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Course Work

The RN to BSN degree completion requires 30 credit semester hours of nursing courses to be completed over two semesters for the full-time student. A total of 30 semester credit hours will be awarded for the required entry level nursing courses from the associate degree nursing courses completed. Completed core and prerequisite courses will total 60 hours (Students will complete 60 hours of core and nursing prerequisite courses prior to program admission). Field of study and core complete courses will be brought in as meeting the required prerequisites.

Curriculum

- NURS 4302 Role Transition in Professional Nursing (WI)
- NURS 3430 Pathophysiology and Pharmacology for Nurses
- NURS 4204 Policy, Ethics, and Advocacy in Professional Nursing Practice
- NURS 3110 Health Assessment Across the Life Span Practicum*
- NURS 3250 Health Assessment Across the Life Span
- NURS 3302 Research and Ethics (WI)
- NURS 4380 Community-Based Nursing Practicum*
- NURS 4351 Leadership and Management in Nursing Care (WI)
- NURS 4280 Community-Based Nursing Practicum*
- NURS 3230 Healthcare Systems
- NURS 4205 Healthcare Information Technology in Nursing Practice
- NURS 4303 Safety and Quality in an Interprofessional Environment

WT indicates writing intensive courses
*Indicates clinical components

Outcomes

At the completion of the BSN program, a graduate of the St. David’s School of Nursing at Texas State University will be able to:

- Facilitate safe, holistic and effective patient/family centered care outcomes through use of evidence-based research and other science-based frameworks to promote and maintain health, prevent disease, and manage illness.
- Demonstrate professional accountability and responsibility for nursing judgments and actions within an ethical and legal framework, utilizing the most current knowledge.
- Demonstrate leadership in the provision and coordination of safe, cost effective and high-quality nursing care.
- Advocate for patients, families, communities, and the nursing profession, applying values and utilizing an ethical framework, clinical reasoning, and cultural competence.
- Utilize information and technology to communicate, manage knowledge, educate, mitigate error and support decision making.
- Provide entry-level professional nursing care to clients across the lifespan in a variety of health care settings.
- Promote a culture of caring to provide holistic, compassionate, culturally competent care.
- Function effectively within nursing and interprofessional teams, fostering open communication, mutual respect, and shared decision making to achieve quality patient care

Admission Policy

Requirements for admission to the RN to BSN program:

- Complete the admission procedures listed on the Office of Undergraduate Admissions website. This includes completing an application through APPLYTEXAS.

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