Western Michigan University Bronson School of Nursing Curriculum Guide

Nursing requirements:

- This program guide is intended for students who do not already have a nursing license;
- Students admitted to WMU are actually admitted to the pre-nursing curriculum;
- Admission to the pre-nursing program does not guarantee admission to the professional phase of the program;
- Students must be admitted to WMU before they can apply to the professional nursing program; To be eligible to apply to the professional nursing program students must:
  - Complete all prerequisites with a minimum of a “C” (2.0) or higher in each course;
  - Achieve a minimum cumulative grade point average of a “B” (3.0) or higher;
  - Earn an average grade of “B” (3.0) or higher in the four science prerequisite courses (or equivalencies). Repeated science grades will be averaged for admission purposes. Only one repeated science prerequisite will be considered in the admission decision;
- Students must complete the following courses before applying to the professional program:

**WMU courses**
- CHEM 1510/1520
- CHEM 1530/1540
- BIOS 1910 or 2110
- BIOS 2400
- ENGL 1050
- SOC 2000
- PSY 1000
- CIS 1020 or FCS 2250
- HSV 2250

**WCCCD courses**
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- BIO 240
- BIO 250
- ENG 119 or 120 or 134
- SOC 100
- PSY 101
- CIS 110
- PSY 200

**Important notes:**

- Admission to the professional nursing curriculum is competitive;
- Selection criteria for admission into the professional nursing curriculum is primarily based on grades earned in the four (4) science courses listed above;
- 45 students are selected twice each year;
- The deadlines for submitting the nursing application are March 1 (Fall) and October 1 (Spring) each year;
- Please click here for the entire nursing application process information;
- Questions about the application process should be directed to the advisor listed below;
- Students may also complete the following courses, which are part of the professional curriculum, at WCCCD (required for WMU graduation):

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General education information:

- Some of the general education requirements are met by the courses that are actually in the nursing program. Nursing students must still take one class from only Areas I, III, and IV of the general education program transfer guide.
- For more information, please contact the advisor listed below.

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