

The University of Iowa College of Nursing
RN-BSN Progression Program

Transfer Guide for **Minnesota West Community & Technical College**

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The associate degree nurse is assumed to have competence in microbiology, anatomy, physiology, nutrition, introductory psychology and sociology, life-span human development and behavior, and communication skills, as well as basic nursing competence. Coursework in these areas is required as part of the Associate Degree in Nursing curriculum at Minnesota West Community & Technical College. Students are encouraged to speak with an advisor in the College of Nursing if there are deficits in any of these areas.

Prerequisite and Supporting Courses

Minimum Application Requirements Beyond the ADN or Diploma: Composition II, Statistics, and at least 2 of the 3 required supporting courses must be completed or in progress at the point of application to the College of Nursing.

University of Iowa Requirement	Minnesota West Comparable Course Number and Course Title	MN West Credit	Comments
Rhetoric (Composition I, Composition II, & Speech)	ENG 1101 Composition I ENG 1102 Composition II SPCH 1101 Intro to Speech	3 sh each	
Statistics	MATH 1105 Intro to Probability & Statistics	4 sh	Presumes HS algebra competence
Students need a total of three supporting courses from at least two of the following three areas.			
**Biophysical Science Supporting Area (Talk with advisor about additional courses.)	BIOL 1110 Principles of Biology BIOL 2240 Genetics CHEM 1100 Intro to Chemistry CHM 1150 Survey of Chemistry CHEM 1101, 1102 General Inorganic Chemistry I, II CHEM 2201, 2202, Organic Chemistry I, II PHYS 1100 Survey of Physics	4 sh 3 sh 4 sh 4 sh 5 sh ea 5 sh ea 3 sh	Higher level courses will have prereqs
**Social Science Supporting Area (Talk with advisor about additional courses.)	PSCI 1101 Intro to Political Science PSCI 201 American Government & Politics PSYC 1111 Psychology of Adjustment PSYC 1140 Child & Adolescent Psychology PSYC 1141 Psychology of Adulthood & Aging PSYC 2210 Basic Counseling Skills PSYC 2221 Abnormal Psychology PSYC 2223 Psychology of Gender PSYC 2230 Behavior Modification SOC 1102 Social Problems SOC 2210 Marriage & Family SOC 2220 Family Life Dynamics	3 sh each 2 sh	Some courses may have prerequisites.
**Business/Management Supporting Area (Talk with advisor about additional courses.)	BUS 1101 Intro to Business BUS 2201, 2202 Principles of Accounting I, II BUS 2221 Principles of Management BUS 2230 Principles of Marketing BUS 2241 Business Law	4 sh each 3 sh each	Some courses may have prerequisites.

	BUS 2275 Human Resource Management ECON 2201 Principles of Macroeconomics ECON 2202 Principles of Microeconomics CSCI 1102 Introduction to Microcomputers	3 sh each	
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General Education Requirements			
Cultural Anthropology	Comparable course not available		One course required for graduation
Humanities	ART 1120 Art Appreciation; ENG 1105 Intro to Literature, EN 2201, 2202 American Lit I, II, EN 2221, 2222 British Lit I, II; MUSC 1104 American Popular Music, MUSC 1105 Enjoying Music; PHIL 1101 Intro to Philosophy, THTR 1101 Intro to Theater, THTR 2122 Intro to Film	3 sh each	One course (and minimum of 3 sh) required for graduation
OR			
Fine Arts	ART 1101 Beginning Drawing, ART 1115 Beginning Painting, ART 1124 Intro to Ceramics	3 sh each	
Foreign Civilization & Culture	HIST 1111, 1112 Western Civilization I, II; ART 2240, 2245 Art History I, II	3 sh each	One course (and minimum of 3 sh) required for graduation
OR			
Cultural Diversity	SOC 2224 Racial & Ethnic Minorities	3 sh	
Foreign Language (may be satisfied by 2 years of one language in HS or exemption by HS graduation date prior to 1991)	SPAN 1101, 1102 Spanish I, II	4 sh ea term	2 nd level required for graduation

For a preliminary transcript review or additional information, contact The University of Iowa RN-BSN Program Office:

Students may transfer up to half of the hours required for the BSN (or 64 of the total 128 sh) from a community college. A transcript review will identify community college credit earned within current nursing articulation agreements.

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