NURSING, MARSHFIELD PROGRAM, COMPREHENSIVE MAJOR

(Code 700-008)

University Requirements

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Credit Requirements

- Minimum total for graduation: 120
- Upper division credits (courses numbered 300 and higher): 39
- Liberal Education Core: 36
- Academic Concentrations

Grade Point Requirements

- Total: 2.00 average
- Resident: 2.00 average
- Major: 2.00 average
- Minor: 2.00 average
- Certificate: 2.00 average

University Residency Requirements

- Minimum total: 30
- Senior year: 23
- Major, Standard, upper division in residence: 12
- Major, Comprehensive, upper division in residence: 21
- Certificate: 25 percent of credits

Procedures Required for Graduation

- Obtain admission to the degree program and/or the College offering it.
- Apply for graduation on CampS.

1. Certain programs exceed this minimum.
2. See special requirements in each College.
3. See special requirements for the College of Education and Human Sciences.

Liberal Education Core

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire measures learning outcomes to ensure that its graduates have achieved a liberal education and prepared themselves to contribute to a complex society. Upon graduation, each undergraduate will have met the four learning goals of our liberal education core and the 11 learning outcomes they comprise.

Knowledge Goal

Knowledge Outcome 1 (K1): Natural Sciences
Two (2) learning experiences

Knowledge Outcome 2 (K2): Social Sciences
Two (2) learning experiences

Knowledge Outcome 3 (K3): Humanities
Two (2) learning experiences

Knowledge Outcome 4 (K4): Fine Arts
One (1) learning experience

Skills Goal

Skills Outcome 1 (S1): Written and Oral Communication
Two (2) learning experiences

Skills Outcome 2 (S2): Mathematics
One (1) learning experience

Skills Outcome 3 (S3): Creativity
One (1) learning experience

Responsibility Goal

Responsibility Outcome 1 (R1): Equity, Diversity, and Inclusivity
Two (2) learning experiences

Responsibility Outcome 2 (R2): Global Perspectives
One (1) learning experience

Responsibility Outcome 3 (R3): Civic and Environmental Issues
One (1) learning experience

Integration Goal

Integration Outcome 1 (I1): Integration
Two (2) learning experiences

Service-Learning Goal

Service-Learning: 30 hours

Admission Requirements

Admission to the Professional Nursing Program.

Major Requirements

To qualify for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree, students must complete at least 120 semester credits with a total GPA of at least 2.50; must meet all university requirements for graduation; and must meet all nursing program requirements for the degree. Students taking a comprehensive major are not required to declare a minor in another area. However, students who are interested in a minor are encouraged to discuss options with their adviser. Students must also seek an adviser in the area of the minor.

Sample Program of Undergraduate Study

Pre-Professional Level

Freshman Year

1st Semester

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<td>Blugold Seminar in Critical Reading and Writing (Counts as S1)</td>
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<td>CHEM 103</td>
<td>General Chemistry I (Counts as K1)</td>
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<td>PSYC 100 or PSYC 260</td>
<td>Introduction to Psychology (Counts as K2) or Educational Psychology</td>
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### 2nd Semester

- **CHEM 150**  Survey of Biochemistry (Counts as K1) \(^2\) 3
- **BIOL 214**  Human Anatomy and Physiology I 4
- **PSYC 230**  Human Development (Counts as K2, R1) 3
- Communication/Language (S1 or R2) or Humanities (K3) 3-4
- Humanities (K3) or Elective 1-3
- **Total Credits** 15-17

### Professional Level

#### Sophomore Year

#### 1st Semester

- **BIOL 250**  Microbiology \(^3\) 3
- **BIOL 314**  Human Anatomy and Physiology II 4
- **MATH 246**  Elementary Statistics (Counts as S2) 4
- Global Perspectives/Language (R2) or Integration (I1) 3-4
- **Total Credits** 14-15

#### 2nd Semester

- **NRSG 245**  Pharmacology for Nursing Practice 3
- **NRSG 249**  Normal and Therapeutic Nutrition in Nursing Practice 2
- **NRSG 257**  Foundations of Professional Nursing Practice 4
- **NRSG 267**  Practicum: Foundational Skills for Nursing Practice 3
- Select one of the following if not already completed: 3-4
  - Math 246 (counts as S2)
  - PSYC 230 (counts as K2, R1)
  - Chem 150 (counts as K1)
- Global Perspectives course (R2)
- Integration (I1)
- **Total Credits** 15-16

#### Junior Year

#### 1st Semester

- **NRSG 317**  Practicum: Advanced Skills for Nursing Practice 4
- **NRSG 327**  Nursing Leadership and Systems I 3
- **NRSG 337**  Nursing Care of Adults and Older Adults I 3
- **NRSG 347**  Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing 2
- **Design for Diversity R1 course (R1, DD)** 3
- **Total Credits** 15

#### 2nd Semester

- **NRSG 357**  Nursing Care of Adults and Older Adults II 4
- **NRSG 359**  Practicum: Nursing Care of Adults and Older Adults 2
- **NRSG 367**  Community and Public Health Nursing 3
- **NRSG 376**  Nursing Care of Women, Infants, and Families 3
- Civic and Environmental Issues course (R3) 3
- **Total Credits** 15

#### Senior Year

#### 1st Semester

- **NRSG 424**  Nursing Leadership and Systems II 3
- **NRSG 428**  Practicum: Nursing Leadership I (Counts as S3, I1; meets Service-Learning Requirement) 4
- **NRSG 446**  Nursing Care of Children and Families 4
- **NRSG 447**  Practicum: Nursing Care of Individuals, Infants, Children, and Families 2
- **Fine Arts course (K4)** 3
- **Total Credits** 15

### Total Number of Credits Required for BSN Degree - 120

1. **S1 course (excluding Writing Requirement courses) required for Nursing.**
2. **CHEM 150 available spring semesters at UW-Eau Claire and some fall and winterim terms. May consider Chem 203 via UW Colleges Online (not a UWEC course).**
3. **Biol 250 available fall semesters at UW-Eau Claire and some winterim and summer terms. May consider BACT 101 General Microbiology through UW Extension/Independent Learning if not offered at UW-Eau Claire. Courses also frequently available at the Wisconsin technical schools.**
4. **NRSG 428 meets the university Service-Learning and S3 requirements; provides one integration (I1) experience.**

### Prerequisites for Sophomore Nursing Courses

- **NRSG 245**  CHEM 150 Prerequisite or Concurrent
- **NRSG 249**  CHEM 150 Prerequisite or Concurrent
- **NRSG 257**  PSYC 230 Prerequisite or Concurrent; Statistics (MATH 246 or PSYC 265) Prerequisite or Concurrent
- **NRSG 267**  BIOL 250, BIOL 314, CNA Certification