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BEST ONLINE MASTER'S IN NURSING PROGRAM

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BEST UNDERGRADUATE (BSN) NURSING PROGRAMS

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**BEST GRADUATE PROGRAMS, DNP** 

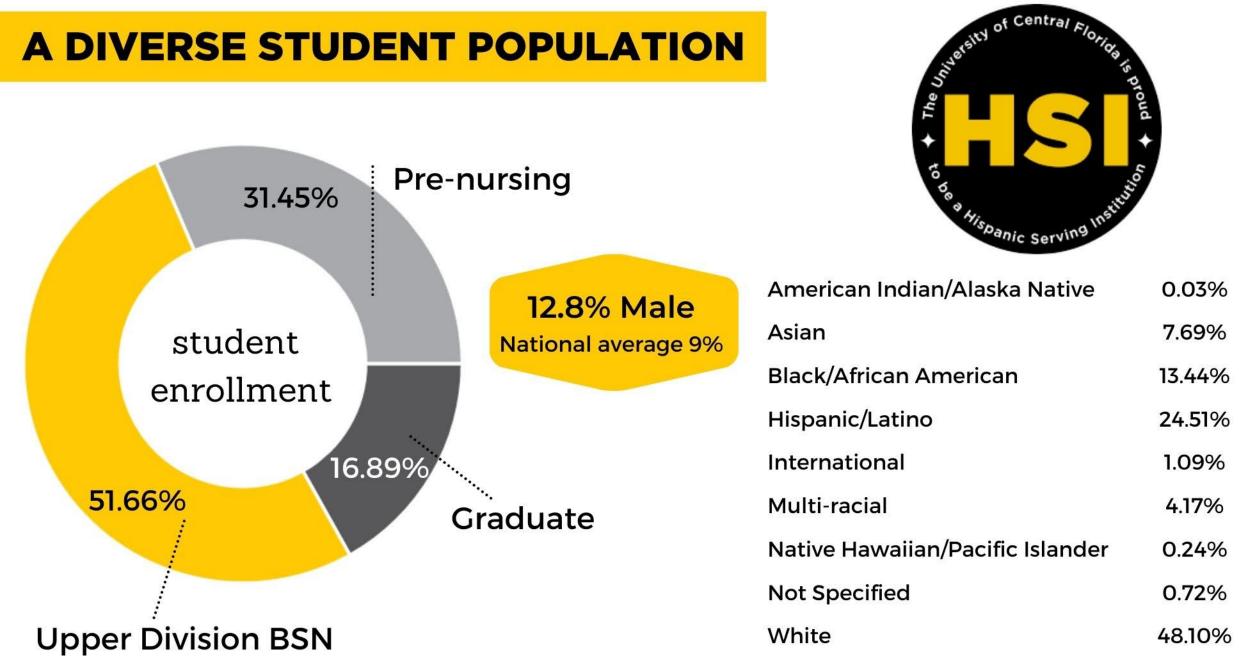
## **EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND SERVICE.**

OUR MISSION: TO PREPARE NURSE LEADERS AND PATIENT ADVOCATES THROUGH



## values of a KNIGHT NURSE





## **QUICK FACTS**

## **2,721** TOTAL STUDENTS FALL 2022

College of Nursing

## 15,473 DEGREES AWARDED SINCE 1981

**30,000** HOURS OF SERVICE IN 17 UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES





## preparing nurse leaders to meet NATIONAL DEMAND



# UCF educates the MOST newly licensed RNs in the State University System

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### **EXCELLENCE IN SIMULATION AND TECHNOLOGY**



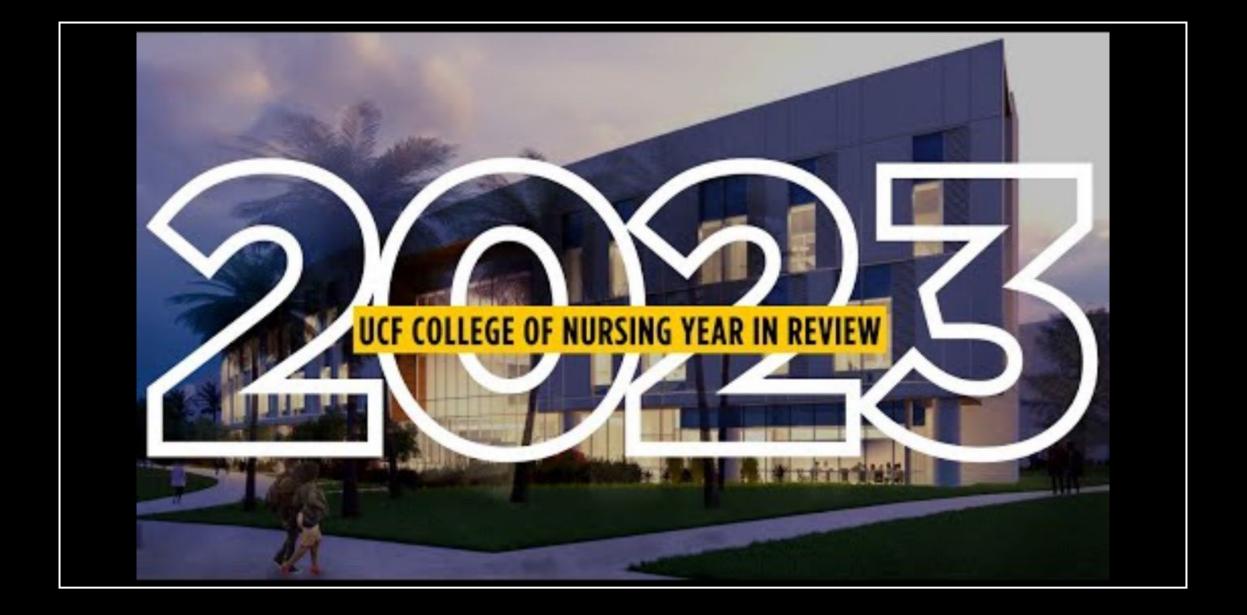
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## **INFORMATION SESSION**

COLLEGE OF NURSING

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA





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## MEET THE UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC SUCCESS COACH TEAM

#### Advising + Coaching!

- Assigned to each student
- Ongoing relationship, from start to finish

#### PURPOSE

To ensure that you have both the academic information and the holistic support that you need to become an empowered decision-maker and agent of your own success!

#### EXPECTATIONS

- Attend your scheduled appointments. Your coach will schedule routine meetings with you - not optional.
- Answer your coach's phone calls and return your coach's emails



## COLLEGE OF NURSING

#### LOCATION

University Tower-3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Research Park Phone: 407-823-2744 Email: <u>UCFNurse@ucf.edu</u> Website: nursing.ucf.edu

#### SHUTTLE TO COLLEGE OF NURSING

Bus 9: Physical Science Bldg. Stop 5: University Tower, Central Florida Research Park



#### PARKING PASS IS REQUIRED



# **BUILDING** THE FUTURE OF NURSING

UCF COLLEGE OF NURSING'S NEW HOME AT THE UCF ACADEMIC HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER AT LAKE NONA will amplify a Knight nurse workforce to address the national nursing shortage and foster innovation to solve healthcare's most challenging problems. Together we will forge the future of 21st century healthcare that will positively impact lives in Central Florida and around the world.

## **OPENING IN FALL 2025\***

## **TYPES OF NURSING EDUCATION & DEGREES**



- Diploma or Certificate
   Program
- Offered through a hospital of private college.



<mark>ASN</mark>

- Associate of Science in Nursing degree
- Offered at State
   Colleges or Community
   Colleges



**BSN** 

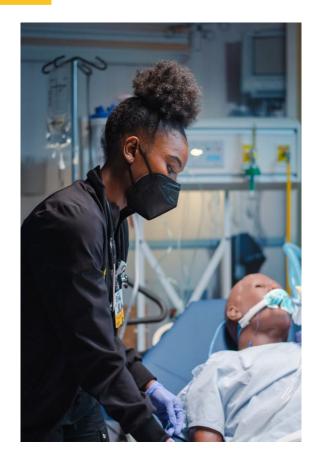
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree
- Offered at State
   Universities



RN-BSN

- Completion program for currently licensed
   Registered Nurses (RNs)
- Offered at State Colleges or Community Colleges
- Offered at State
   Universities

## **BSN DEGREE** & RN LICENSE



### NURSING DEGREE

- ASN and BSN are degrees that a student earns.
- ✓ General BSN Curriculum
- Preparation for licensure as an RN.
- Specializations: After graduation/RN license or may require graduate coursework after you earn the BSN.





## **RN LICENSE**

- RN is the license a student earns, after passing the NCLEX exam.
- NCLEX is a national exam administered by individual states.

### NCLEX-RN PASS RATES BSN PROGRAMS 2023:

National - 82.32% Florida - 77.3%

## UCF NCLEX RATES

97%

### LIMITED ACCESS MAJOR

#### WHAT DOES A LIMITED

ACCESS PROGRAM MEAN Students must apply to a BSN program, and be accepted into the program, in order to take

nursing courses.

## STUDENTS MAJOR WHEN ENTERING UCF

#### **NURSING PENDING**

When applying to a pre-licensure program

ECOND DEGREE

C CONCURREN

TRADITIONAL

VC CONCURRENT

#### AS NURSING PENDING When applying to Statewide

Concurrent program

#### **RN NURSING PENDING**

When applying to a post-licensure program



Must have an active RN License

## FLORIDA COLLEGE

#### SYSTEM CONCURRENT

Must have completed 1 semester of an ASN program within the Florida College System

University of Central Florida

## **BSN PROGRAM OPTIONS**

### **UCF BSN PROGRAM OPTIONS**

| PROGRAM                      | APPLICAT    |                   | E FRAMES     | SPECIAL CONDITIONS                   | NUMBER OF<br>SEMESTERS | NUMB<br>STUD |        |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------|--------|
|                              | Summer      | Fall              | Spring       |                                      |                        |              |        |
| 2 <sup>ND</sup> DEGREE BSN   | Jan. 1 -    | -                 | -            | Must have a Bachelor's Degree        | 4                      | 75           | 5      |
| (ORLANDO)                    | Jan. 15     |                   |              |                                      |                        |              |        |
| TRADITIONAL BSN              | -           | Feb. 1-           | Aug. 15-     | In Orlando                           | 5                      | 130          | 75     |
| (ORLANDO)                    |             | Feb. 15           | Aug. 31      |                                      |                        |              |        |
| TRADITIONAL BSN              | -           | Feb. 1-           | -            | In Daytona                           | 5                      | 50           | C      |
| (DAYTONA)                    |             | Feb. 15           |              |                                      |                        |              |        |
| <b>TRADITIONAL BSN</b>       | -           | Feb. 1-           | -            | In Cocoa                             | 5                      | 54           | 4      |
| (COCOA)                      |             | Feb. 15           |              |                                      |                        |              |        |
| <b>CONCURRENT ASN TO BSN</b> | Jan.        | May               | Aug.         | At Seminole State -Altamonte Springs | 6                      | 30           | 5      |
| (SEMINOLE STATE)             | TBD         | TBD               | TBD          |                                      |                        |              |        |
| CONCURRENT ASN TO BSN        | -           | May 1 –           | Sept.1-      | At Valencia Campus                   | 6                      | Up to        | o 40   |
| (VALENCIA)                   |             | May 15            | Sept.15      |                                      |                        |              |        |
| FLORIDA COLLEGE SYSTEM       | Mar. 1-     | July 1-           | Nov. 1-      | Must have completed 1st semester of  | Variable               | All qua      | lified |
| STATEWIDE CONCURRENT         | Mar. 15     | July 15           | Nov. 15      | ASN from a Florida College System    |                        | applic       | ants   |
| (ONLINE UCF COURSES)         |             |                   |              | institution                          |                        | admi         | tted   |
| RN TO BSN                    | Ongoing A   | dmissions E       | ach Term –   | Must have an RN License              | Variable               | All qua      | lified |
| (ONLINE POST-LICENSURE)      | Must be adn | nitted to UC      | CF and email |                                      |                        | applic       | ants   |
|                              |             | <b>RN License</b> |              |                                      |                        | admi         | tted   |



## CONCURRENT BSN QUICK FACTS

#### What is a Concurrent program?

- ✓ It is a partnership between UCF and Seminole State or Valencia. You are completing your nursing education through UCF and the partner college at the same time.
  - 1. You will earn an **ASN** degree from Seminole or Valencia, while completing UCF's BSN coursework at same time.
  - 2. You take the **NCLEX** (licensing exam) upon earning the ASN degree, in order to obtain your **RN license**.
  - 3. You will graduate with your **BSN** degree from UCF, earning <u>both degrees</u> in just **6** semesters.

#### Am I a UCF student the entire time?

YES! You are a student at both colleges (UCF and the partner college) until the ASN degree is earned. You are a UCF student throughout the entire program.

#### How do I apply to a Concurrent program?

- You must meet the application criteria for **UCF and the Concurrent College** in order to apply and be considered for admission.
- You submit a total of 4 applications: one to each college (2), and one to each nursing program (2).

## **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

### **REQUIRED NURSING PREREQUISITE COURES**

#### SCIENCE PREREQUISITES

- **ZOO 3733C** Human Anatomy (4)
- PCB 3703C Human Physiology (4)
- MCB 2004C Microbiology (4)
- CHM 1032 General Chemistry (3)

Preferred or 4<sup>th</sup> Science with BSC, PCB, CHM or PHY Prefix

### OTHER PREREQUISITES

- **PSY 2012** General Psychology(3)
- **DEP 2004** Developmental Psychology(3)
- HUN 3011 Human Nutrition (3)
- STA 2023 Statistical Methods (3) or
   STA 2014C Principles of Statistics (3)

## **TEST OF ESSENTIAL ACADEMIC SKILLS (TEAS®)**



 ATI TEAS 7<sup>®</sup>
 4 SECTIONS (170 QUESTIONS) Reading Mathematics Science English and Language Usage
 Minimum score of 78.0 for Trad



- Minimum score of 78.0 for Traditional BSN, Second Degree BSN and Concurrent SSC and VC ASN-BSN. Maximum score is 100.
- Can be taken **THREE** times within a calendar year with at least 30 days between attempts. \**Check Valencia & SSC's retest policy!*
- Can be taken at any ATI approved Testing Center. You must submit an official score sheet from ATI to the College of Nursing.
- WAYS TO PREPARE: ATI study guides, practice tests, online prep course; <u>UCF</u> <u>Continuing Education TEAS Prep Course</u>
- **NEW EDITION**: TEAS 7 begins June 3, 2022. The UCF College of Nursing will accept TEAS 6 scores through July 1, 2023.
- **COST:** \$115 (includes ATI Testing Fee \$75 and UCF Testing Center Fee \$40)

## TRADITIONAL BSN SECOND DEGREE BSN

✓ 3.0 CUMULATIVE GPA

✓ 78 TEAS

### ✓ 7 OUT OF 8 PREREQUISITES COMPLETED

✓ ADMITTED TO UCF

#### ✓ CLEAN BACKGROUND CHECK\*

(submitted within 1 week of conditional admission)



### **ADMISSION STATISTICS: SECOND DEGREE BSN**

|                                 | Summer 20      | 024 Second | Degree BSN        |                       |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Total Applicants                |                | 209        |                   |                       |  |  |  |
| Total Invited                   |                | 85         |                   |                       |  |  |  |
|                                 | Overall<br>GPA | TEAS       | Science<br>Nur PR | Non-Science<br>Nur PR |  |  |  |
| Admitted<br>Student<br>Averages | 3.65           | 87.2       | 3.88              | 3.88                  |  |  |  |
| Admitted<br>Student<br>Ranges   | 4.0-3.0        | 98 – 78    | 4.0 - 3.23        | 4.0 – 3.0             |  |  |  |

### **ADMISSION STATISTICS: TRADITIONAL BSN**

|                       | Fall 2     | 024 Traditior | nal BSN    |             |  |  |  |
|-----------------------|------------|---------------|------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| Total Applicants (all |            | 418           |            |             |  |  |  |
| campuses)             |            |               |            |             |  |  |  |
| <b>Total Invited</b>  |            |               | 140        |             |  |  |  |
|                       | Overall    | TEAS          | Science    | Non-Science |  |  |  |
|                       | GPA        | Score         | Nur PR     | Nur PR      |  |  |  |
| Admitted              | 3.79       | 88.06         | 3.79       | 3.89        |  |  |  |
| Student               |            |               |            |             |  |  |  |
| Averages              |            |               |            |             |  |  |  |
| Admitted              | 4.0 - 3.27 | 98– 79.3      | 4.0 - 2.63 | 4.0 – 3.25  |  |  |  |
| Student               |            |               |            |             |  |  |  |
| Ranges                |            |               |            |             |  |  |  |

## **CONCURRENT** SEMINOLE STATE

✓ 3.0 CUMULATIVE GPA

🗸 78 TEAS

✓ 11 OUT OF 12 PREREQUISITES COMPLETED

✓ ADMITTED TO UCF

✓ ADMITTED TO SSC

ADDITIONAL SSC

### REQUIREMENTS

PSY 2012 Mandatory

Nutrition **MUST** include diet therapy -HUN 3011 -HUN 2202 -HUN 2201 + HUN 2015

ENC 1101 English Composition I
BSC 2010C General Biology I
MAC 1105 College Algebra
POS 2041 or AMH 2020 Civic Literacy
HUMANATIES CORE COURSE

HELPFUL SSC TIPS HAVING ALL PREREQUSITES COMPLETED MAKES YOU MORE **COMPETITIVE** MEET WITH YOUR ASSIGNED SSC ADVISOR TO MAKE SURE YOU ARE MEETING SSC REQUIREMENTS

## **CONCURRENT** VALENCIA COLLEGE

✓ 3.0 CUMULATIVE GPA

✓ 78 TEAS

✓ 11 OUT OF 12 PREREQUISITES COMPLETED

✓ ADMITTED TO UCF

✓ ADMITTED TO VALENCIA

ADDITIONAL VALENCIA

REQUIREMENTS

PSY 2012 Mandatory

Nutrition **MUST** include diet therapy -HUN 3011 -HUN 2202 -HUN 2201 + HUN 2015

ENC 1101 English Composition I
BSC 2010C General Biology I
MAC 1105 or MGF 1106 College Math
POS 2041 or AMH 2020 Civic Literacy
HUMANATIES CORE COURSE

HELPFUL VALENCIA TIPS ONLY STA 2023 OR BSC 2094 CAN BE IN **PROGRESS WHEN APPLYING** Course substitution or equivalency must be on your Valencia record before submitting your program application or your application will be void. MEET WITH YOUR ASSIGNED VALENCIA ADVISOR TO MAKE SURE YOU ARE MEETING VALENICA REQUIREMENTS

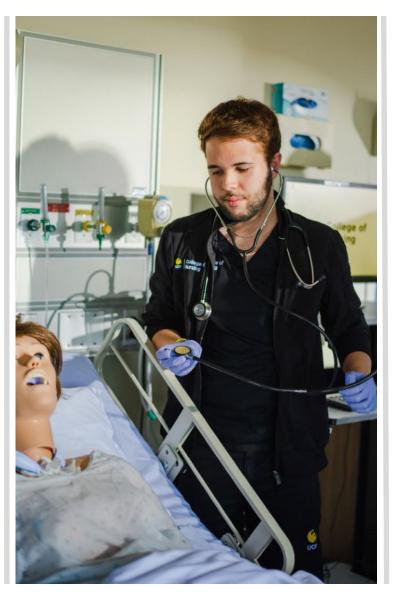
### **ADMISSION STATISTICS: CONCURRENT**

| Fall 2024 Se                 | eminole        | State/L       | JCF Conc   | urrent             | Fall 20                         | )24 Valen      | cia/UCF       | Concurr    | ent                |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------|------------|--------------------|
| Total Applicants             |                |               | 69         |                    | <b>Total Applicant</b>          | S              |               | 63         |                    |
| Total Invited                |                |               | 36         |                    | Total Invited                   |                |               | 40         |                    |
|                              | Overall<br>GPA | TEAS<br>Score | Science PR | Non-<br>Science PR |                                 | Overall<br>GPA | TEAS<br>Score | Science PR | Non-<br>Science PR |
| Admitted<br>Student Averages | 3.39           | 84.8          | 3.19       | 3.54               | Admitted<br>Student<br>Averages | 3.49           | 82.8          | 3.33       | 3.58               |
| Admitted<br>Student Ranges   | 3.87 – 3.0     | 94.7 - 78     | 4.0 - 2.0  | 4.0 – 2.5          | Admitted<br>Student<br>Ranges   | 4.0 - 3.0      | 89.3-78       | 4.0 – 2.5  | 4.0 – 2.5          |

## FLORIDA COLLEGE SYSTEM: STATEWIDE CONCURRENT

✓ 3.0 CUMULATIVE GPA

- ✓ 8 PREREQUISITES COMPLETED
- ✓ COMPLETED 1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER IN A FLORIDA COLLEGE SYSTEM ASN PROGAM
- ✓ ADMITTED TO UCF
- ✓ NO MORE THAN 3
   OUTSTANDING GEP, GORDON
   RULE, STATE CORE, FOREIGN
   LANGUAGE COURSES



Benefits of the Statewide Concurrent Program

- Fully online program with UCF Connect (30 credits)
- No TEAS required
- **Reduced** Tuition & Fees
- Start taking BSN courses as soon as the 3rd semester of your ASN program

### RN TO BSN

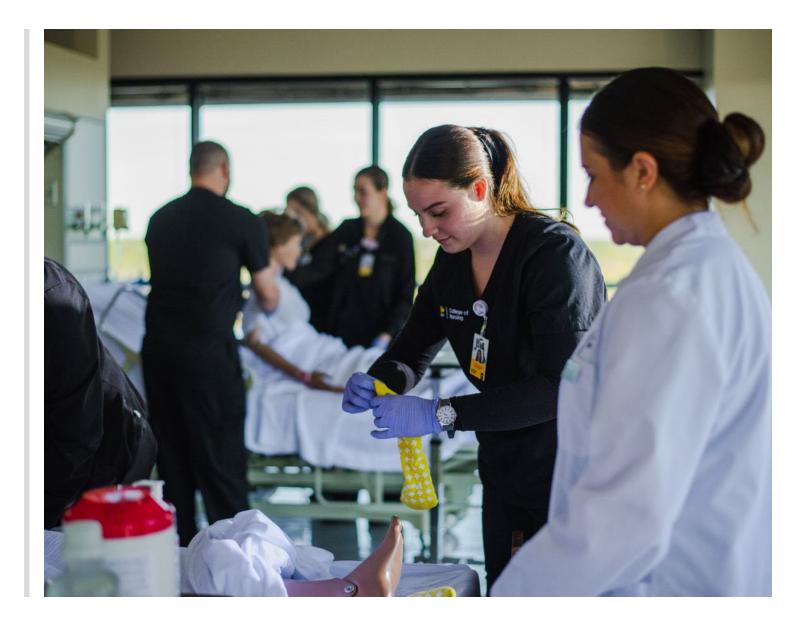
✓ 2.8 CUMULATIVE GPA

#### ✓ RN LICENSE

### ✓ 7 OUT OF 8 PREREQUISITES COMPLETED

#### ✓ ADMITTED TO UCF

✓ NO MORE THAN 3
 OUTSTANDING GEP, GORDON
 RULE, STATE CORE, FOREIGN
 LANGUAGE COURSES



## **APPLICATION PROCESS**

## **APPLY TO UCF**

## STEP 1: UCF APPLICATION

- New students apply through Undergraduate Admissions at least 3 months prior to Nursing Application Deadline.
- Current UCF students do not need to apply to UCF.
- Former UCF students apply through the Registrar's Office (myUCF or paper readmission application) two to three weeks prior to the nursing application deadline.
- When applying or reapplying, please ensure that you are applying for the semester in which the BSN program begins. If you are applying or reapplying to an earlier semester, you will be expected to enroll.



## REVIEW YOUR MYKNIGHT AUDIT

#### I. General Education Requirements:

# ✓ GEP, State Core, and Gordon Rule II. State of Florida and University Requirements:

 ✓ GPA, Civic Literacy, Summer Enrollment, Foreign Language, Upper Division Courses (will be met with BSN)

#### III. Pending Requirements: Nursing BSN

**Prerequisite Courses**—CPP (Common Program Prerequisites) Science Prerequisite GPA & Other Prerequisites ; Must reflect 7 completed prerequisites with letter grades or "S" for test credit, and they must be listed in the correct prerequisite category.

**Overall GPA**—includes all attempted college courses



| All Academic Majors/Minors |                  |             |
|----------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| College                    | Plan Description | Cat Yr/Term |
| College of Nursing         | Nursing Pending  | Summer 2023 |



Status: At Least One Declared Program Not Satisfied

\*\*\*\*EXPAND FOR LEGEND AND DISCLAIMER\*\*\*\*(RG4796)

▶ I. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (RG4797)

▶ II. STATE OF FLORIDA AND UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS (RG4800)

III. COLLEGE PROGRAM PREREQUISITES - NURSING (RG4860)

IV. PENDING REQUIREMENTS: NURSING BSN (RG4942)

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### Remember to send test credit scores & final transcripts prior to the application deadline.

University of Central Florida





#### ▼ III. PENDING REQUIREMENTS: NURSING BSN (RG4942)

Not Satisfied: Nursing Pending Requirements

A. CPP: NURSING MAJOR SCIENCE PREREQUISITES (RQ1814)

Satisfied: A "C" grade or better is required in each course.

GPA: 0.000 required, 4.000 actual

▽ (OR) 1b. Anatomy/Physiology I & Anatomy/Physiology II (RQ1814;LN30)

Satisfied: Take the following courses

| The follow | ing courses wer | e used | to satisfy this | requir | ement  | :              |
|------------|-----------------|--------|-----------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| Course     | Description     | Units  | When            | Grade  | Status | Туре           |
| BSC2085C   | ANAT/PHYSIOL I  | 4.00   | Fall 2014       | А      | •      | BSC 2085C      |
| BSC2086C   | AN & PHY II     | 4.00   | Spring 2015     | А      |        | BSC 2086C      |
|            |                 |        | View All        | 2      | First  | 1-2 of 2 🕨 Las |

#### ▼ 3. Microbiology for Health (RQ1999;LN10)

Not Satisfied: Take 1 of the following courses

• Units: 4.00 required, 0.00 taken, 4.00 needed

| Course   | Description                          | Units | When    | Grade | Status | Туре            |
|----------|--------------------------------------|-------|---------|-------|--------|-----------------|
| MCB2004C | MICROBIO FOR<br>HEALTH<br>PROFESSION | 4.00  |         |       |        |                 |
| MCB3020C | GENERAL<br>MICROBIOLOGY              | 5.00  |         |       |        |                 |
| MCB3020C | HONORS GENERAL<br>MICROBIOLOGY       | 5.00  |         |       |        |                 |
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#### C. OVERALL GPA FOR ADMISSION TO NURSING (RQ1923)

Satisfied: Minimum 3.0 Overall GPA required for Admission to Nursing.

▼ 1. Overall GPA for Admission to Nursing Min 3.0 (RQ1923;LN10)

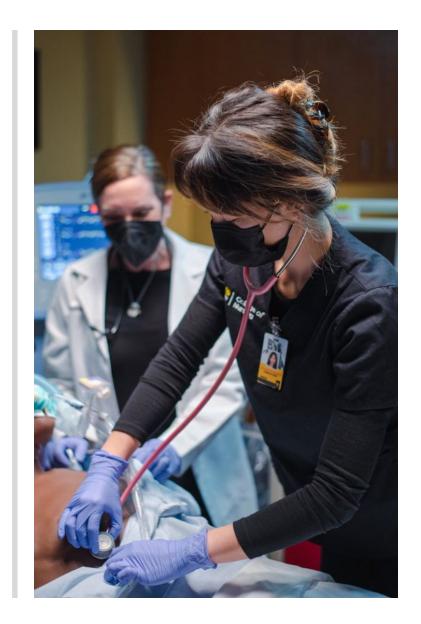
Satisfied: A Minimum 3.0 GPA is required for Admission to Nursing

GPA: 3.000 required, 3.599 actual

| Course   | Description                         | Units | When        | Grade | Status | Туре              |
|----------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------------|-------|--------|-------------------|
| DEP2004C | HUM GROWTH/DEV                      | 3.00  | Spring 2014 | A     | •      | DEP 2004          |
| ENC1101  | COMPOSITION I                       | 3.00  | Spring 2014 | А     |        | ENC 1101          |
| ENC1102  | ENGLISH COMP II                     | 3.00  | Spring 2014 | А     | •      | ENC 1102          |
| PSY2012  | GEN PSYCHOLOGY                      | 3.00  | Spring 2014 | A     | •      | PSY 1012          |
| AMH2010  | <u>US HIST</u><br>1492-1865         | 3.00  | Fall 2014   | в     | •      | AMH 2010          |
| BSC2085C | ANAT/PHYSIOL I                      | 4.00  | Fall 2014   | A     | •      | BSC 2085C         |
| AMH2020  | U S HIS TO PRES                     | 3.00  | Spring 2015 | A     | •      | AMH 2020          |
| BSC2086C | AN & PHY II                         | 4.00  | Spring 2015 | А     | •      | BSC 2086C         |
| MAC1105C | COLL ALG                            | 3.00  | Spring 2015 | A     | •      | MAC 1105          |
| COM1000  | INTRODUCTION<br>TO<br>COMMUNICATION | 3.00  | Summer 2015 | A     | ø      | EN                |
|          |                                     |       | View All    | Z     | First  | 1-10 of 18 🕨 Last |

### **TRANSFER CREDIT EVALUATION**

- If any GEP courses or Nursing Prerequisites were taken out of state, at a private college, or are not appearing to satisfy a requirement on your myKnight degree audit, you must submit a Transfer Credit Petition and syllabus to the college offering the course.
  - Courses and colleges can be found in the UCF Undergraduate catalog: <u>www.ucf.edu/catalog</u>
- Students admitted to UCF on 9/9/21 or later will have the opportunity to submit a syllabus for review within 3 weeks of acceptance to UCF.
  - You can view transfer equivalencies by logging into your myUCF account > Student Center> dropdown menu → Transfer Evaluation.
  - Contact a nursing coach if you have questions about any incoming credit.



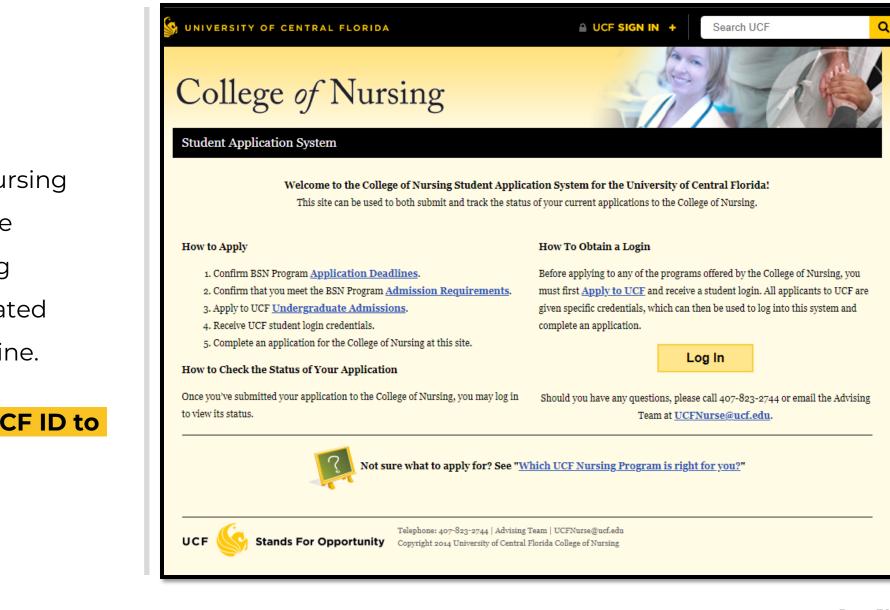
## **APPLY TO COLLEGE OF NURSING**

### **STEP 2: SUBMIT BSN APPLICATION**

 Complete UCF Nursing Application via the College of Nursing website by the stated application deadline.

#### You must have a UCF ID to

log in.



#### HISTORY

#### ○Yes ○No Have you ever attended another nursing program?

Note: If you are unsure whether you should answer yes, we strongly suggest that you answer YES and fully disclose all nursing programs attended. By doing so, you can avoid any risk of disciplinary action or revocation of an offer of admission.

#### EDUCATION

#### **Pre-Requisites**

- A plan of completion for nursing prerequisites is included below. Please list 7 prerequisite courses already completed.
- In order for your application to be reviewed, 7 prerequisites must be completed.

| Pre-Requisite Course: (Please Select)                                                                                                       | 1                                           |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--|
| Taken at UCF Pre 4th Science (Course must begin with BCH, BSC, CHM, PHY or PCB).                                                            | 0 Credits: V                                |  |
| College/University Take Human Nutrition                                                                                                     | Grade: Add                                  |  |
| Microbiology                                                                                                                                |                                             |  |
| Physiology or APII                                                                                                                          |                                             |  |
| Colleges & Universities Psychology or Sociology                                                                                             |                                             |  |
| List all colleges and/or u Statistical Methods                                                                                              |                                             |  |
| College/University: Lab to be used with a science prerequisite if an individual lab component was taken.                                    |                                             |  |
| Start Term:  V End/Anticipated End Term:  V Degree:                                                                                         | Date Earned: Add                            |  |
| College of Musica Application Developments                                                                                                  |                                             |  |
| College of Nursing Application Requirements                                                                                                 |                                             |  |
| ○Yes ○No [R] I will have an AA or Bachelor's Degree from a Florida public college or university by th                                       | e program start date.                       |  |
| O Yes O No [R] I will have completed general education requirements at a community college or university within the Florida state system by |                                             |  |
| the program start date. AA or Bachelor's degree recipients from a Florida public college o                                                  | r university should check yes. Out-of-state |  |
| students must satisfy these requirements for UCF.                                                                                           |                                             |  |
| OYes ONo [R] I will have met the UCF admissions foreign language requirement by the program start date.                                     |                                             |  |
| Oyes ONo [R] I will have met the UCF admissions foreign language requirement by the program star                                            | t date.                                     |  |

[R] Composite TEAS score (submit official TEAS score from ATI to UCF College of Nursing if taken outside of UCF):

[R] Overall Cumulative GPA:

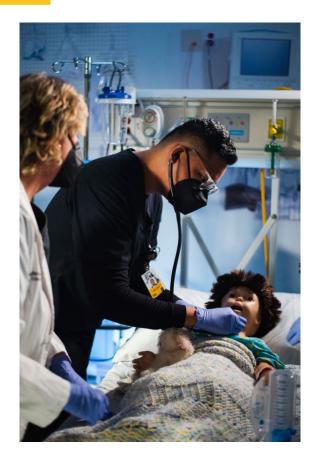
Note: A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 as calculated by UCF is required to be considered for admission to the College of Nursing. Nursing is a limited-access program. This minimum GPA does not guarantee your admission to the Nursing Program.

# Students applying to the Concurrent SSC and/or VC program must also complete a nursing application for partner college.

### COMPLETE ONLINE BSN APPLICATION

- Expect to spend 30-45 minutes
- Have all transcripts and test scores with you.
- No edits once you submit the application.

### SUBMIT ALL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS



### **PRE-LICENSURE**

- TEAS Scores
- Transcripts from all schools attended including AP/IB/CLEP/AICE test credit
- Background Check\*
   \*Required AFTER conditional admission
- Students applying to the Concurrent SSC and/or VC
   program must also submit all application requirements to
   partner college.

### **POST-LICENSURE**

- RN license
- Transcripts from all schools attended including AP/IB/CLEP/AICE test credit

#### All items must be received PRIOR to the application deadline.

## WAIT FOR DECISIONS

### **DECISION NOTIFICATION**

Within **6-8 weeks of the application deadline**, all applicants will receive notification of their status via email. Check email regularly for updates!

- I. Conditional Admission
- II. Waitlist
- **III. Denied**

#### WHAT IS THE WAITLIST?

- A portion of students are placed on the waitlist every application cycle.
- The student could be moved from waitlist and given a spot in the program up until 2 weeks before the program begins.
- Once the program begins, the waitlist goes away.
- Students not admitted from the waitlist must submit a new nursing application for the upcoming term to be considered.



### **REQUIREMENTS AFTER CONDITIONAL ADMISSION**

#### **Background Check and Fingerprints**

Students will not be admitted if they cannot pass a Level 2 background check per Florida Statute 435
 <a href="http://www.flsenate.gov/Laws/Statutes/2012/435.04">http://www.flsenate.gov/Laws/Statutes/2012/435.04</a>

#### Medical Document Tracker

- College of Nursing Health Form
- Immunizations, TB/PPD Test, Physical, Drug Screening
- Student must be physically and mentally capable of performing the duties of a nurse.

#### Health Insurance

• You must provide your own insurance each semester in the program. UCF offers Student Health Insurance.

#### **CPR** Certification

• Required course is by the American Heart Association—course for Health Professionals.

#### Drug Screening

- 14 panel exhaustive screening process-checks for all narcotics, including prescription medications and alcohol
- Both the College of Nursing and our affiliates require that all students submit a "negative" result for drug screening.

## Concurrent Seminole and Valencia students will complete these requirements through the partner college

### FINAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

### (DUE PRIOR TO PROGRAM START DATE)

| Traditional BSN<br>Second Degree BSN<br>Concurrent VC & SSC | Florida College System<br>Statewide Concurrent: AS to<br>BSN                                             | RN to BSN                                                                                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Complete UCF GEP or AA from<br>Florida Public Institution   | May have 3 outstanding GEP or<br>language courses, but all must be<br>completed before taking 4000 level | May have 3 outstanding<br>GEP or language courses,<br>but all must be completed<br>before taking 4000 level |
| Complete Foreign Language<br>Requirement                    |                                                                                                          | Active RN License on file<br>with the College of<br>Nursing                                                 |
| 8 Prerequisites                                             | 8 Prerequisites (completed at the time of application)                                                   | 8 Prerequisites                                                                                             |

## WHAT TO EXPECT AS A NURSING STUDENT

### LIFE AS A NURSING STUDENT



Enrolled in approximately 13-19 credit hours each semester



#### LARGE TIME COMMITMENT

Approximately 50-60 hours per week. Time is devoted to lecture, lab, and clinical, as well as travel time, study time, getting ready time, etc.



Like having a full-time job that meets roughly Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm.



### **FACTORS TO CONSIDER**

#### TRANSPORTATION

Must provide your own way to/from class, lab, clinical.

#### UCF EMAIL ADDRESS

Must use this address throughout the program. We do not communicate via personal addresses.

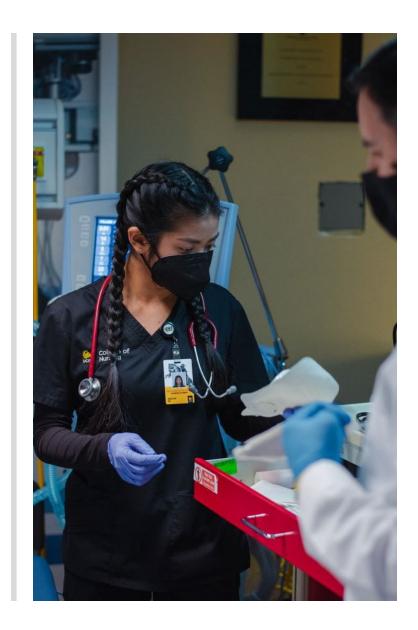
#### DRESS CODE

**Lecture**—In your own clothes. Must be dressed appropriately and conservatively.

**Lab/Clinical**—In uniform (UCF scrubs). Cannot have any visible tattoos or piercings. (Females can have one piercing in each ear).

#### SOCIAL NETWORKING

HIPAA—Health Information Privacy, federal security rule. Posting, sharing, and communicating anything relating to nursing or a patient via email, social media, etc. is strictly prohibited.



### **SERVICE LEARNING** & CLINICALS

- Clinical rotations begin
   week one of the program.
- Supports Service Learning Initiatives
   during **first** and **last** semesters of program in
   the community.

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#### TYPES OF EXPERIENCES

- Pediatric
- Maternal/Infant
- Long Term Care
- Mental Health
- Adult Care –Acute & Critical

### NURSING STUDENT EXPERIENCE

#### FULL TIME COMMITMENT

- Lecture, lab, clinical, studying, preparation, self-care
- Admitted as a cohort; courses taken year round
- HPALS—Health Promotion Across the Lifespan
  - Gain valuable hands-on experience with service-learning

#### HONORS UNDERGRADUATE THESIS PROGRAM—Honors in the Major

• Engage in original and independent research

#### GLOBAL NURSING — Medical Service & Study Abroad

- Peru with UCF Academic Health Sciences Center and UF Pharmacy
- Mexico with Burnett Honors College

**VALOR**—Veteran Affairs Learning Opportunities Residency program at VA hospital in Lake Nona

### **LIVING LEARNING COMMUNITY**—Nursing @ Nike for UCF Nursing-Pending students

• On-campus housing community for your **first year** in college

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### NURSING STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

#### APNS—Association of Pre-Nursing Students

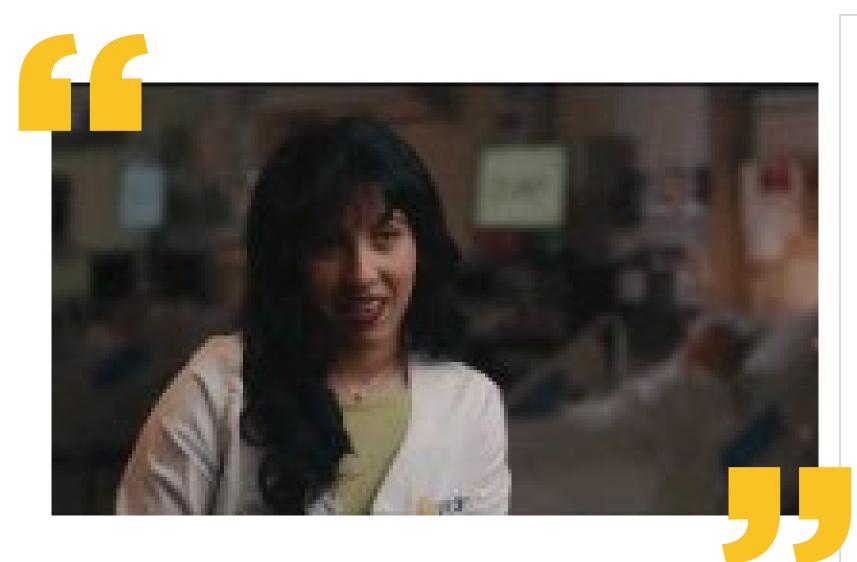
- Information can be found through the Office of Student Involvement (OSI)
- Join the **APNS at UCF** Facebook & IG Group!
- SNA—Student Nurses' Association
  - National organization, UCF Chapter

SIMSATIONS 4 LIFE—Simulation & Technology Organization

**SIGMA THETA TAU** -International Honor Society of Nursing (Only for admitted students)

### **ESTIMATED COSTS**

| PRE-ADMISSION       | ESTIMATED COSTS                                                                        |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| COST                | DESCRIPTION                                                                            |
| \$115               | TEAS Testing fee at UCF Testing Center                                                 |
| \$90                | Optional TEAS Prep Materials at www.atitesing.com                                      |
| \$249               | Optional TEAS Online Prep Course at www.atitesting.com                                 |
| \$500               | Optional Live Classroom TEAS Prep Course                                               |
|                     | (AFTER ADMISSION BUT BEFORE CLASSES START)                                             |
| COST                | DESCRIPTION                                                                            |
| \$92                | Background Check & Fingerprinting at www.castlebranch.com                              |
| \$60                | Drug Screen at www.castlebranch.com                                                    |
| \$50                | Medical Document Tracker www.castlebranch.com (Prices may be combined by CastleBranch) |
| \$45                | CPR Certification through American Heart Association                                   |
| \$185               | Nurse Pack (supplies for lab with BP Cuff and Pen Light)                               |
| \$150               | Stethoscope                                                                            |
| \$225               | Uniforms (cost of two scrub set, two polos, and one clinical jacket)                   |
| \$50-\$150          | Shoes required- all black leather, no canvas, no mesh, skid resistant shoes.           |
| \$900               | Miscellaneous (ID badge, three-hand analog watch, laptop with camera, other items)     |
| PROGRAM             |                                                                                        |
| COST                | DESCRIPTION                                                                            |
| \$212.28 (per hour) | Tuition and fees (in-state fees and tuition for one credit hour x 57-65 credit hours)  |
| \$165               | Subscription LEAP*RN (Project Concert) Database Access                                 |
| \$850               | Clinical lab fees (spread out over entire program)                                     |
| \$2600              | Books (spread out over entire program)                                                 |
| \$80-\$100          | Standardized Testing                                                                   |
| \$25                | Graduation photograph                                                                  |
| \$30                | FIT Testing – required annually to find correct size and brand of N-95 Mask            |



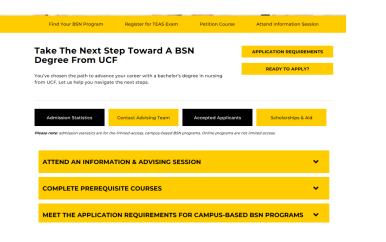
### **BSN STUDENT** SCHOLARSHIPS

- \$200,000+ in
  - undergraduate scholarships available every year only to students who are offered acceptance in a UCF nursing program.
- Once accepted to a BSN program, students can apply for nursing scholarships.

### NAVIGATING THE NURSING WEBSITE

#### ADMISSIONS

- Admissions -> Bachelor's Degrees: Schedule Advising Appointment
- BSN options at UCF
- Application Requirements: Prerequisites, GPA, TEAS
- Admission Statistics



#### ACADEMICS

- Academics → Bachelor's Degrees:
- Plans of Study & Road Maps
- Register for an Information Session
- BSN Handout
- Find Your BSN Program





STAY IN The know



- Instagram.com/ucfnursing
  - Twitter.com/UCF\_Nursing
  - Linkedin.com/school/ university-of-central-floridacollege-of-nursing

### **GET CONNECTED**

#### Next Steps...

- Attending an Information Session is the first step!
- Schedule a 30-minute advising appointment:
  - ✓ Email advisor transcripts if you are not a current UCF student.
- If you are a new student, plan to apply to UCF at least 3 months before the application deadline. admissions.ucf.edu
- Review Application Criteria, Application Deadlines, Application Process, and Admissions Statistics for all programs. nursing.ucf.edu





## FUELING THE FUTURE OF NURSING

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