understanding U.S Society (SOCY 100 recommended)***

CECN 102: Microeconomic Principles  
CECN 102: Macroeconomic Principles  
HIST 151/152: History of U.S.  
HIST 170: Women in America  
HIST 190: Afro-American History

POLI 150: American Government  
POLI 170: American Judicial Process  
POLI 231: State & Local Government  
SOCY 100: Introduction to Sociology

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