

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 in a variety of settings

Wayne State College (WSC) offers only the pre-professional nursing program. Attainment of nursing degrees occurs at other institutions. WSC provides foundational courses whereas clinical courses are provided by the nursing program enrolled in.

Program Description

The pre-professional nursing program is designed so that the first one or two years of study are taken at WSC and foundational courses are completed. 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 competitive. Admission to Wayne State College does not guarantee admissions 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. Please consult with the Financial Aid Office at (402) 375-7230 or visit us online at www.wsc.edu for further information.

For more information contact:

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***PRE-PROFESSIONAL NURSING**

A minimum of 64-65 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 or 317	Nutrition	3
SOC 101	Intro to Sociology	3	PSY 230	Lifespan Development	3
* MAT 121	College Algebra	<u>3</u>	SOC 220	Social Problems	<u>3</u>
		16			16

June Session - BIO 220 Human Anatomy 4

July Session - Bio 340 Human Physiology 4

SOPHOMORE YEAR

** BIO 220	Human Anatomy/Bio Elective	4	**BIO 340	Human Physiology/Bio 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>
		16-20			16-19

Admission is competitive. Students should maintain a 3.3 cumulative GPA. A grade below "C" in any course is not acceptable for transfer to nursing school. Information about transferability of courses should be directed to officials of the program being applied.

*MAT 121 College Algebra. Math ACT score of 21 or higher or equivalent compass score is required for admittance into this course.

**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 are advised to take biology electives during the fall and Spring of their second year of attendance. Visit with your advisor concerning these courses before registration.

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