

Program map for Nursing - RN to BSN Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) (Part-Time Non-AN-DTA/MRP Graduate)

2024-25



[Return to Health Sciences and Wellness Program Maps \(lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health)

This degree option is designed for licensed registered nurses (RNs) who have completed an associate degree from an accredited college or nursing program. Learning focuses on community and population health, leadership, team coordination and collaboration, quality assurance and improvement, care coordination and case management, and application of research and evidence-based practice. The curriculum is designed to include clinical reasoning skills, problem solving, and critical thinking at the level of a bachelor-prepared RN. Graduates from the RN to BSN program are prepared to apply for advanced degree programs.

[View this program in the LCC Catalog \(lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/programs/Health-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/programs/Health-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN)

See also

- [Degree Requirements for Health Sciences and Wellness programs \(lowercolumbia.edu/programs/health\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/programs/health)
- [Course descriptions in the LCC Catalog \(lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/courses\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/courses)
- [Distribution lists in the LCC Catalog \(lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/distribution-lists\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/distribution-lists)

Important: Many course sequences only begin in fall quarter. Check with your program advisor.

By Quarter Overview

[Review Clinical Requirements for Nursing \(lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health/ANDTAMRP-Nursing/#:~:text=Review%20Clinical%20Requirements%20for%20Nursing\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health/ANDTAMRP-Nursing/#:~:text=Review%20Clinical%20Requirements%20for%20Nursing)

[Review RN to BSN Program Requirements \(lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/programs/Health-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN/\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/publications/catalog/programs/Health-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN/)

[Apply for admission to the RN to BSN program \(lowercolumbia.edu/bas/nursing/\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/bas/nursing/)

First Quarter (Summer)

- NURS 400: Quality, Safety, and Equity in Nursing Practice (5 credits)
 - *MATH& 146 or equivalent with a grade of C or better**
- PSYC 320: Leadership and Organizational Psychology (5 credits)

**Pre- and/or corequisite(s)*

Second Quarter (Fall)

- NURS 405: Research and Evidence-Based Nursing Practice (5 credits)
- NURS 410: Community and Public Health Nursing (5 credits)

Third Quarter (Winter)

- NURS 415: Leadership for Organizational Change (5 credits)
- NURS 440: Current Trends in Healthcare Policy (5 credits)

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Fourth Quarter (Spring)

- NURS 420: Health Information Technology in Nursing (5 credits)
- NURS 430: Nursing Community Care Field Experience (5 credits)

**Pre- and/or corequisite(s)*

Fifth Quarter (Summer)

- NURS 435: Historical and Theoretical Influences on Current Nursing Practice (5 credits)
- ECON 445: Healthcare Economics (5 credits)

Sixth Quarter (Fall)

- CMST 330: Professional/Organizational Communications
- OLTM 440: Ethics in Leadership: Leading and Managing in a Diverse Society

Detailed Class Sequence

The RN to BSN is a cohort-based program, which means that students take classes together, as a group, in the same sequence. This is the part-time cohort map for graduates from non-AN-DTA/MRP associate degree nursing programs. See also:

- [Nursing - RN to BSN \(Full-Time Cohort, Non-AN-DTA/MRP Graduate\) program map \(lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health/Non-ANDTAMRP-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN-full-time\)](https://lowercolumbia.edu/program-maps/health/Non-ANDTAMRP-BSN-Nursing-RN-to-BSN-full-time)

1. Quality, Safety, and Equity in Nursing Practice

NURS 400 (5 credits)

2. Leadership and Organizational Psychology

PSYC 320 (5 credits)

3. Research and Evidence-Based Nursing Practice

NURS 405 (5 credits)

4. Community and Public Health Nursing

NURS 410 (5 credits)

5. Leadership for Organizational Change

NURS 415 (5 credits)

6. Current Trends in Healthcare Policy

NURS 440 (5 credits)

7. Health Information Technology in Nursing

NURS 420 (5 credits)

8. Nursing Community Care Field Experience

NURS 430 (5 credits)

9. Historical and Theoretical Influences on Current Nursing Practice

NURS 435 (5 credits)

10. Healthcare Economics

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12. Ethics in Leadership: Leading and Managing in a Diverse Society

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