

# REGISTERED NURSE TO BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Web Site: <https://twu.edu/nursing/undergraduate-programs/rn-bsn/>

## Degree Requirements

Total Semester Credit Hours (SCH): 120

Major: 60 SCH

Program Code: NURSRN.BSN CIP Code: 51.3801.00

## Texas Core Curriculum

Code	Title	SCHs
ENG 1013	Composition I	3
ENG 1023	Composition II	3
Mathematics		3
Life & Physical Sciences		6
Language, Philosophy, & Culture		3
Creative Arts		3
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865	3
HIST 1023	History of the United States, 1865 to the Present	3
POLS 2013	U.S. National Government	3
POLS 2023	Texas Government	3
Social & Behavioral Sciences		3
CAO: Women's Studies		3
CAO: First Year Seminar, Wellness or Mathematics		3
<b>Total SCHs</b>		<b>42</b>

## Awarded Credit for Unencumbered License

Twenty-eight semester credit hours of credit will be awarded to those individuals who have an unencumbered license to practice in the US as a registered nurse and who have met the established criteria for admission to upper-division nursing courses (<https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/nursing/#admissionsrntext>). Credit is awarded for:

Code	Title	SCHs
NURS 3241	Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family Clinical	1
NURS 3243	Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	3
NURS 4001	Nursing Practice Integration Lab I	1
NURS 3232	Collaborative Nursing Care of the Adult Population Clinical	2
NURS 3233	Collaborative Nursing Care of the Adult Population	3
NURS 4043	Nursing Care of the Adult with Complex Health Needs	3
NURS 4042	Nursing Care of the Adult with Complex Health Needs Clinical	2
NURS 4053	Concepts of Pediatric Nursing	3
NURS 4091	Concepts of Pediatric Nursing Clinical	1
NURS 4022	Nursing Practice Integration Lab II	2

NURS 4063	Mental Health Nursing	3
NURS 4041	Mental Health Nursing Clinical	1
NURS 3813	Pharmacology	3
<b>Total SCHs</b>		<b>28</b>

## These upper-division course requirements for RN students are taken at TWU

Code	Title	SCHs
BIOL 4344	Pathophysiology	4
NURS 3612	Introduction to Nursing Research	2
NURS 3643	RN Introduction to Baccalaureate Nursing	3
NURS 3713	Survey of Informatics in Nursing and Health	3
NURS 3804	RN with Families and Groups	4
NURS 4012	Community Health Nursing in Population Health	2
NURS 4111	Community Health Nursing in Population Health Clinical	1
NURS 4121	Community Health Nursing in Population Health Clinical II	1
NURS 4612	Promoting Wellness in the Aging Family	2
NURS 4803	The Nursing Leadership and Management Experience	3
NURS 4823	Competencies in RN Transition to Baccalaureate Nursing	3
Select the appropriate program coursework		4
NURS 3153 & NURS 3161	Health Assessment and Health Assessment Clinical (Bridge Program)	
NURS 3122 & NURS 4502	Advanced Nursing Assessment and Clinical Ethics in Professional Nursing (Blended Program)	
<b>Total SCHs</b>		<b>32</b>

## Additional Requirements

At the time of enrollment in nursing courses, the registered nurse must provide proof of:

- Current unencumbered licensure as a registered nurse in the United States.
- Current Basic Life Support (BLS) certification from the American Heart Association.
- Current required immunizations as specified by TWU College of Nursing approved vendor (e.g. Castlebranch).
- Negative drug testing and cleared criminal background screening by a company designated by the College of Nursing.(background check must be cleared for admission to program).
- Proof of personal health insurance (required by clinical facilities).
- Completion of HIPAA training.
- Social Security Number.
- Photo Identification.

Professional liability insurance (covered by course fees) is provided for each student through the TWU student professional liability group policy.