



STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITIES

Focused on Integrated Care

Active learning is more than a method — it's a mindset.

UNI Nursing's innovative learning environment is built to reflect real clinical settings, with a focus on team-based, integrated care. Students gain hands-on experience in fully equipped labs and simulation suites, where classroom lessons connect seamlessly with clinical practice.

This approach prepares future nurses to think critically, collaborate effectively and provide whole-person care from day one.

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End of Program Outcomes

UNI NURSING STUDENTS WILL

1. Apply clinical judgment in the delivery of care by synthesizing knowledge, skills, and technology from the established and evolving art and science of nursing, as well as from the biological, social and behavioral sciences.
2. Employ person-centered care in partnership with the client, identified support persons, and the healthcare team.
3. Evaluate health equity at the population levels.
4. Integrate the best scholarly evidence into nursing practice.
5. Apply principles of safety and quality improvement into the delivery of care.
6. Apply collaborative practice to optimize patient care.
7. Apply knowledge of systems to work effectively across the continuum of care.
8. Apply principles of professional nursing ethics in the care of individuals across the lifespan.
9. Utilize information technologies to deliver evidence-based care.
10. Create a personal and professional plan for long-term resilience.



YOUR FUTURE STARTS HERE

Nursing



A NEW PATHWAY FOR *Future Nurses*

University of Northern Iowa's Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program prepares nurses who are clinically focused and practice-ready. Students become proficient through situational awareness and develop clinical judgment, allowing them to excel in a variety of settings.

PROGRAM FEATURES

HANDS-ON PATIENT CARE

in settings such as acute, long-term, hospice, chronic, rehabilitative and critical/trauma care, obstetrics, pediatrics, mental health, community and public health, and more.

INNOVATIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

to develop care competencies such as administering medications and assessing patient conditions through simulations and standardized patient examinations.

DEDICATED RESIDENCY

in an acute or critical care unit setting, mentored by RN.



HOW DO I APPLY?

NEW FRESHMEN & TRANSFER STUDENTS

Incoming freshmen will begin nursing prerequisite coursework during their first year at UNI.

Transfer students or incoming freshmen with transfer credits may apply to the UNI nursing program if prerequisites are met or in progress. Please refer to the current UNI student process for more info.

CURRENT UNI STUDENTS

UNI students with an interest in nursing should submit a nursing application to the Department of Nursing & Public Health, who will make admissions decisions for the program.

Prerequisite coursework must be completed prior to the start of the program. Students are admitted each semester (fall & spring cohorts).

APPLICATION DEADLINES

- ✦ **Apply by Jan 5** (early consideration) for the fall cohort. Decisions will be sent around Feb 5.
- ✦ **Apply by Feb 15** (standard consideration) for the fall cohort. Decisions will be sent around Mar 15.
- ✦ **Apply by Sept 16** for the spring cohort. Decisions will be sent around Oct. 7.

Note: Prerequisite courses must be completed prior to the start of the selected cohort.

PREREQUISITE COURSEWORK*

CHEM 1010: Principles of Chemistry

BIOL 1101: Principles of Anatomy and Physiology I ^

BIOL 1102: Principles of Anatomy and Physiology II ^

STAT 1772: Introduction to Statistical Methods

- OR -

SOC SCI 2020: Social Sciences Statistics

PH 2160: Medical Terminology

PSYCH 2202: Developmental Psychology

- OR -

FAM SERV 1055 Lifespan Development

Students must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA in the prerequisite courses. Students with a lower GPA may be considered due to special circumstances. Prerequisite courses must be taken within five years prior to entering the nursing major, and students must earn a grade of "C-" or higher."

** Equivalent transfer courses, including courses taken from community colleges, will be accepted.*

^ Students transferring in BIOL 1101 and BIOL 1102 should take both course equivalents at the same institution.



For more information, including a tour of the UNI Nursing facilities, student testimonials, FAQs and more, visit nursing.uni.edu.