

Academic Fact Sheet

Wayne State
College

PRE-PROFESSIONAL NURSING

The above program is administered by the Life Sciences Department.

Facts about the Program

Degrees Offered:

Transfer program only

Faculty:

Glenn Kietzmann, Ph.D.
Shawn Pearcy, Ph.D.

Career Opportunities

Nursing*

Public health care systems

Parish Nursing

Corportate health care systems

Advance degrees with further study

Special Offerings

**Wayne State College offers only the pre-professional nursing program. Attainment of nursing degrees occurs at other institutions.

Program Description

The pre-professional nursing program is designed so that the first one or two years of study are taken at WSC and prerequisite general education requirements are met. Nursing clinical courses and the nursing degree come from another institution after the candidate is accepted into a specific program and the nursing curriculum is met.

*NOTE: Those interested in nursing as a career must contact the nursing school of their choice to obtain application materials. Admission to nursing school is not automatic, only the best candidates are admitted. Admission to Wayne State College is not admission to nursing school.

Students in any major can include the pre-professional nursing curriculum in their preferred program of study. This prepares students for further study in a nursing school of their choice after successfully applying to and being granted acceptance to that school, and after graduation from Wayne State College.

Scholarships and Financial Aid

Wayne State College is committed to providing a quality, education for its students. There are several types of financial assistance available for Wayne State students, including grants, loans, work-study and scholarships. The aid packages are composed of money from Pell grants, SEOG grants, SSIG grants, Perkins loans, Stafford student loans, PLUS loans and a variety of scholarships. Contact the Financial Aid Office at (402) 375-7230 for further information.

For more information contact:

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***PRE-PROFESSIONAL NURSING**

**University of Nebraska Medical Center, Bryan LGH College of Health Science, others.
(Omaha, Lincoln, Kearney, West Nebraska in Scottsbluff)**

A minimum of 55 semester hours of coursework is required.

FRESHMAN YEAR

CHE 106	Chemistry I	4	BIO 110	Biology Concepts	4
ENG 102	Composition Skills	3	ENG 200	Expository Writing	3
PSY 101	General Psychology	3	FCS 207	Nutrition	3
SOC 101	Intro to Sociology	3	PSY 230	Lifespan Development	3
**MAT 110/121	Topics & Ideas/College Algebra	<u>3</u>	SOC 220	Social Problems	<u>3</u>
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June Session - BIO 220 Human Anatomy 4

July Session - Bio 340 Human Physiology 4

SOPHOMORE YEAR

*** BIO 220	Human Anatomy/Elective	4	***BIO 340	Human Physiology/Elective	4
**** SOC 400	Cultural Studies	3	BIO 385	Microbiology	4
PHI 310	Logic	3	ENG 250	Topics in Literature	3
SOC 415	Family	3	PHI 300	Ethics & Values	3
**MAT 180	Applied Prob. & Statistics	<u>3</u>	POS 100	American Nat. Government	<u>3</u>
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Admission is competitive. Applicants with GPA's of 3.2 and above are given priority consideration. A grade below "C" in any course is NOT acceptable to the UNMC College of Nursing. For further information about transferability of courses not included in this listing, contact Larry Hewitt at UNMC College of Nursing at (402) 559-4115.

*Students are strongly advised to contact the professional schools to which they plan to apply for admission, for pre-nursing requirements.

**MAT 110 Topics & Ideas in Mathematics is the minimal requirement for UNMC only. Students are strongly urged to complete MAT 121 College Algebra, because of the Algebra component necessary for dosage calculations in the first semester at UNMC. Bryan LGH and others require MAT 121.

***Human Anatomy BIO 220 is offered during the June Summer Session, and Human Physiology BIO 340 is offered during the July summer session. Students taking Human Anatomy in June and/or Human Physiology in July will need to take electives during the fall and Spring of their second year of attendance.

****SOC 345 Multicultural America, SOC 445, Ethnic Studies or SOC 465 Peoples and Cultures of the Middle East.