The Ohio University School of Nursing RN to BSN program is designed especially for registered nurses (RNs) who want to further their education and advance their career by earning a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). We realize that nurses juggle multiple demands — career, family, and classes — and carving out time to drive to campus and sit for a lecture can be a challenge. The online RN to BSN program provides flexibility to earn a valuable degree through anytime anywhere learning.

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- Start your RN to BSN courses regardless of how many prerequisites you have completed.
- Review study materials and submit assignments online.
- Learn from distinguished professors while having the daily support of an academic coach.
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**Admission Requirements**

- Applicants must be a graduate of an approved program (or its equivalent) that prepares individuals to sit for the registered nurse licensing exam (NCLEX-RN) and be a resident of one of the Ohio University authorized states. Check undergraduate admissions website or call the School of Nursing for a list of current approved states.
- Students must have completed the equivalent of ENG 1510 to be admitted to the major. Otherwise, students will be reviewed for the pre-major.
- Combined 2.0 gpa from all prior college-level coursework.
- All official transcripts submitted to Ohio University at the time of application.

**Application Information**

Apply online [https://www.applyweb.com/ohiolife/](https://www.applyweb.com/ohiolife/) ($25 application fee due at application)

Submit all college-level transcripts to:
Undergraduate Admissions
120 Chubb Hall
1 Ohio University Drive
Athens, OH 45701

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Email general questions to transfer@ohio.edu

For more information on the partnership with Columbus State Community College, visit [www.ohio.edu/cscc](http://www.ohio.edu/cscc).
To qualify for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree, a student must have completed all Ohio University graduation requirements. You may have met many of these requirements during your previous nursing education program. Students must earn a minimum of 30 semester credit hours of Ohio University credit and complete a minimum of 50% of the nursing course requirements at Ohio University.

General Education Requirements

General education requirement courses that also satisfy RN to BSN Nursing Support Courses have been marked in GREEN.

Tier I English Composition and Quantitative Skills: 1E, 1M, and 1J (Can be completed at CSCC or OHIO)
- CSCE ENGL 1100 or OHIO ENG 1510
- CSCE STAT 1450 or OHIO MATH 2500
- Select available junior composition course (OHIO Online only)

Tier II: Complete 21 semester hours with a minimum of 2 credit hours in each of the 6 areas. (Complete at CSCC)
  - BIO 2215, 1127; CHEM 1100; ENGR 1181; NUTR 2310 or HNTR 1153; MATH 1131, 1151, 1152; SHS 2230
- 2CP: Cross-Cultural Perspectives
  - ANTH 2201, 2202; GEOG 2750; HIST 1111, 1112; SEE LIST OF APPROVED LANGUAGE OPTIONS
- 2FA: Fine Arts
  - HART 1201, 1202; MUS 1251, 1121; THEA 2280
- 2HL: Humanities & Literature
  - COMM 1105; HIST 1111, 1112; CLAS 1222; LATN 1101, 1130, 2270
- 2NS: Natural Sciences
  - ANTH 2200; ASTR 1161; BIO 1111, 1112, 1121, 1122, 1113, 1114; CHEM 1111, 1112, 1171, 1172; GEOL 1105, 1121; PHYS 1200, 1201, 1250, 1251
- 2SS: Social Sciences
  - BGMT 1111; COMM 2220; ECON 2200, 2201; HIST 1151, 1152; SAHS 1111; POLS 1100, 1200; PSY 1100, 2340; SOC 1101, 2202

Tier III: Included in Nursing coursework (Complete at OHIO)
- NRSE 4600

Nursing Support Courses

Complete 10 courses. Courses completed through CSCC or OHIO online.

- Writing and Rhetoric I (CSCC ENGL 1100 or OHIO ENG 1510)
- Elementary Statistics (CSCC STAT 1450 or OHIO MATH 2500 or PSY 1110)
- Elementary Microbiology (CSCC BIO 2215 or OHIO BIOS 2010)*
- Introduction to Nutrition (CSCC NUTR 2310 or HNTR 1153 or OHIO NUTR 1000)
- Introduction to Psychology (CSCC PSY 1100 or PSY 1010)
- Introduction to Sociology (CSCC SOC 1101 or OHIO SOC 1000)
- Introduction to Child Development or Child and Adolescent Psychology (CSCC PSY 2340 or OHIO EDEC 1600 or PSY 2410)
- Principles of Anatomy and Physiology I (CSCC BIO 1121 or OHIO BIOS 1301) OR
- Principles of Anatomy and Physiology II (CSCC BIO 1122 or OHIO BIOS 1310)
- Principles of Chemistry I (CSCC CHEM 1111 or OHIO CHEM 1210)

*Please refer to academic advisor to complete course requirement

Nursing Major Requirements

Complete online through OHIO

- NRSE 4510 - Professional Nursing Practice
- NRSE 4520 - Health Assessment and Promotion
- NRSE 4530 - Family Nursing
- NRSE 4540 - Community Health Nursing
- NRSE 4550 - Evidence-Based Nursing Practice
- NRSE 4560 - Gerontologic Nursing Care
- NRSE 4570 - Diversity
- NRSE 4580 - Leadership in Nursing
- NRSE 4600 - Nursing Excellence

*Lower level nursing courses will be transferred from state approved pre-licensure programs

The information on this guide is based off of the catalog requirements posted in the 2017-2018 Ohio University catalog and related CSCC equivalents as of the Last Updated date. All information is subject to change without notice. Students are responsible for tracking their degree completion on their DARS and are encouraged to work with an Ohio University academic advisor in their degree planning. Courses are subject to availability at each institution.

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