

*University of Indianapolis - College of Health Sciences***2025-2026 Curriculum Guide for Bachelor of Science in Nursing (NUB)****Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

Nursing courses are arranged in a sequential fashion. Each student should consult with their advisor or the Academic Catalog for specific course prerequisites. Admission to nursing courses is competitive based on available clinical places, cumulative G.P.A, and the HESI Entrance Exam. Students must earn C's (2.0) in all required science, social sciences, psychology, and math courses. A minimum of a 2.80 cumulative G.P.A. is required to be considered for admission to the clinical portion of the program. Students who have withdrawn from or received a grade of C- or lower in more than two prerequisite science or math classes are ineligible to pursue the nursing curriculum.

**First Year****Pre-clinical courses (\*prerequisites for clinic admission)**

- **FYS** --- \*First Year Seminar (freshman year semester I or II)
- **ENGL 101** \*Intro to College Writing ++
- **BIOL 103** \*Principles of Human Anatomy (4) ++
- **BIOL 104** \*Principles of Human Physiology (4) ++
- **CHEM 104** \*Intro to General Organic and Biological Chemistry (5) ++
- **PSY 120** \*Introduction to Psychology (3) ++
- **MATH 150** \*Finite Mathematics (4) ++ **or**
- **MATH 170** \*College Algebra (3)++ **or**
- **MATH 180** \*College Algebra and Trigonometry (4) ++ **or**
- **MATH 190** \*Calculus and Analytic Geometry I (4) ++
- **INTD 101** New Student Experience (NSE)
- **GEN ED CORE** See General Education Core Requirement List

**Second Year****Semester I**

- **NURB 235** Fundamentals In Nursing I (3)
- **NURB 210** Nursing Health Assessment (3)
- **NURB 265** Pathophysiology in Nursing (3)
- **BIOL 209** Clinical Microbiology (4) ++
- **GEN ED CORE** See General Education Core Requirement List

**Semester II**

- **NURB 240** **Fundamentals in Nursing II (3)**
- **NURB 290** **Acute Transitional Care I (4)**
- **NURB 285** **Introduction to Pharmacology in Nursing (2)**
- **GEN ED CORE** **See General Education Core Requirement List**
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**Third Year****Semester I**

- **NURB 345** Acute Transitional Care II (4)
- **NURB 334** Lifespan I: Care of Childbearing Families (3)
- **NURB 352** Lifespan II: Nursing Care of the Child and Family (3)
- **NURB 365** Pharmacology in Nursing II (1)

**Third Year****Semester II**

- **NURB 390** Complex Transitional Nursing Care (4)
- **NURB 362** Lifespan III: Nursing Care in Mental Health (3)
- **NURB 374** Lifespan IV: Nursing Care of the Older Adult (3) Principles of
- **NURB 330** Nursing Research and Evidenced Based Practice (3)
- **NURB 385** Pharmacology in Nursing III (1)
- **GEN ED CORE** See General Core Requirement List

**Fourth Year****Semester I**

- **NURB 445** Chronic Transitional Nursing Care (5)
- **NURB 440** Transitional Care in Primary Population Health (4)
- **NURB 425** Pharmacology in Nursing IV (1)
- **GEN ED CORE** See General Core Requirement List (2-3)
- **ELEC ---**

**Semester II**

- **NURB 450** LEAD: Leadership Exploration and Development in Nursing Practice (4)
- **NURB 460** Transition to Professional Nursing Practice (4)
- **GEN ED CORE** See General Core Requirement List **or**
- **ELEC ---** Elective Courses

Science courses must be repeated if, by the time the student is accepted for admission to clinicals, the course(s) are older than 5 years.

**NOTE:** Courses designated ++ require C (2.0) or higher to apply toward the Nursing major. Mathematics competency is required prior to enrollment in science and mathematics courses.

**Support Courses that meet General Education Core Requirements****Take 1**

- **SOC 101** Introduction to Sociology (3) ++ **or**
- **SOC 103** Social Problems (3) ++ **or**
- **ANTH 100** Cultural Anthropology ++ **(3) or**
- **ANTH 200** Global Problems ++ (3)

**Take 1**

- **INTD 101** New Student Experience (1) (generally taken in a student's first semester of enrollment and required for full time students)

**Take 1**

- **PHIL 101** Introduction to Philosophy (3) **or**
- **PHIL 110** Critical Thinking **or**
- **PHIL 130** Honors Philosophy (3) **or**
- **PHIL 201** Ethics (3) **or**
- **PHIL 220** Medical Ethics (3) **or**
- **FYS 160** First Year Seminar: Philosophy/Ethics (3) **or**
- **HON 203** Honors Philosophy

**Take 1**

- **COMM 100** Public Speaking (3)

**NOTES:**

- A grade of C+ (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) or higher is required in all nursing (NURB) courses applying toward the Bachelor of Science in Nursing.
- The Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree requires a minimum of 120 hours. Achievement of these hours may also include several elective courses.
- See the General Education Core Guide for additional course requirements.
- A student may complete more than one major as long as each major has at least 24 discrete hours. Please see the Academic Catalog for additional details.

**REMEMBER:** If you have any questions about the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Major and its requirements, contact The School of Nursing (317-788-3244 or 317-788-3347, Health Pavilion 445). Courses and requirements are subject to change so keep in contact with your advisor.