

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN–EAU CLAIRE  
COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES**

Sample Program of Study for **full-time** students enrolled at **UW-STEVENS POINT** in preparation for application to the UW-Eau Claire College of Nursing and Health Sciences – Marshfield site.

**FRESHMAN YEAR--Pre-Professional Level**

First Semester	Credits	Second Semester	Credits
English 101	3	English 102 (110)	3
HPW 102 (211, 213 Wellness)	2	*Bio 285-Physiology	4
Biology 101 (100) or 160 (312)	5	Psychology 110 (GE III 100)	3
Chemistry 101 or 105 (103)	5	Physical Activity	1
		Bio 333 (361) {or summer between freshman & soph. year}	4
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>

**SOPHOMORE YEAR--Professional Level**

First Semester	Credits	Second Semester	Credits
GE IA Language Skills	3	Chem 203 - Biochemistry at UW-Colleges (150)	3
Math 355 (246) or Psych 300 (265)	4	<b>MARSHFIELD SITE</b>	
Psychology 260 (GE III 230)	3	NRSNG 245 (Pharmacology)	2
Biology 387-Anatomy	3	NRSNG 230 Nursing: Introduction to the Profession	3
GE IV	3	NRSNG 240 Nursing: Practice in Health & Illness	7
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>

**JUNIOR YEAR**

First Semester	Credits	Second Semester	Credits
NRSNG 330 Nursing: Context of Practice	2	NRSNG 350 Nursing: Health & Health Deviations of Adults II	4
NRSNG 335 Nursing: Health Promotion with Children, Families, & Community	4	NRSNG 352 Nursing Practice: Adults II	2
NRSNG 345 Nursing: Health & Health & Health Deviations of Adults 1, Theory & Practice	7	NRSNG 358 Nursing: Individual & Family Transitions	2
GE IV	3	NRSNG 368 Nursing Practice: Children, Families, & Communities	2
		GE IV Elective	3 1
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>14</b>

**SENIOR YEAR**

First Semester	Credits	Second Semester	Credits
NRSNG 420 Nursing: Health Enhancement	4	GE III or IV	3
NRSNG 422 Nursing Practice: Health Enhancement	2	GE IV	3
NRSNG 432 Nursing: Management Within Systems	4	NRSNG 470 Nursing: Professional Practice Within Systems	2
NRSNG 435 Nursing: Families & Children With Health Deviations	3	NRSNG 472 Nursing Practice: Application & Reflection	7
NRSNG 438 Nursing Practice: Families & Children With Health Deviations	2		
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>

Total Number of Credits Required for BSN Degree =120

Note: ( ) = UW-Eau Claire equivalency

To verify transfer of courses to go to [www.uwsa.edu/tis](http://www.uwsa.edu/tis)

\*Completion of BIO 285 and 387 is equivalent to Bio 214 and Bio 314 at UW-Eau Claire.

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*GENERAL INFORMATION*

**Admission Requirements--Marshfield site**

Students wishing to pursue a nursing degree through UW-Eau Claire at the Marshfield site, must first be accepted to UW-Eau Claire. Students can complete the online University application at [www.uwec.edu](http://www.uwec.edu). In addition, formal application to UW-Eau Claire's professional nursing program is required. Students are encouraged to apply to the nursing program during the semester in which 30 transferable credits and 3 of the 5 required sciences will be completed. **Deadline dates for filing an admission application** to the nursing program are **December 1** or **May 1**. Accepted **December 1** applicants start their nursing courses the following fall semester. Accepted **May 1** applicants start their nursing courses the following spring semester.

**Admission Requirements**

In order to be considered for admission to the nursing program, applicants must:

- be accepted as a student to UW-Eau Claire.
- complete at least 30 transferable semester credits during the semester in which the student is applying, with an overall grade point average (GPA) of 3.0.
- complete at least 3 of the 5 required sciences by the end of the semester in which the student is applying. At least 2 of these 3 sciences need to be laboratory sciences. All 5 required sciences must be completed **prior** to the start of the semester the student starts the nursing courses, with the exception of biochemistry. Biochemistry can be taken concurrently with the first semester of nursing courses. Science GPA must be a minimum of 2.5.
- earn at least a "C" in all pre-nursing courses (chemistry, biochemistry, anatomy, physiology, microbiology, statistics, developmental psychology, and the wellness courses).
- complete all UWEC nursing program application materials.

Other data that may be used by the Admissions Committee are derived from a variety of sources that include UWEC and nursing program admissions applications, high school transcript showing rank in class, previous college records, and standardized test scores such as the ACT or SAT.

**CNA, CPR, Health Records and Background Check**

1. Evidence of certification as a nursing assistant (CNA) must be submitted prior to registering for NRS 240.
2. Evidence of CPR certification at the Healthcare Provider or Professional Rescue level, and all required health information must be submitted with nursing program acceptance notification.
3. Evidence of agreement to a criminal background check must be submitted with nursing program acceptance notification.

**Requirements for Bachelor of Science in Nursing** - Total of 120 semester credits.

**Overall Requirements:**

English Composition – 5 credits  
Physical Education (Kinesiology) – 1 activity credit  
Cultural Diversity Requirement – 3 credits  
Foreign Language/Culture competency (See catalog)  
Wellness Theory – HPW 102 (NRS 211)

**Required non-nursing courses:**

Chem 101 or 105 (Chem 103 General Chemistry)	5 credits
Chem 203 (Chem 150 Survey of Biochemistry)	3 credits
Biology 285 and Biology 287 (Biology 214/314)	7 credits
Biology 333 (Biology 361 Microbiology)	4 credits
Psych 260 (Psychology 230 Human Development)	3 credits
Math 355 or Psych 300 (Math 246 Introduction to Statistics)	4 credits

**General Education** – At least 39 credits designated as General Education in five categories. No more than 10 credits in one department.

**Category One** – Communications

Minimum of 6 credits in at least 2 subcategories  
(one is fulfilled by the statistics requirement)

**Category Two** – Natural Sciences

9-12 credits in at least 2 subcategories  
(fulfilled by the required science course)

**Category Three** – Social Sciences

9-12 credits in at least 2 subcategories  
(one is fulfilled by the required Psychology 230)

**Category Four** – Humanities

9-12 credits in at least 2 subcategories

**Category Five** – University wide

0-6 credits

**Nursing Courses**

60 credits

**Program costs:** In addition to regular fees, students are responsible for the costs associated with (1) purchase of uniforms, stethoscopes, and skills lab supplies; (2) purchase of textbooks; (3) transportation to and from clinical experiences; (4) required immunizations and health-monitoring practices; (5) non-refundable application fee.

**For program advising, students are encouraged to contact:**

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