



NURSING

Traditional Baccalaureate

Ila Faye Miller School of Nursing & Health Professions

Program Overview

The baccalaureate nursing program prepares a graduate who is a beginning generalist in the practice of professional nursing. The UIW traditional baccalaureate graduate is qualified to take a national exam to be licensed as a Registered Nurse (RN). Graduates are also prepared to pursue advanced education in specialized nursing fields. For nearly a century, UIW's nursing program has been a regional leader for nursing excellence and education.

Career Opportunities

A career in nursing offers a multitude of opportunities to care for others and to serve the public. The supply of nurses today cannot meet the demand. Because of this, nursing graduates can expect to work immediately in a professional practice setting, often with greater benefits and salaries than ever before. Settings for practice continue to expand beyond the familiar ones of clinics, hospitals and schools. UIW nursing graduates are also employed in the military, public services, corporate wellness programs, and home care settings.

Coursework

Traditional BSN students complete approximately three semesters of foundational prerequisite courses followed by five semesters of nursing coursework. Throughout the program, students develop skills in clinical reasoning, communication, interprofessional teamwork, and the promotion of safety and quality in health care.

Special Programs: Direct Admission to Nursing

The direct admission option is available to qualified first time freshman applicants with outstanding high school academic records. For more information, see the nursing school website or contact Mrs. Lee Ann Waltz: waltz@uiwtx.edu or 210-832-2191.

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Website

Individuals interested in graduate nursing education should visit www.uiw.edu/nursing/msn-program/index.html and <http://www.uiw.edu/dnp/index.html>

Registered nurses who are interested in the RN to BSN option should visit www.uiw.edu/nursing/rnbsnmsn/index.html

Students interested in direct admit options should visit http://uiw.edu/nursing/direct_admit/index.html

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
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2015-2017

| Freshman Year: Fall | | Hrs. |
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| ENGL 1311 or 1311L Composition 1 | | 3 |
| DWHP 1200 or DWHP 3200 Dimensions of Wellness | | 2 |
| CHEM 1320 Biological Chemistry | | 3 |
| CHEM 1120 Biological Chemistry Lab | | 1 |
| BIOL 2321 Anatomy & Physiology I | | 3 |
| BIOL 2121 Anatomy & Physiology I Lab | | 1 |
| NURS 2199 Seminar for Health Professions | | 1 |
| PHIL 1381 Introduction to Philosophy | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 17 |
| Sophomore Year: Fall | | |
| BIOL 2474 Introduction to Microbiology & Lab | | 4 |
| PSYC 2356 Lifespan Development | | 3 |
| MATH 2303 Introduction to Probability & Statistics | | 3 |
| COMM 1311 Public Speaking | | 3 |
| History Course 1311, 1312, 1321, or 1322 | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 16 |
| Junior Year: Fall | | |
| NURS 3515 Nursing of Children & Families | | 5 |
| NURS 3510 Nursing of Adults I | | 5 |
| NURS 3333 Research in Nursing | | 3 |
| Modern Language II | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 16 |
| Senior Year: Fall | | |
| NURS 4551 Critical Care Nursing | | 5 |
| NURS 4531 Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing | | 5 |
| NURS 4221 Issues in Nursing | | 2 |
| RELS/PHIL 3000 or 4000 Level Course | | 3 |
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| Total hours | | 15 |

| Freshman Year: Spring | | Hrs. |
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| ENGL 1312 Composition II | | 3 |
| PSYC 1301 Introduction to Psychology | | 3 |
| BIOL 2322 Anatomy & Physiology II | | 3 |
| BIOL 2122 Anatomy & Physiology II Lab | | 1 |
| NUTR 2341 Introduction to Nutrition | | 3 |
| RELS 1305, 1315, 1325, or 1335 | | 3 |
| PEHP Activity | | 1 |
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| Total hours | | 17 |
| Sophomore Year: Spring | | |
| NURS 2310 Integrated Health Science | | 3 |
| NURS 2420 Patient Care Technologies | | 4 |
| NURS 2213 Basic Health Assessment | | 2 |
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| NURS 2312 Nursing and Health | | 3 |
| Modern Language I | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 15 |
| Junior Year: Spring | | |
| NURS 3341 Health Promotion & Disease Prevention | | 3 |
| NURS 3520 Nursing of Adults II | | 5 |
| NURS 4541 Nursing of Childbearing Families | | 5 |
| ENGL 2310 World Literature Studies | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 16 |
| Senior Year: Spring | | |
| NURS 4288 Nursing Internship | | 2 |
| NURS 4562 Community Health Nursing | | 5 |
| NURS 4532 Nursing Leadership & Management | | 5 |
| NURS 4182 Senior Seminar | | 1 |
| Fine Arts Core | | 3 |
| Total hours | | 16 |

Core Curriculum - Total Hours 43
Major - Total Hours 85
Degree - Total Hours 128