ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE IN NURSING TO A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – ST. LOUIS & EAST CENTRAL COLLEGE
TRANSFER GUIDE

This Guide is intended for the use of students who plan on transferring from East Central College (ECC) with a completed Associate in Applied Science in Nursing to the University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Nursing: RN to BSN Completion Program.

The UMSL RN to BSN Completion Program is designed to be a flexible option, completed in five consecutive terms after transfer. Courses can be taken online or on the UMSL campus one evening per week. For more information on this program, please visit the UMSL College of Nursing’s website. Also, it is highly recommended that prospective Nursing students meet with the UMSL College of Nursing as early as possible to make sure that they have all information relevant to their degree progress. The UMSL College of Nursing can be reached at (314) 516-6066 to schedule an information session.

The following are the requirements of the ECC Associate in Applied Science degree program as they are recommended for students intending to continue on into UMSL’s RN to BSN Completion program. Completing these requirements as they are recommended here will maximize the transferability of a student’s coursework toward their UMSL Bachelor’s degree. Further details of this Associates degree program, as well as comprehensive lists of courses that satisfy each General Education component, may be found within the ECC course catalog or may be obtained through an ECC advisor.

This guide is intended for use under advisement of an ECC Academic Advisor or UMSL Transfer Specialist and is not considered to be substitution of such advisement. For any questions regarding this guide please contact the UMSL Office of Admissions at 314-516-5451

PROGRAM PREREQUISITES
The following courses and requirements must be completed prior to applying for admission into the Nursing (RN) – Associate of Applied Science:

*Contact your East Central College academic advisor to ensure you have completed and met the necessary requirements for entrance to the Nursing (RN), AAS.

- 2.75 Overall college GPA.
- PSC CIVICS – Civics Achievement Exam
- COL 100 – Campus Orientation
- COL 101 – Falcon Seminar (1)
- Math proficiency at or above the MTH 110 (3) level (see UMSL requirements for additional information)*
- ENG 101 College Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100) (3)
- PSY 101 General Psychology (MOTR PSYC 100) (3)
- BIO 206 Human Anatomy & Physiology I Lecture & Lab (MOTR LFS 150L) (4)
- BIO 207 Human Anatomy & Physiology II Lecture & Lab (4)

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- NUR 101 Fundamentals of Nursing lecture (6.5)
- NUR 102 Fundamentals of Nursing Lab (2.5)
- ENG 102 English Comp II (MOTR ENGL 200) (3)
- NUR 131 Nursing of Adults & Children I Lecture (5)
- NUR 132 Nursing of Adults & Children I Lab (5)
- BIO 205 Microbiology for Allied Health (4)
- NUR 201 Nursing of Adults & Children II Lecture (5.5)
- NUR 202 Nursing of Adults & Children II Lab (4.5)
- Core 42 Civics (3)
- NUR 231 Nursing Adults & Children III Lecture (5)
- NUR 232 Nursing of Adults & Children III Lab (5)
- NUR 291 Nursing Trends (1)
- SOC 101 General Sociology (MOTR SOCI 101) (3)

UMSL REQUIREMENTS
The following ECC courses fulfill additional requirements of the UMSL RN to BSN Completion program. Though they are not required by the ECC Associates in Applied Science in Nursing, they can be completed at ECC during the Associates if the student has space in their schedule. These requirements will otherwise be fulfilled at UMSL after transferring:
- CHM 106 Chemistry of Health Science Lecture & Lab (5)
- Complete 1 of the following Math course (can be waived by completion of MTH 150 with C or above)*
  - MTH 140 Contemporary Mathematics (MOTR MATH 120) (3)
  - MTH 170 College Algebra (MOTR MATH 130) (3)
- MTH 150 Statistics (MOTR MATH 110) (3) (If course taken at UMSL, prerequisites are required)*
- Complete three MOTR courses in Humanities & Fine Arts from at least two different areas of study.

*Indicates a grade of C- or higher is required

NOTE: Students must be in residence for at least 24 of the last 30 hours of graded credit (exclusive of courses graded on a satisfactory/unsatisfactory basis). Advanced Placement and CLEP credit are accepted according to University policies in the UMSL course catalog, the Bulletin.

UMSL BSN ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS
The following must be satisfied to be eligible for admission into the UMSL RN to BSN Completion program:
- Admission to the University by completing the UMSL undergraduate application.
- Graduate of either an accredited diploma or associate degree program in nursing.
- Evidence of current RN licensure or eligibility for RN licensure in Missouri if in the final year of an associate degree program for dual admission.
- Cumulative transfer GPA of 2.5 or higher on a minimum of 30 transferable credit hours (excluding nursing course work)
- RN-BSN program supplemental application which will require the following:
  - Personal statement indicating reasons for continuing nursing education and professional goals
  - Required essay
  - Resume outlining previous education, work/volunteer experience, extra-curricular activities, leadership roles, honor and awards

There is no application deadline for the RN to BSN program. Spaces are assigned to qualified applicants on a first to enroll basis. However, it is suggested that applicants submit all required materials at least 4-6 weeks prior to the start of the term for which they plan to enroll.

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