RN to BSN Programs

American Sentinel

Website: **www.americansentinel.edu/health-care**
2260 South Xanadu Way, Suite 310
Aurora, CO 80014
Main Number: 800.729.2427
Business Development Manager, Nursing Relations: Kelli Highfill, kelli.highfill@americansentinel.edu or 816.674.2298

General Program Information:

- Awarded 60 credits for ADN and RN licensure
- 8 week terms

Program Cost:

- $395/credit hour
- 60 = $11,850-$23,700 (depending on number of transfer credits)
- New student resource fee = $150
- Graduation fee = $100

Admission Requirements:

- Active, unencumbered RN license with a minimum of two years working experience

Graduation Requirements:

- General Education credits: 30 (must include one history course)
- RN to BSN credits: 30

Application Process:

- Resume required
- Need to contact college

RN to MSN Options:

- Case Management
- Infection Prevention and Control
- Nursing Education
- Nursing Informatics
- Nursing Management and Organizational Leadership

RN to BSN Programs

Colorado Christian University

Website: www.ccu.edu/ccu/nursing/rn-bsn/requirements/
3553 Clydesdale Parkway Suite 300
Loveland, CO 80538
Enrollment Counselors: Audra Grossnickle, agrossnickle@ccu.edu or 970.290.5910
Mark Abeyta, mabeyta@ccu.edu or 970.980.1101

General Program Information:

- Standard time to completion: 16 mos.
- Rolling application, courses begin every 5 weeks
- One course taken at a time
- Courses are taken in either 5 or 10 week sessions

Program Cost:

- $398 + $30 technical fee = $428/credit hour

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure
- Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.5
- PHL 215A Understanding Worldviews (6)
- Biblical Studies Elective (3)
- SPA 111A-Elementary Spanish I (may test out)

Graduation Requirements:

- 120 credit hours, including all general education, nursing prerequisites and nursing major core courses
- Nursing core credit hours: 28
- Minimum 2.5 GPA or better in all CCU coursework

Application Process:

- Will waive $50 application fee

RN to BSN Programs

Grand Canyon University-Arizona
College of Nursing and Health Sciences

Website: http://conhs.gcu.edu
Phone: 1-877-210-2553 or 1-480-227-3526
Fax: 1-866-992-4199
3300 W. Camelback Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85017
Representative: Jay Heinlein, 866-990-3611

General Program Information:

- Program may be completed in as little as 57 weeks; may take a summer off or go straight through
- Classes held in 5 week blocks
- Program starts every month
- Theoretical based program (reading, research, papers), no exams administered
- No clinical rotations

Program Cost:

- $450/credit hour-includes all fees (20% discount to Banner Health employees)
- Academic scholarships available; based on continuous enrollment and 3.0 GPA or higher

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure
- Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.8

Graduation Requirements:

- RN to BSN core credits: 36
- Transfer, General Education, Elective or Certification Credits: 84 (39 = Gen. Ed.)
- Statistics (GCU = PSY 363 or BIO 363)

Total BSN Credits: 120

Application Process:

- Open application
- $100 application fee - waived
- Contact the College of Nursing (con@gcu.edu) for nursing forms

Previous Bachelor Degree in Health Sciences or other related field: Bridge to MSN

- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Bridge to MSN core credits: 18 ($480/credit hour)
- Nursing Education Track (MS-NEd), Nursing Leadership in Health Care Systems, Health Care Informatics, Public Health, Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist or Family Nurse Practitioner core credits: 36

RN to BSN Programs

Metropolitan State University of Denver

Website: www.msudenver.edu/nursing
Office Of Admissions – Campus Box 16, P.O. Box 173362, Denver, CO 80217-3362
FRCC/Westminster Campus: 3645 West 112th Ave., Westminster, CO 80031
Contact: Jan Brennan (Department of Nursing) 303-556-4391 jbrenna9@mscd.edu *or* Julie Eaton at 303-404-5064 or 303-450-5111 jeaton12@mscd.edu

General Program Information:

- Classes held at FRCC Westminster Campus or Denver Campus
- Classes held one day per week
- If 2 courses taken per semester, would finish in 5 semesters

Program Cost:

- 129.45/credit hour, in-state w/COF plus fees

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure
- ANT 3480-Cultural Diversity in Health and Illness-pre-requisite for NUR 3400 *and*
- Statistics pre-requisite for NUR 3400

Graduation Requirements:

- Support Courses (ANT 3480, statistics and NUR, HES or HCM elective): 9
- RN to BSN core credits: 33 (must have 40 upper level credits from Metro)
- General Education credits: 34
- Maximum transfer credits: 64 (30 credits from ADN)

Application Process:

- Required meeting with Department of Nursing Academic Advisor
- Apply to college, application fee: $25
- Application to Nursing Program includes a professional resume and one page essay
- Application Deadline: February 1 (if graduating in May, contact the school)

RN to BSN Programs

Regis University, Rueckert-Hartman College for Health Professionals
Loretta Heights School of Nursing

Website: www.regis.edu/healthcare
Email: healthcare@regis.edu
Admissions Counselor: Cari Russie (303) 964-5168 or (800) 388-2366, ext. 5168
Main Phone: (303) 458-4344 or (800) 388-2366 x4344
Fax: (303) 964-5400
3333 Regis Boulevard, A-8, Denver, CO 80221-1099

General Program Information:

- Program completion in 12-20 months (a previous bachelor degree qualifies you for the 12 month accelerated program)
- **Campus-based**, with classes meeting during the evening (one night per week) on the main campus, beginning in August *or* **online** with three start dates per year; Spring (January), Summer (May) and Fall (August)
- One course per eight week term
- Service learning component
- Taught at facility – min. 14 students

Program Cost:

- $480/credit hour-online and campus
- Background Check: $60
- Banner Health Employees receive 10% discount

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure
- Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.5
- Block Transfer

Graduation Requirements:

- RN to BSN core credits: 30
- Core/Departmental credits: 48 (includes 18 credits of FRCC prerequisites and statistics)
- Upper Division/Graduate Elective credits: 6
- Religious Studies: 6

Total BSN credits: 128

Application Process:

- Applications evaluated on a rolling admission basis, processed in 5-7 business days
- Application includes two letters of recommendation, one must be from current employer

Bridge to MSN - Leadership: Education or Management:

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 or above
- Application fee: $40
- Submit a one-page typewritten personal statement (double-spaced) that addresses the essay question in the application. Instructions are given when you reach the essay portion of the online application.

Submit three recommendation forms. Select professional and academic references that can address your academic, professional, and leadership potential. One recommendation must be from your current employer or supervisor. The recommendation forms provided must be used.

RN to BSN Programs

University of Colorado at Colorado Springs

Beth-El College of Nursing & Health Sciences
Website: www.uccs.edu/~bethel/rn_bsn.html or
www.uccs.edu/bethel/programs/rnbsn_dualenroll.html (Dual enrollment)
1420 Austin Bluffs Parkway
Colorado Springs, CO 80918
RN to BSN Coordinator: Sherry Lee slee3@ucccs.edu (719) 255-4555
Prospective Nursing Student Advisor: Linda Goodwin, lgoodwin@uccs.edu (719) 255-3867

General Program Information:

- **Dual Enrollment Program – pursue BSN while earning an ADN – take NURS 3040 – Patterns of knowing in the summer semester) or RN to BSN**
- Mandatory orientation on campus
- Program completion in 4-6 semesters
- Online program with the option of taking some courses in the classroom

Program Cost:

- $337-447 credit hour plus fees, in-state w/COF
- $100 online fee per course
- First term fees: $100

Admission Requirements:

- Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
- RN's within 3 years of graduation may apply for entry to the program without clinical practice experience
- RN's 3 years post graduation must have clinical practice experiences of at least 1,000 hours within the past 3 years or completion of an approved RN Refresher course.

Graduation Requirements:

- RN to BSN core credits: 32 (includes Pathophysiology – 3 cr.)
- General Education credits: 56 (includes 24 credits of FRCC's pre-requisites, 3 cr. nutrition and statistics) *All can be taken at FRCC.*
- Nursing Articulation Credits: 38

  Total BSN Credits: 126

Application Process:

- Letter of support from Program Director attesting to student's academic potential (must be in good standing after completing the first semester courses in the ADN program)
- Background check/drug screen
- Application Fee: $50 (waived if application for University Connection Scholarship has been completed)

RN to BSN Programs

University of Northern Colorado, School of Nursing

Website: www.unco.edu/hhs/nursing
Phone: (970) 351-2293
Fax: (970) 351-1707
Gunter Hall Campus, Box 125, Greeley, CO 80639
RN to BSN Contacts: Katrina Einhellig katrina.einhellig@unco.edu (970) 351-2269
Audrey Bopp audrey.bopp@unco.edu

General Program Information:

- 16 month online program, 5 semesters
- 2 courses per semester
- Start date every summer semester
- Required one day orientation at UNC

Program Cost:

- $340/credit hour
- Online program is run through extended studies and is not eligible for the College Opportunity Fund (COF)

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure
- Chemistry 281-Fundamentals of Biochemistry (CHEM 101 or 111) 5 cr.
- English 123 college Research Paper (ENG 122)
- PSY 230 – Human Growth & Dev. (PSY 235)
- Statistics 250 for health Sciences (MAT 135)
- BIO 245 – Anatomy & Physiology I (BIO 201)
- BIO 246 – Anatomy & Physiology II (BIO 202)
- NURS Pharmacology (NUR 112 & 212)
- FUND 357 – Nutrition in Health & Illness (will accept any CC nutrition course)
- 2.5 GPA at graduation
- No time limitation on courses
- Have 1000 hours RN practice in last 3 years (minimum) or be a new ADN graduate

Graduation Requirements:

- Liberal Arts and core requirements: 40 credits (pre-requisite coursework is 23-26 credits depending on nutrition course) *May transfer all if taken prior to admission; after admission, may only transfer 9 credits*
- Completion of nursing pre-requisites
- RN to BSN online course credits: 30

Application Process:

1. Apply to UNC ($40 fee for evaluation of transcripts)
2. Apply to School of Nursing: http://www.unco.edu/hhs/nursing/rn_bsn/application.htm by February 16 of every year
3. Nursing application includes a letter of recommendation, personal essays, and work experience verification

RN to BSN Programs

University of Texas at Arlington

Website: www.stateu.com/uta
411 South Nedderman Drive
Arlington, Texas 76019-0407
nursing@uta.edu or 817-272-2776

General Program Information:

- Offered on-line or on-campus
- Online program can be completed in 13 months of nursing coursework (32 credits). Nursing courses are in 5 week intervals, except for Professional Nursing which is 10 weeks
- Students are required to complete 6 hours of upper division electives, one of which must be a nursing course. Electives are offered online throughout the year.

Program Cost:

- Nursing Courses = $257/credit hour plus fees
- General Education Courses = $168/credit hour plus fees
- $8,995 for program

Admission Requirements:

- Minimum GPA of 2.5 in pre-requisite coursework
- Top applicants will be ranked and admitted based on space availability
- RN license from the U.S.
- See 'Course Enrollment Conditions' – some courses need to be taken in a certain order, i.e. ENG 122 must be taken before Technical Writing and Statistics must be completed before taking Nursing Research

Graduation Requirements:

- Must complete all general coursework before entering the last nursing course (Capstone)
- General Education courses: 18
- Nursing Courses: 9 plus Capstone

Application Process:

- $50 non-refundable fee

RN to BSN Programs

University of Wisconsin Green Bay

Website: www.bsn-linc.wisconsin.edu
Email: bsnlinc@learn.uwsa.edu
Phone: (877) 656-1483
2420 Nicolet Dr. Green Bay, WI 54311-7001
Outreach Manager: Jan Malchow malchowj@uwgb.edu 920-465-2722

General Program Information:

- Students go at their own pace; program is typically completed in 1-4 years
- Students may 'stop out' for one or more semesters and reapply for admission

Program Cost:

- $385/credit hour + $10 processing fee per course
- Senior Graduation Fee = $30

Admission Requirements:

- Graduation from an accredited ADN or Diploma Nursing Program
- RN licensure

Graduation Requirements:

- Liberal Arts and core requirements, 30-33 credits (nursing students with a previous Bachelor degree from an accredited institution will be considered to have fulfilled the following general education requirements: Fine Arts, Humanities I, II, & III, and World Culture = 15 credits)
- RN-BSN online course credits: 30
- ADN Transfer credits: 57-60

Total BSN credits: 120

Application Process:

- Enrollment all 3 semesters: Spring-by December 1, Summer-by April 15, Fall-by August 1
- Consult with a nursing advisor
- May try out a course with no application fee or submission of transcripts
- Application fee = $44

RN to BSN Programs

Western Governors Utah

Website: www.wgu.edu/nursing
4001 South 700 East, Suite 700
Salt Lake City, Utah 84107
1.866.225.5948 8a – 8p M-F, 8a – 4p Sat

General Program Information:

- Standard Time to Completion: 18 months. If you are able to clear all the requirements expected with an associate's degree or ADN, your expected time to completion for this program is one year or less.
- Each term is 6 months long. May start at the first of any month. Full time is a minimum of 12 Competency Units (CUs)
- Each student is assigned a mentor.

Program Cost:

- Basic Tuition = $3,250 per 6 mo. Term, unlimited credits
- 5% discount for graduates of Colorado Community Colleges plus waiver of admission fee
- One time $350 lab fee

Admission Requirements:

- A.A.S. + RN license = up to 27 CUs
- Actively working as an RN

Graduation Requirements:

- General Education CUs: 49 (a minimum of 26 are completed with the ADN)
- RN to BSN CUs: 21
- Math: Either one statistics and one math at the college algebra level or higher or two math courses higher than the college algebra level

Application Process:

- $65 application fee
- WGU Readiness Assessment (taken online)
- Phone-based intake interview

RN to MSN Option:

- Nurse Educator or Leadership and Management
- 149 Competency Units (min. 8 per term for graduate level)