UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO SCHOOL OF NURSING & HEALTH PROFESSIONS BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN) CURRICULUM PATTERN

UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR (MAJOR CODE: NURS)

(Student may enter in either the Fall or Spring semester) Effective Fall 2025

SOPHOMORE YEAR 1st Semester: Nursing Module #1 Applied Pathophysiology & Pharmacology 1 3 credits NURS220 Essentials of Pharmacology: Pin' & Conc 2 credits NURS221 Essentials of Pharmacology: Pin' & Conc 2 credits NURS222 Applied Assessment & Nursing 4 credits Fundamentals I: Health & Wellness Fundamentals I: Health & Wellness 4 credits Wurs222 Applied Assessment & Nursing 4 credits Wurs223 Clinical Lab I: Applied Assessment in Health & Wellness Wurs225 Clinical Lab I: Applied Assessment in Health & Wellness Wurs225 Wurs225 Nursing in the Jesuit Tradition I* 1 credit Nurs120 Nursing in the Jesuit Tradition I* 1 credit TOTAL: 17 credits TOTAL: 17 credits TOTAL: 17 credits TOTAL: 17 credits TOTAL: 18 credits Wurs328 Clinical Lab III: Community & Mental Health Nursing (fulfills Cultural Diversity requirement) 4 credits Wurs322 Evidence-Based Inquiry & Informatics 4 credits Vurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg Nurs - Mgmt of Comprehensive Adult Patient Care Nurs378 Nurs378 Clinical Lab IV: Med-Surg N
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Note: Minimum Total Number of Credits Required as per University Graduation Requirement: 120
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** Must be taken before the Nursing Module #3 semester.
*** Prerequisite to NURS322.
BRN requirement for NCLEX.

BSN CURRICULUM PATTERN

The following clinical prerequisites must be successfully completed *before* beginning the 3rd semester (Sophomore 1 Nursing Module #1):

BIOL113: Human Anatomy Lecture

BIOL114: Human Anatomy Lab

BIOL115: Survey of Human Physiology Lecture
BIOL116: Survey of Human Physiology Lab

BIOL134: Microbiology Lecture
BIOL135: Microbiology Lab

3 credits
1 credit

PSYC101: General Psychology

4 credits

NOTE: Human Anatomy (BIOL 113/114) and Human Physiology (BIOL 115/116) must be taken in the same semester.

Successful completion of a nursing support course (e.g. clinical prerequisites) or a nursing major course is defined as a final course grade of "C" or better.

Students who earn less than a "C" in any one of these courses must repeat the course and earn a "C" or better on the second attempt. Students who earn less that a "C" in any two (2) of these courses will be disqualified from the nursing program.

Any Rhetoric & Composition (CORE A2) course(s) must be completed before the 5th semester (1st JUNIOR semester, Nursing Module #3) and must be taken at USF. A grade of "C" or better is necessary to fulfill this SONHP requirement.

The following courses are BRN requirements and must be passed with a grade of "C" or better: CORE A1 (Public Speaking), CORE A2 (Rhetoric & Composition), CORE B1 (Statistics – before the first semester of the Junior year, Nursing Module #3), CORE B2 (see notes above re: clinical prerequisites), CORE E (PSYC 101), Sociology (SOC 150 recommended, but SONHP will accept any four-credit SOC course).

ALL NURS courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better (C = 75-77% for NURS courses), or "S" if a clinical course. Students who earn less that a "C" (or "S" for clinical courses) in any two (2) of these courses will be disqualified from the nursing program.

As undergraduate students enroll in the above courses, they may also enroll in any of the CORE requirements listed below to insure that they retain their full-time student status (12 credits per semester):

CORE A (1): A (2):	Public Speaking Rhetoric & Composition	4 credits (preferably RHET111: Public Speaking for Health Professionals; RHET 103 is also acceptable) 4 credits
CORE B (1): B (2):	Math or Quantitative Science Applied or Laboratory Science	4 credits (preferably met by Elementary Statistics: MATH 101; PSYC 260 is also acceptable) 4 credits (met by BIOL115 & 116: Survey of Human Physiology)
CORE C (1): (2):	Humanities: Literature Humanities: History	4 credits 4 credits
CORE D (1): (2): (3):	Philosophy Theology & Religious Studies Ethics	4 credits 4 credits 4 credits
CORE E:	Social Sciences	4 credits (requirement met by PSYC101 or SOC150: Intro Sociology)
CORE F:	Visual & Performing Arts	4 credits

NOTE: Your *Cultural Diversity* requirement is met by NURS320: Community & Mental Health Nursing. Your *Community-Engaged/Service Learning* requirement is met by NURS325: Clinical Lab III. You do not need to register for additional courses to fulfill these USF requirements.

All students in the SONHP are expected to meet these qualifications and successfully complete course requirements (as also delineated in the BSN Student Handbook). The SONHP will endeavor to make reasonable modifications and otherwise reasonably accommodate students with disabilities. Students with disabilities should consider their ability to meet these qualifications with reasonable

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