

Dual Degree PARTNERSHIP IN Nursing

Course Curriculum

The Dual Degree Partnership in Nursing (DDPN) gives aspiring nurses the best possible combination: a four-year liberal arts college experience, a challenging nursing curriculum and significant direct patient care—all for lower tuition than a traditional four-year nursing program. Outlined below is the curriculum that DDPN students are expected to complete each semester, although they may have the flexibility to reduce their course load by taking summer sessions.

<i>Year I Le Moyne</i>			
<i>Fall</i>		<i>Spring</i>	
BSC 201 Anatomy & Physiology*	(4)	BSC 202 Anatomy & Physiology*	(4)
WRT 101 Critical Writing (Core)**+	(3)	ENG 210 (Core)+	(3)
HST 110 (Core)	(3)	HST 111 (Core)	(3)
PSY 101 Intro to Psychology*	(3)	SOC 101 Intro to Sociology*	(3)
COR 100	(3)	NSG 330 Professional Issues and Trends*	(3)
* required for progression to the nursing program at St. Joseph's; minimum grade of "C" (2.0) must be earned in each course		* required for progression to the nursing program at St. Joseph's; minimum grade of "C" (2.0) must be earned in each course	
+ WRT 100: Introduction to Critical Writing may need to be taken before enrolling in WRT 101 depending on outcome of entry English placement exam		+ If WRT 100 is taken in fall semester and successfully completed, then WRT 101 must be taken in this spring semester and ENG 210 in the summer.	
Total credits: 16		Total credits: 16	

Optional Summer Session: One or two courses from Year I

<i>Year II St. Joseph's</i>			
<i>Fall</i>		<i>Spring</i>	
NSG 110 Foundations of Nursing and Health	(7)	NSG 120 Health and Illness Across the Lifespan (7.5 weeks)	(4)
NSG 111 Nursing Assessment and Skills I	(2)	NSG 121 Nursing Assessment and Skills II	(2)
PSY 220 Human Lifespan Development	(3)	NSG 122 Family Health (7.5 weeks)	(4)
PHL 110 (Core)	(3)	BSC 205 Microbiology	(4)
		PHL 210 (Core)	(3)
Total credits: 15 <i>12 credits at St. Joseph's; 3 credits at Le Moyne College</i>		Total credits: 17 <i>14 credits at St. Joseph's; 3 credits at Le Moyne College</i>	

Optional Summer Session: One or two courses from Year II

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<i>Year III St. Joseph's</i>	
<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
NSG 210 Holistic Health Care (7.5 weeks) (5)	NSG 213 Transition Into Professional Practice (9)
NSG 211 Nursing Assessment and Skills III (2)	NSG 214 Nursing Assessment and Skills IV (1)
NSG 212 Health Care Systems (7.5 weeks) (5)	PHL 346 Ethics (Core) (3)
BSC 345 Pathophysiology* (3)	NSG 315 Health Assessment* (3)
<i>Total credits: 15</i> <small>12 credits at St. Joseph's; 3 credits at Le Moyne College</small>	<i>Total credits: 16</i> <small>13 credits at St. Joseph's; 3 credits at Le Moyne College</small>

During the intercession period between the fall and spring semesters of Year IV, students may have the opportunity to study abroad for 2-3 weeks to fulfill community health clinical hours and to experience a cultural immersion.

<i>Year IV Le Moyne</i>	
<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
ENG 310 Core (3)	NSG 421 Global Perspectives on Family Health* (3)
NSG 350 Research in Nursing*(WID) (3)	REL 100-400 (3)
NSG 410 Management/Leadership** (3)	NSG 411 Nursing and Health Policy* (3)
Selected Elective (300 or 400 level and related to health care)* (3)	NSG 440 Community Health** (DIV) (4)
MTH 110 Introduction to Statistics *** (3)	NSG 461 Principles of Teaching and Learning* (3)
THE 100-400 Level (Core) (3)	COR 400 (3)
* A minimum grade of "C" must be earned in all NSG, BSC and Selected Elective courses	* A minimum grade of "C" must be earned in all NSG, BSC and Selected Elective courses*
** includes clinical hours	** includes clinical hours
***may take MTH 111 (4 credits) as substitute. MTH 110/111 is a major support course for the BS degree; minimum grade of "C" must be earned in this course	
<i>Total credits: 18</i>	<i>Total credits: 19</i>

Optional Summer Session: Two courses from Year IV

Pre-/Corequisites

Course:

NSG 330 is the **first Nursing course** a student will take before taking any other NSG courses
 NSG 350 - pre-requisite is Statistics (MTH 110 or 111)
 NSG 421 - pre-requisite is NSG 350
 BSC 345, NSG 315, NSG 461 - must have Junior status (54) credits in order to take
 NSG 410 Management & Leadership and NSG 440 are restricted to seniors

Total Liberal Arts & Science/Nursing Credits

Liberal Arts & Science: 66 credits (27 credits at St. Joseph's; 39 credits at Le Moyne College)
Nursing: 66 credits (41 credits at St. Joseph's; 25 credits at Le Moyne College)

Total Program Credits

Total Program Credits: 132 (68 credits St. Joseph's; 64 credits Le Moyne College)
 "Core" courses are part of Le Moyne College's general education requirements and are held on Le Moyne's campus with the exception of PHL 346 Ethics, which is held at St. Joseph's.
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