

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

**Projected Costs for RN-BSN Progression Students**  
2009-2010

“Typical” RN-BSN Graduate of Community College ADN Program\*

<b>Required Courses</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>	<b>Tuition</b>	<b>Estimated Books/Syllabi</b>
Prerequisite Courses (composition II, speech, statistics) @ CC costs of approx. \$122/hr	9 sh	\$ 1,098	\$ 400
Supporting Courses (three) @ CC tuition *	9 sh	1,098	450
General Education Courses (3 courses: Cultural Anthropology, Hum/ Fine Arts, Foreign Civ & Culture/ Cultural Diversity) @ CC tuition *	9 sh	1,098	500
General Elective Credit (approximately 7 sh) @ UI undergrad tuition per Registrar’s table, plus computer fee	7 sh	1,694	500
Nursing Major (eight required courses) @ \$315/credit **	25 sh	\$7,875	1,000 #
Nursing Major Electives (minimum of 5 sh) @ UI undergrad tuition (approx \$242/hr) per Registrar’s tuition table, plus computer fee	5 sh	1,210	350
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>64 sh</b>	<b>\$14,073</b>	<b>\$3,200</b>

\* Community college tuition is represented as \$122 per credit. Tuition and fees at your local community college may vary.

\*\* This figure reflects a surcharge as part of tuition approved by the Board of Regents. RNBSN core nursing courses include:

- 96:190 Dimensions of Professional Nursing
- 96:191 Health Assessment
- 96:143 Research for Nursing Practice
- 96:153 Public Health Nursing
- 96:154 Public Health Nursing Practicum
- 96:194 Leadership & Care Management in Professional Nursing Practice
- 96:195 Practicum for Leadership & Care Management
- 96:196 Special Studies in Nursing

# In addition to books and printing syllabi, this figure is estimated to include costs related to entry into the program (e.g., malpractice insurance premium, cost of required background check for clinical assignment, university orientation fee). Students enrolled in Extension (EX) courses pay a mandatory computer fee.