Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences UnityPoint Health



### **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE** IN NURSING **BSN-A ACCELERATED**

ACADEMIC GUIDE

# **Quick Facts**

### DURATION

15-month program

### **MODE OF DELIVERY**

Classroom, clinical, and online learning experiences

### LICENSURE

Graduates apply for licensure as a Registered Nurse (RN)

### **PRACTICE SETTING**

Hospitals, clinics, community-based care, and behavioral health



As a BSN student, you will learn diverse skills that will allow you to pursue a multitude of roles in different job sectors such as:

• Direct client care in general Medical Surgical nursing

Delivery, Pediatrics, and **Behavioral Health** 

• Specialty settings

such as Labor and

- Emergency Department
- Intensive Care
- School Nursing
- Home Health
  - Hospice

### Admission Requirements

- A baccalaureate or higher degree in a non-nursing discipline
- Minimum Degree GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Completion of all required prerequisite general education courses with a "C" (2.0) or above
  - Anatomy and Physiology I
- Nutrition
- Anatomy and Physiology II

Microbiology

- Statistics
- Human Growth and Development
- Personal essay addressing candidate's professional attributes and ability to manage an accelerated curriculum, and career goals.

# Curriculum Plan

SUMMER SEMESTER		
Session I: 6 weeks		
Course #:	Description:	Semester Hours
NUR 101A	The Art & Science of Nursing Practice	7
Session II: 8 weeks		
NUR 102A	Adult Health Nursing	9
Summer 14 weeks		
NUR 212A	Pharmacology I	1
	Total	17
FALL SEMEST	ER	
16 weeks		
Course #:	Description:	Semester Hours
NUR 200	Human Disease Processes	3
NUR 201	Life Span Nursing I	9
NUR 302	Advanced Health Assessment	3
NUR 411	Nursing Research	3
	Total	18
SPRING SEMESTER		
16 weeks		
Course #:	Description:	Semester Hours
NUR 202	Life Span Nursing II	8
NUR 203	Maternal-Newborn Nursing	4
NUR 213A	Pharmacology II	1
NUR 303	Nursing Pathophysiology	3
NUR 410	Transcultural Nursing	3
	Total	19
SUMMER SEM	ESTER	
14 weeks		
Course #:	Description:	Semester Hours
NUR 301A	Nursing Leadership & Management	4
NUR 403	Community Health Nursing	4
NUR 402	Professional Issues in Nursing	3
NUR 420A	Senior Seminar	4
	Total	15
General E 5	ducation: Nursing: 1 69	Program Total: 120

A minimum of 35 credits in the BSN-A major must be completed at Trinity College to meet graduation requirements.

# **Service** Transferable Courses

Trinity College maintains cooperative agreements with Black Hawk College, Eastern Iowa Community Colleges, and Portage Learning. Academic credit will generally be accepted from other regionally accredited institutions upon review. Admission representatives will unofficially review transfer credit for applicants during the pre-application process. Upon receipt of application, the Registrar will evaluate the student transcript to formally approve transfer credit.

### **Natural Sciences and Mathematics**

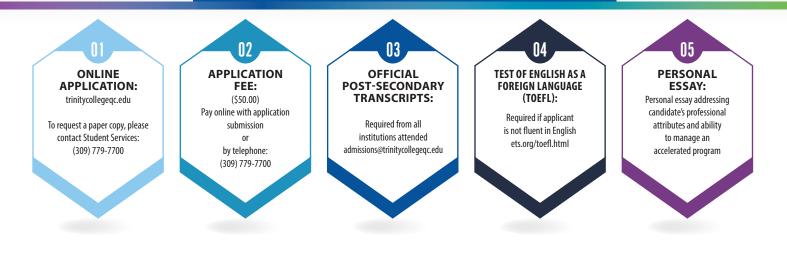
- Anatomy and Physiology I
- Anatomy and Physiology II
- Microbiology w/lab
- Nutrition
- Statistics

#### **Social Sciences and Humanities**

Human Growth & Development



Next Steps



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