



Nursing RN-BS

Degree Offered: Bachelor of Science

If you are a registered nurse interested in personal development or career mobility, Daemen's RN to BS program is for you. Daemen College's upper division nursing program is designed especially to meet the varied needs of the professional registered nurse.

Daemen's state-of-the-art technology affords you several options when it comes to taking classes.

You may wish to participate in a class at a remote location with the use of our video conferencing technology or work at your own pace and in the comforts of your own home during one of our online classes.

Career Options:

The courses in leadership, evidence-based practice, and health care policy all shape the professional nurse. Nurses who have a Bachelor of Science degree increase their mobility within an organization and have additional opportunities for employment. Graduates will find this degree opens doors to new career options in administrative, research, management, and leadership positions in a variety of settings.

Why Nursing RN-BS @ Daemen?

- Flexible course schedule to allow for either full or part-time study
- Liberal credit transfer policies. Students are able to transfer in both science and elective credits.
- Individualized attention from faculty
- Personalized academic advisement
- Financial assistance earmarked for nurses
- Innovative curriculum, non-repetitive of previous education and experience
- Course offerings in fall, spring and summer so students can begin at any time
- Compact, easily accessible campus

This program allows you to complete degree requirements in a minimum of 12 months. You and your academic advisor can arrange the program to meet your individual needs as a working professional.

You'll find many students already enrolled in Daemen's upper division program have several years of professional experience and college courses to their credit. Most of them are returning for their degree while they continue to hold professional positions in the community. Many also have the added responsibility of household and family commitments.

No matter what your particular situation, Daemen's program is flexible enough to meet your individual needs.

Daemen's Nursing RN-BS Program is ACCOMMODATING

Flexible Scheduling: All coursework required for the BS degree, both nursing and non-nursing courses, is offered in three-hour time blocks, one day or evening per week. This enables working professionals to access as many as four courses per semester – full-time study—and be on campus only one day per week.

Some nursing courses are offered in an online format, making it possible for you to complete the course in the comfort of your own home, on your own schedule! The new accelerated track offers the option of completing the BS degree in two semesters of full time study depending on the number of non-nursing courses needed.

Of course, part-time schedules are also available; in fact, each semester the RN meets with a nursing advisor to select the courses which best meet the nurse's needs for the upcoming semester.

Tuition Grants: Generous tuition grants for registered nurses are available, which underwrite 50% of tuition. These grants are not based on financial need, and are guaranteed through completion of BS degree requirements.

Experienced Faculty: All nursing faculty at Daemen have special expertise in teaching and advising adult learners, and are readily available to counsel and support the RN's quest for a BS degree.

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Daemen also offers distance-linked classes to Jamestown and Olean. Students can take the on-campus classes for NUR 417 at the distance sites so they don't have to travel to campus for those classes. They can also take NUR 315, 316 and 317 totally online.

Admissions Requirements:

Applicants are considered on an ongoing basis. In addition to a completed application, the following are required for admission:

- Official transcripts from previously attended schools, colleges, and/or universities
- Evidence of RN licensure or eligibility to take the RN licensure exam
- Immunization records

Bachelor of Science with a major in Nursing Undergraduate Curriculum

Liberal Arts and Sciences (60 credits)

Anatomy and Physiology I	(4 credits)	Chemistry	(3 credits)*
Anatomy and Physiology II	(4 credits)	Statistics	(3 credits)
Pathophysiology	(3 credits)	Electives	(40 credits)
Microbiology	(3 credits)		

Students may also be eligible to design minor areas of study in select liberal arts areas.

*Students who have successfully completed high school chemistry (official high school transcript must be on file in the Daemen College Registrar's Office) will not be required to complete CHE 101. An additional 3 credits in liberal arts or sciences electives will be required.

Nursing (60 credits)

Lower Division Nursing 30 credits (transferred from associate degree/diploma nursing courses)

Upper Division Nursing 30 credits

- NUR305 Health Assessment (3)
- NUR315 Concepts of Professional Nursing Practice (3)
- NUR316 Holistic Perspectives (3)
- NUR317/L Professional Nursing Practice I (6/0)
- NUR417/L Professional Nursing Practice II (6/0)
- NUR432 Professional Issues (3)
- NUR453/L Professional Nursing Practice III (6/0)

Total: 120 Credits

Residency Requirement:

In order to earn a degree from Daemen College, a minimum of 30 credits must be earned by completing Daemen courses.

For further information or if you would like to visit the Nursing Department to talk with faculty please contact:
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