

RN to BSN Program Course Descriptions

- N3645 Professional Nursing 6 semester hours**
Introduction to concepts, values and behaviors necessary for transitioning to professional nursing role. Encompasses ethical, legal, legislative and political processes that impact the practice of professional nursing in contemporary healthcare. Strategies for personal and professional empowerment are identified.
- N3325 Holistic Care of Older Adults 3 semester hours**
Introduction of concepts and issues related to the holistic care of older adults and the impact on society and health care.
- N3425 Holistic Health Assessment Across the Lifespan 4 semester hours**
Theory and practice of holistic health assessment of individuals and families across the life span designed for the Registered Nurse.
- N3335 Health Promotion Across the Life Span 3 semester hours**
Health promotion for individuals and families. Opportunities to gain knowledge about primary prevention in health care. Importance of the role of the nurse in disease prevention and health promotion.
- N4325 Nursing Research 3 semester hours**
Basic concepts, processes and applications of nursing research. Research role of the nurse in decision making and clinical practice.
- N4455 Nursing Leadership & Management 4 semester hours**
Exploration of organizational strategies, leadership theories and societal trends with implications for decision making in health care. Introduction to management and leadership skills needed by professional nurses with clinical application in diverse settings.
- N4465 Care of Vulnerable Populations Across the Lifespan 4 semester hours**
Integrates knowledge from nursing theory and public health science in assessing health care needs of aggregates, communities and society for the Registered Nurse.
- N4585 Capstone Seminar 5 semester hours**
Synthesis of theories and concepts for professional nursing practice. Focuses on evolution and transition of professional nursing practice in diverse settings within a context of emerging societal issues and trends. The student will pick one of three areas, (management, clinical or education), of interest for concentrated study.