

Stark State College – Ohio University Plan

RN to BSN Online Program Pathway

The Ohio University School of Nursing RN to BSN program is designed especially for registered nurses (RNs) who want to further their education and advance their career by earning a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). We realize that nurses juggle multiple demands — career, family and classes — and carving out time to drive to campus and sit for a lecture can be a challenge. The online RN to BSN program provides flexibility to earn a valuable degree through anytime anywhere learning.

Online Convenience. Ohio University Quality.

- Start your RN to BSN courses regardless of how many prerequisites you have completed.
 - Review study materials and submit assignments online.
 - Learn from distinguished professors while having the daily support of an academic coach.
 - Complete each nursing course in only 5 weeks using our media-rich online learning system.
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Admission Requirements

- Applicants must be a graduate of an approved program (or its equivalent) that prepares individuals to sit for the registered nurse licensing exam (NCLEX-RN) and be a resident of one of the Ohio University authorized states. Check undergraduate admissions website or call the School of Nursing for a list of current approved states.
- Students must have completed the equivalent of ENG 1510 to be admitted to the major. Otherwise, students will be reviewed for the pre-major
- Combined 2.0 GPA from all prior college-level coursework.
- Official transcripts sent directly to Ohio University from all colleges and universities you have attended.

Application Information

Apply [online](#) (\$25 non-refundable application fee due at application)

Submit all college-level transcripts to:

Undergraduate Admissions
Ohio University
Chubb Hall 120
1 Ohio University Drive
Athens, OH 45701

Ohio University Contact Information

Undergraduate Admissions

admissions@ohio.edu

740.593.4100

E-mail general questions to

transfer@ohio.edu

For more information on the partnership

With Stark State College, visit www.ohio.edu/starkstate



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Degree Requirements

To qualify for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree, a student must have completed all Ohio University graduation requirements. You may have met many of these requirements during your previous nursing education program. Students must earn a minimum of 30 semester credit hours of Ohio University credit and complete a minimum of 50% of the nursing course requirements at Ohio University.

Ohio University BRICKS General Education Requirements

BRICKS is Ohio University's general education program, and requirements must be fulfilled by all baccalaureate degree students. BRICKS includes a minimum of 38 credit hours across five categories: Foundations, Pillars, Arches, Bridges, and Capstone. Courses used to satisfy BRICKS requirements may be completed through Stark State or OHIO Online. The table below lists Stark State College courses that have direct course equivalencies at Ohio University which meet BRICKS requirements. General education courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets.

OHIO BRICKS Requirement	STARK STATE Course Numbers
FOUNDATIONS - <i>Take one course from each listed category</i>	
Written Communication	[ENG 124]
Advanced Writing	
Quantitative Reasoning	MTH 118, MTH 125, MTH 130, MTH 135, MTH 224
Intercultural Explorations	COM 227
PILLARS - <i>Take one course from each listed category (minimum 3 credits each)</i>	
Humanities: Texts and Contexts	HIS 221, HIS 222, PHL 122
Humanities: Arts	
Natural Sciences	BIO 101, BIO 127, BIO 130, BIO 141, BIO 142, [BIO 221]; [CHM 121], CHM 122, [CHM 141], CHM 142; GEO 141; PHY 121, PHY 221
Social or Behavioral Sciences	BUS 221, BUS 222; HIS 121, HIS 122, HIS 221, HIS 222; PSC 121; [PSY 121]; [SOC 121], SOC 221
ARCHES - <i>Take one course from each listed category (minimum 3 credits each)</i>	
Constructed World	[MTH 124], MTH 223
Natural World	PHY 101, PHY 122, PHY 222
Connected World	BIO 126; CJS 121; [EDU 131]; OTA 223; [PSY 131], [PSY 220], [PSY 221]; SOC 123
BRIDGES - <i>Take one course from each listed category (minimum 1 credit each)</i>	
Speaking and Listening	[COM 121]
Ethics and Reasoning	[COM 121]
Diversity and Practice	[COM 121]
Learning and Doing	
CAPSTONE - <i>Minimum 2 credits (no current equivalencies)</i>	

BRICKS and Ohio Transfer 36

Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36 (OT36; formerly OTM) at another college or university prior to enrollment in a degree-seeking program at Ohio University will receive transfer credit equivalent to fulfilling Ohio University's BRICKS general education requirements in Foundations (excluding the Advanced Writing component, which requires completion of TME 002 Second Writing), Pillars, and Arches. If you have not completed the OT36, your courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis and will apply toward general education requirements as appropriate.



Nursing Support Courses

Courses completed through Stark State or OHIO online

General education requirement courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets.

Complete 9 courses

†BIO 121 and BIO 122 will satisfy the Anatomy and Physiology requirement for the RN to BSN program, but do not have direct equivalents at Ohio University and will not satisfy general education requirements.

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Stark State Course Number
English Composition	[ENG 1510]	[ENG 124]
Elementary Statistics	[MATH 2500] or PSY 1110	[MTH 124] or [MTH 124A and MTH 124B]
Elementary Microbiology	[BIOS 2010]	[BIO 221]
Introduction to Nutrition	NUTR 1000	NTR 121
Introduction to Psychology	[PSY 1010]	[PSY 121]
Introduction to Sociology	[SOC 1000]	[SOC 121]
Introduction to Child Development and Adolescent Psychology	[EDEC 1600] or PSY 2410	[EDU 131]
Principles of Anatomy and Physiology	[BIOS 1300] or [BIOS 1310]	BIO 121 or BIO 122 †
Principles of Chemistry	[CHEM 1210] or [CHEM 1510]	[CHM 121] or [CHM 141]

Nursing Major Requirements

Courses completed through OHIO

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Stark State Course Number
Professional Nursing Practice	NRSE 4510	
Health Assessment and Promotion	NRSE 4520	
Family Nursing	NRSE 4530	
Community Health Nursing	NRSE 4540	
Evidence-Based Nursing Practice	NRSE 4550	
Gerontologic Nursing Care	NRSE 4560	
Diversity	NRSE 4570	
Leadership in Nursing	NRSE 4580	
Nursing Excellence	NRSE 4600	

The information on this guide is based on the catalog requirements posted in the 2021-2022 Ohio University catalog and related Stark State College equivalents as of the Last Updated date. **All information is subject to change without notice.** Students must complete a minimum of 120 total semester hours and are responsible for tracking their degree completion on their DARS and are encouraged to work with an Ohio University academic advisor in their degree planning. Courses are subject to availability at each institution. It is suggested that students meet with an Advisor to discuss course selection based on offered options.

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