



Department of Nursing

Online RN-BSN Program
(Full time)

Fall Semester		Spring Semester		Summer Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
7 weeks NURS 471 Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs	3-Lecture	7 Weeks NURS 474 Health Care Policy & Ethics for RNs	3-Lecture	7 Weeks NURS 476 Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies	3-Lecture
7 weeks NURS 472 Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs	1-Lecture	7 weeks NURS 473 Community Health and Population Focused Health Care for RNs	3-Lecture 1-Clinical	7 Weeks NURS 478 Management, Leadership, and Quality Care for RNs	3-Lecture 1-Clinical
7 weeks NURS 475 Research and Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs	3-Lecture	7 Week NURS 477 Practice- Focused Nursing Care for the Professional RN	3-Lecture 1-Clinical		
Total Number of Credits	7 Credits		11 Credits		10 Credits

*30 credits must be taken at Saint Francis University

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Advanced-Standing Nursing Credits from previous Nursing Program	Credits:
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Required General Education and Pre-Requisite Courses: (Students may transfer up to 98 credits)

Course	Title	Credits
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
MATH 107	College Algebra or higher	3
RLST 105	Franciscan Goals	3
FNAR	Fine Arts Elective	3
SOC 101	General Sociology	3
HIST	History 100-200 level	3
WRIT 102	Research Writing	3
LIT 104	Introduction to Literature or LIT 201, 202, 204, 207, 222, 270	3
STATS 205	Essentials of Statistics	3
PHIL 205	Discovering Philosophy	3
LANG	Language 102 or higher	3
PHIL/RLST	Philosophy or Religion	3
BIOL 214	Microbiology	4
BIOL 205	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIOL 206	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
Elective	Economics, Political Science, Psychology or Sociology	3
Elective	Free	3
CORE 407	Senior Capstone	3
EXAM 401	Senior Comprehensive	0

RN-BSN Courses (25 credits)

Course	Title	Credits
NURS 471	Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs	3
NURS 472	Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs	1
NURS 473	Community Health And Population Focused Health Care for RNs	4
NURS 474	Health Care Policy and Ethics for RNs	3
NURS 475	Research and Scholarship for Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs	3
NURS 476	Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies	3
NURS 477	Practice-Focused Nursing Car for the Professional RN	4
NURS 478	Management, Leadership, and Quality Care for RNs	4

Thirty (30) credits must be completed at Saint Francis University.

Credits need for graduation: 128 credits