Bachelor of Science of Nursing (BSN)

Trinidad State offers an online RN-BSN program. Students in this program will be assigned a nursing coach to help stay on track in the program. The Leadership course has 22.5 hours of practicum, community health has 45 hours of practicum, and seminar has 45 hours. All practicum can be completed within the United States and near the area the student lives.

Advantages:

- Personal nursing coach to guide you through the program
- Ability to complete the practicum where you live
- Affordable
- Various BSN Electives

The mission of the RN-BSN nursing program is to embrace diversity and provide a quality, accessible, enriching educational experience that allows the student to continue utilizing evidence-based practice in the profession of nursing.



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Interested applicants, please submit applications at: trinidadstate.edu/rn-bsn







RN to BSN Program



Application Procedure

Admissions to Trinidad State Application (Must have a GED/High School Diploma) Apply online: www.trinidadstate.edu TS Student Number: S
Provide previous educational information to TS christy.holden@trinidadstate.edu Transcripts – high school, ACT/SAT scores, previous College, Immunization Records
FAFSA – File a Free Application for Federal Student Aid at www.fafsa.ed.gov TS Code: 001368 need previous income tax records Pin: Password:
Colorado Opportunity Fund – Colorado residents are eligible for the COF which decreases your tuition. cof.college-assist.org User ID: Password: There is a waiver if you have used all your COF.
Scholarships trinidadstate.edu/scholarships
Nursing Admission Application Go to https://form.jotform.com/TSJCnursing/rn-bsn-application to submit online application



Students may apply to the program after their first successful semester in a nationally accredited ADN program or after attaining their RN license. For more information on admission requirements, please see

https://trinidadstate.edu/rn-bsn/index.html



RN License:

Must be an United States unencumbered RN License. Licenses with public discipline will be reviewed on a case by case bases. License file can be uploaded on online application.

- Send verification of Associate or Diploma degree from a regional accredited school with a national nursing accreditation.
- Out-of-state students should be aware of restrictions that may exist for TS to provide education to them. In addition, TS must be authorized by the State Board of Nursing in the student's state of residence in order to provide instruction. For more information please contact us, visit http://nc-sara.org, and contact your State Board of Nursing.
- Criminal background checks and urine drug screens must be successfully completed prior to be accepted into the program. The background check and urine drug screen will need to be repeated if required by the site before enrolling in NUR 4009 and/or NUR 4010. Depending on the practicum sites that the student attends, proof of up to date immunizations might be required.
- Up to 89.5 credits will be transferred in towards the BSN. Transfer credits must be equivalent to courses within the TS BSN Plan of Study.
- A transfer grade has to be a "C" or higher to transfer into TS.
- Students may complete the Non-nursing courses while in the BSN program. Statistics must be completed prior to the NUR 3003 course. Non-nursing courses include courses outside of the NUR prefix such as general studies and electives. These non-nursing courses can be completed at a regionally accredited institution concurrently and transferred into TS.
- At least 30.5 credits of the BSN must be earned at TS.

The RN-BSN program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (https://www.aacnnursing.org/CCNE).

General Courses

ENG 1021	English Composition	3
PSY 2440	Growth & Development	3
BIO 2101	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIO 2102	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
HWE 1050	Nutrition	3
BIO 2116	Pathophysiology	4
SOC 1001	General Sociology	3
	*Or other GT-AH1, 2, 3, 4, GT-HI1, GT-SS1, 2, 3	
PSY 1001	General Psychology	3
	*Or other GT-AH1, 2, 3, 4, GT-HI1, GT-SS1, 2, 3	
MAT 1260	Statistics	3
ENG 1022	English Composition II	3
HIS 1310	Western Civ Antiquity	3
	*Or other GT-HI1	
Art 1010	Art Appreciation	3
	*Or other GT-AH1, 2, 3	
Electives (Higher Sciences Preferred)		8
TOTAL GEN ED CREDITS		47

highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/gtPathways/ curriculum.html

Nursing Credits

Associate Level Nursing Courses		42.5
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NUR 3001	Integration of BSN	3
NUR 3002	Trends in Nursing Practice	3
NUR 3003	Research/Evidence Based Prac.	3
NUR 3004	Informatics	3**
NUR 3005	Emergency Preparedness	3**
NUR 3006	Gerontology	3**
NUR 3007	Behavioral Health	3**
NUR 4008	Legal/Ethical	3
NUR 4009	Leadership in Nursing Practice	3.5***
NUR 4010	Community Health	6***
NUR 4011	Seminar	3
TOTAL BSN	CREDITS	30.5
TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE		120

^{**}Of the four courses pick only two

Statistics must be complete prior to NUR 3003

All courses must be successfully completed prior to NUR 4011

^{***}RN License prior to enrollment