

## School of Nursing

### GENERIC BSN ADMISSIONS PROCESS

(This is not a complete listing of BSN degree requirements, only the application requirements.)

#### **Step 1: Qualifying for application to the Generic BSN Program**

- Acceptance to the University of West Georgia <http://www.westga.edu/admiss/>
- **Overall** University of West Georgia **minimum grade point average (OGPA) of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.** **Transfer students** must meet this GPA requirement by having an official Transfer Evaluation completed by the Registrar's Office. This process can take 10-12 weeks **after** acceptance to UWG.
- **The following prerequisite nursing coursework** must be completed by the semester that ends in December, before the application period closes (Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>) See additional required nursing prerequisites in the information packet available for download on the School of Nursing website, under programs-BSN-How to Apply.

<b>AREA A:</b> (9 hours required)	<b>English 1101</b> (3 hrs) <b>English 1102</b> (3 hrs) <b>Math 1001 or 1111</b> (3 hrs)
<b>AREAS D &amp; F:</b> (Any 12 hours of <a href="#">lab science</a> courses in areas D & F required at time of application.)	Please note that a degree in nursing requires a 1000-level lab science sequence. At time of application, if more than one course in Area D has been taken, both courses must be in a sequence to count as 8 hours towards the 12 hour lab science requirement. See sequence options below. <b>Area D:</b> <b>BIOL 1107/1107L</b> (4hrs) & <b>1108/1108L</b> (4hrs) <b>OR,</b> <b>CHEM 1211/1211L</b> (4hrs) & <b>1212/1212L</b> (4hrs) <b>OR,</b> <b>CHEM 1151/1151L</b> (4hrs) & <b>1152/1152L</b> (4hrs) <b>OR,</b> <b>PHYS 1111/1111L</b> (4hrs) & <b>1112/1112L</b> (4hrs)  <b>Area F:</b> <b>BIOL 2021/2021L</b> (4hrs) Anatomy & Physiology I <b>BIOL 2022/2022L</b> (4hrs) Anatomy & Physiology II <b>BIOL 2030/2030L</b> (4hrs) Medical Microbiology
<b>AREA D:</b> (3 hours required)	<b>MATH 2063</b> (3 hrs) Applied Statistics
<b>AREA B, C, E, F:</b> (12 hours required)	<b>12 Additional hours in areas B, C, &amp; E</b> See semester core checklist in information packet on School of Nursing website under program, BSN page under 'How to Apply'

#### **Step 2: Applying for the Generic BSN Program**

- **Application period opens July 1<sup>st</sup> and ends January 15<sup>th</sup> for summer admission.**
- **The BSN Admission Application** must be completed, **notarized**, and received in the School of Nursing within the application period. <http://www.westga.edu/~nurs>
- **Submit proof of acceptance to UWG** or your UWG spring schedule with the School of Nursing application.
- **Applicants will receive a letter from the School of Nursing regarding T.E.A.S. (*Test of Essential Academic Skills*) examination dates and registration information by the end of January. Applicants must score at or above the national mean on this exam to be considered for School of Nursing admission.** If an applicant chooses to take the TEAS Test at another location, official score sheets must be received in the School of Nursing no later than February 28<sup>th</sup> because the decisions will be made in March. The testing fee is NON-REFUNDABLE.

#### **Step 3: Admission to the Generic BSN Program**

Applicants will be ranked based on the admission criteria above as well as:

- Performance in core areas A, D, & F (English, Math and Science courses listed above).
- Score on the T.E.A.S

Additional points will be awarded to applicants with:

- A bachelor's or higher degree in another field
- Licensure as an LPN
- Completion of 15 semester hours of coursework at the University of West Georgia.