University of Missouri—St. Louis

Reaching Out to You

You can earn a high quality, fully accredited, low-cost college degree that is close to home from the University of Missouri-St. Louis. In cooperation with Jefferson College, Mineral Area College, St. Charles Community College and St. Louis Community College at South County and Wildwood, UMSL offers degree credit courses which lead to a smooth transition for transfer students interested in completing a Bachelor’s degree. The faculty and staff of the community colleges and UMSL are committed to helping you achieve your academic goals.

The UMSL College of Nursing recognizes registered nurses as busy adult learners who are licensed professionals, often with years of experience. The RN to BSN program offers registered nurses the opportunity to continue their education through flexible and convenient programs, without repeating courses and experiences commonly completed as part of an Associate’s degree or diploma nursing program.

Please visit our website for more details:
https://www.umsl.edu/off-campus-degree-completion/nursing.html

For more information on the RN to BSN program, please contact:
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About the Program

The Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN) plan of study is designed to be completed in six consecutive terms (four academic semesters and two summer terms), and takes two years to complete. Coursework for the two year program is offered via the Internet, on the UMSL campus, off-campus at selected hospitals and community colleges, or in telecommunication centers at convenient area locations. Students may attend classes one evening per week at an outreach site in the St. Louis area. Classes take place one evening per week from 6:00 pm to 8:40 pm. The day of the week will vary according to the location at which the program is being offered.

The UMSL Off-Campus Degree Completion Program offers this opportunity at St. Charles Community College.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Nursing studies explore concepts of health assessment, family health, community health, research, leadership and health promotion with community-based, independent clinical activities. General education requirements are met through a strong liberal arts component including studies beyond the sciences, so students are prepared for advancement in the nursing profession.

RN to BSN students may transfer general education credit hours from community colleges and other accredited colleges and universities. Advanced Placement and CLEP credit are accepted according to UMSL policies listed in the Bulletin which can be viewed at www.umsl.edu.

UMSL’s BSN program is fully accredited by the Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education, the nationally recognized accrediting body for Baccalaureate and higher degree programs, and the BSN pre-licensure options are fully approved by the Missouri Board of Nursing.

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING
At St. Charles Community College

**FALL 2016**

- **N3900** Dimensions of Professional Nursing 3
- **N3817** Introduction to Nursing & Health Informatics 3

Credit Hours: 6

**SPRING 2017**

- **N3920** Health Assessment* 3
- **N4905** Values in Professional Nursing* 3

Credit Hours: 6

**SUMMER 2017**

- Junior Level Writing 3
- **N3799** Quantitative Analysis in Healthcare (statistics) 3

Credit Hours: 6

**FALL 2017**

- **N3807** Research in Nursing 3
- **N3808** Management & Leadership in Nursing 3

Credit Hours: 6

**SPRING 2018**

- **N4901** Family and Community Nursing* 5

Credit Hours: 5

**SUMMER 2018**

- **N4911** Synthesis in Nursing* 5

Credit Hours: 5

*Includes a laboratory and/or clinical component.

**Admission Requirements for the RN to BSN program include:**

- Admission to UMSL.
- Graduate of either an accredited diploma or associate degree program in nursing.
- Evidence of current licensure as a registered nurse with eligibility for licensure in Missouri.
- Cumulative grade point average of 2.5 (4.0 scale) on a minimum of 30 transferable credit hours (excluding nursing course work).

**Other Degree Requirements:**

RN to BSN students are required to complete a standardized assessment exam during the final part of the program evaluation.

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