

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

Transfer Planning Guide: McHenry County 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 McHenry County College. 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 through a special partnership if the following requirements are met:
 - Complete successfully the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing from McHenry County 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 1: Complete the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing at McHenry County College

I. Degree Requirements for the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing at McHenry County College:

General Education Requirements at McHenry County College	Semester Hours
BIO 157 Fundamentals of Biology	4
BIO 255: Microbiology	4
BIO 263: Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 264: Anatomy and Physiology II	4
ENG 151: Composition I	3
HHP 250: Nutrition for Wellness	3
PHI 251: Introduction to Ethics	3
PSY 151: Introduction to Psychology	3
PSY 250: Human Development Over the Lifespan	3
SPE 151: Introduction to Speech	3
Subtotal - Gen Ed Hours Required	34

Nursing Requirements at McHenry County College	Semester Hours
HCE 110: Introduction to Pharmacology	1
HCE 111: Information Literacy and Healthcare	1
NUR 110: Nursing Practice I	9
NUR 120: Nursing Practice II	9
NUR 210: Nursing Practice III	9
NUR 220: Family Nursing	8
NUR 230: Professional Nursing Practice	3
Subtotal – Nursing Credit Hours Required	40

Total Credit Hours Required for McHenry County College Associate’s Degree in Nursing	74
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STEP II: Complete additional courses required for a BSN degree at UIC and meet all other admissions requirements listed on p. 1.

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

BSN Program Requirements to be taken at McHenry County College	Semester Hours
CHM 165: General Chemistry I	5
CHM 170: Survey of Organic and Biochemistry	5
ENG 152: Composition II	3
*Understanding U.S. Society (see course list on p. 4)	3
*Understanding the Creative Arts (see course list on p. 4)	3
*Understanding the Past (see course list on p. 4)	3
*Exploring World Cultures (see course list on p. 4)	3
Elective	3
**Upper Division (not available at McHenry County College)	3
Total Credit Hours for Additional Liberal Arts & Sciences Courses	28

*Select one course from the lists below.

**The Upper Division course is a 200/300/400 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 UIC for the BSN Completion Program

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

Nursing Requirements to be taken through UIC	Semester Hours
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
TOTAL	30

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MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE COURSES SATISFYING THE UIC LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCE COURSE REQUIREMENTS One course from each category must be completed.

While some courses fall into more than one category, they will only count for one category.

<p><u>Understanding U.S. Society (SOC 151 recommended)</u> ECO 150: Introduction to Economics ECO 210: Economic Development Dynamics ECO 251: Microeconomics ECO 252: Macroeconomics ENG 260: American Literature to 1860 ENG 261: American Literature 1860 to Present HIS 170: United States History I HIS 171: United States History II HIS 172: United States History III PLT 150: Introduction to Political Thought PLT 151: United States Government PLT 155: State and Local Government SOC 101: Marriage and Family SOC 151: Introduction to Sociology SOC 251: Social Problems</p> <p><u>Understanding the Creative Arts</u> ART 151: Art Appreciation ART 155: Non-Western Art ART 171: Art History I ART 172: Art History II ART 173: Art History III ART 175: History of Photography ENG 240: Introduction to Shakespeare ENG 251: Introduction to Literature ENG 253: World Literature to 1650 ENG 254: World Literature 1650 to Present ENG 255: British Literature to 1800 ENG 256: British Literature 1800 to Present ENG 260: American Literature to 1860 ENG 261: American Literature 1860 to Present ENG 270: Studies in Literature ENG 271: Greek and Roman Mythology ENG 272: Non-Western Mythologies ENG 275: Women's Literature ENG 276: Asian Literature HUM 150: Humanities Through the Arts JRN 180: Introduction to Film MUS 101: Fundamentals of Music MUS 151: Music Appreciation MUS 153: Introduction of Non-Western Music MUS 154: Introduction to American Music MUS 171: Music History I MUS 172: Music History II THE 151: Introduction to Theatre</p>	<p><u>Understanding the Past</u> ANT 151: Introduction to Anthropology ANT 155: Introduction to Archaeology ENG 240: Introduction to Shakespeare ENG 270: Studies in Literature ENG 271: Greek and Roman Mythology ENG 272: Non-Western Mythologies HIS 130: Ancient Civilization (to 300CE) HIS 131: Western Civilization I (300-1500CE) HIS 132: Western Civilization II (1500CE-Present) HIS 141: Women's History HIS 165: History of Latin America HIS 170: United States History I HIS 171: United States History II HIS 172: United States History III MUS 171: Music History I MUS 172: Music History II THE 151: Introduction to Theatre</p> <p><u>Exploring World Cultures</u> ANT 151: Introduction to Anthropology ANT 155: Introduction to Archaeology ANT 260: Archaeology of the Ancient Near East ART 155: Non-Western Art ART 165: Ethnic Folk Art ENG 253: World Literature to 1650 ENG 254: World Literature 1650 to Present ENG 270: The Bible as Literature ENG 272: Non-Western Mythologies ENG 276: Asian Literature GEO 202: Geography of the Developed World GEO 203: Geography of the Developing World GEO 204: Economic Geography HIS 131: Western Civilization I (300-1500CE) HIS 165: History of Latin America PHI 160: Eastern Philosophy PHI 261: Religions of the World PLT 251: International Relations PLT 255: Comparative Government PLT 261: Modern Latin America PLT 281: Introduction to Asia MUS 153: Introduction of Non-Western Music SOC 260: Sociology of Race and Ethnicity</p>
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