

Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing (RN to BSN): MCC to Clarkson College Option

Clarkson College has a signed articulation agreement with Metropolitan Community College (MCC). Students who complete an approved associate degree at MCC are guaranteed general admission into a corresponding baccalaureate degree program at Clarkson College.

By completing the Associate in Science in Nursing (ASNAS) degree at MCC, students transfer 70 semester hours as a direct transfer package into the Bachelor of Science in Nursing - RN to BSN degree at Clarkson College. The following degree plan outlines the courses needed to complete this degree. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree may be completed in as little as three semesters. Students must have an active and unencumbered license prior to acceptance at Clarkson College.

Direct transfer package granted for completion of MCC ASNAS degree: 70 semester hours.

Core Courses 9 semester hours

Must be taken at Clarkson College

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	HOURS	INSTITUTION	SEMESTER COMPLETED	GRADE
ICC*	Intercultural Communication	3	Clarkson College		
HUM	Humanities	3	Clarkson College		
EAA	Ethics, Empathy and Advocacy	3	Clarkson College		

*Designated service course

General Education 9 semester hours

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	HOURS	INSTITUTION	SEMESTER COMPLETED	GRADE
IPE 301	Interprofessional Education	0	Clarkson College		
NRS 205	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology	6	Clarkson College		
MAT 310	Statistics	3			

RN to BSN Transition Courses 7 semester hours

Upon successful completion of the following courses, the student is eligible to take the remaining BSN courses.

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	HOURS	INSTITUTION	SEMESTER COMPLETED	GRADE
NRS 349	Pathways to Success	1			
NRS 356	Concepts of Professional Practice RN-BSN	3			
NRS 357	Physical Assessment	3			

Students will receive an additional 14 validation credits upon completion of the RN to BSN transition courses.

Major Courses 12 semester hours

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	HOURS	INSTITUTION	SEMESTER COMPLETED	GRADE
NRS 352	Evidence-Based Inquiry in Health Care RN-BSN/MSN	2			
NRS 475	Leadership/Management RN-BSN/MSN	3			
NRS 481*	Population Health Theory	3			
NRS 482	Capstone/Practicum RN to BSN/MSN	4			

* Designated service course

Total semester hours in program = 121

Service Requirement: Bachelor programs require students to complete service experiences in Intercultural Communication Core and a minimum of one program-designated service course. Service experiences must be passed successfully to pass the class.

Interprofessional Education Requirement (IPE): All programs require students to successfully pass IPE 301 before graduation.

Residency Requirement: At least 27 semester hours must be completed at Clarkson College for a Bachelor degree.

The information in this degree plan is intended to be informational and not contractual in nature.

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