

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN)

Degree Requirements

CIP:51.3801.00

Hours Required

A minimum of 120 semester credit hours (SCH) is required for either BSN or RN/BSN programs.

Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
[University Core Curriculum] (https://catalog.tamui.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/)		
Select 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation"		42
BSN Additional Requirements		
Microbiology, select from:		
BIOL 2415	Microbiology for Allied Health	4
or BIOL 2421	General Microbiology	
CHEM - select 4 SCH from the following:		
CHEM 1370	Survey of Chemistry	
& CHEM 1170	and Survey of Chemistry Lab	
CHEM 1311	General Chemistry I	
& CHEM 1111	and General Chemistry I-Lab	
MATH 1342	Introductory Statistics	3
PSYC 2314	Lifespan Growth&Development	3
BIOL 2102	Anatomy & Physiology II-Lab	1
NURS 2320	Nutrition (must also be taken before admission into either program BSN or RN/BSN)	3
NURS 2321	Pathophysiology (must also be taken before admission into either program BSN or RN/BSN)	3
BSN (after admission)		
NURS 3200	Strategies for Success	2
NURS 3410	Health Assessment	4
NURS 3613	Basic Nursing	6
NURS 3310	Pharmacology	3
NURS 3311	Cult Determ of Hlth Behave-WIN	3
NURS 3614	Adult Health Nursing I	6
NURS 3411	Childbearing&Women's Hlth Nurs	4
NURS 3412	Psych & Mental Hlth Nursing	4
NURS 4410	Child Health Nursing	4
NURS 4614	Adult Health Nursing II	6
NURS 4310	Nursing Research - WIN	3
NURS 4411	Community Nursing	4
NURS 4312	Senior Nursing Seminar	3

NURS 4513	Professional Nursing Role	5
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

Four-Year Degree Plan

Following is a suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the Program of Study Requirements (<https://catalog.tamui.edu/undergraduate-information/nursing-health-sciences/>) **and the requirements of the Dr. F. M. Canseco School of Nursing;** and must meet **writing intensive course (WIN)** requirement for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate (<https://catalog.tamui.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>). Admission into the nursing program is highly competitive and completion of prerequisites does not guarantee admission. Please refer to the **CONHS Student Handbook** for more information on admission into the program.

Freshman

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
ENGL 1301	English Composition I	3
BIOL 2301	Anatomy & Physiology I	3
BIOL 2101	Anatomy & Physiology I-Lab	1
HIST 1301	The US to 1877	3
UNIV 1201	Learn a Global Context I	2
MATH Core Course		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

ENGL 1302	English Composition II	3
BIOL 2302	Anatomy & Physiology II	3
BIOL 2102	Anatomy & Physiology II-Lab	1
UNIV 1302	Signature Course	3
CHEM - Chemistry		4
Semester Credit Hours		14

Sophomore

Fall		
PSCI 2305	American National Government	3
PSYC 2301	Intro to Psychology	3
HIST 1302	The US Since 1877	3
BIOL - Microbiology		4
Language, Philosophy & Culture		3
Semester Credit Hours		16

Spring

PSCI 2306	American State Government	3
PSYC 2314	Lifespan Growth&Development	3
MATH 1342	Introductory Statistics	3
NURS 2320	Nutrition	3
NURS 2321	Pathophysiology	3
Creative Arts		3
Semester Credit Hours		18

Junior

Fall

NURS 3200	Strategies for Success	2
NURS 3310	Pharmacology	3
NURS 3311	Cult Determ of Hlth Behave-WIN ¹	3
NURS 3410	Health Assessment	4
NURS 3613	Basic Nursing	6
Semester Credit Hours		18

Spring

NURS 3412	Psych & Mental Hlth Nursing	4
NURS 3614	Adult Health Nursing I	6
NURS 4310	Nursing Research - WIN	3
Semester Credit Hours		13

Senior

Fall

NURS 3411	Childbearing&Women's Hlth Nurs	4
NURS 4410	Child Health Nursing	4
NURS 4614	Adult Health Nursing II	6
Semester Credit Hours		14

Spring

NURS 4312	Senior Nursing Seminar	3
NURS 4411	Community Nursing	4
NURS 4513	Professional Nursing Role	5
Semester Credit Hours		12
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

* At least 1 lower level course must be designated as WIN.

¹ NURS 3311 may be taken during any semester after admission into the nursing program.

All courses required for completion of the basic Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree can be completed in four calendar years of full time study. Information on tuition, fees, and length of program can be found on the University web site. The School of Nursing is accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). The contact information for the ACEN is:

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www.acenursing.org (<http://www.tamui.edu/catalog/2015-2016/>

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*Actual degree plans may vary depending on
availability of courses in a given semester.*

Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.