VERA Z. DWYER COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTH BEND

BSN CLINICAL APPLICATION INFORMATION: Fall 2022

APPLICATION TIMELINE:

Application available: **February 1st**   Application due: **April 1st**

Decisions communicated: **Early June**   Program start: **Fall Semester**

CLINICAL COMPLIANCE:

When students are accepted into the program, they are expected to complete and provide all required documents.

APPLICATION WORKSHOP:

If you are interested in meeting with the academic advising staff to review your program readiness and the application process, please RSVP for one of these Zoom workshops in the Student Appointment Scheduler (SAS) via One.IU.edu. The workshop registration opens **two weeks** before the listed date.

- Friday, February 18 from 9-10:30am
- Friday, March 25 from 9-10:30am

GPA REQUIREMENTS:

Application GPA: **2.70**   Science GPA: **2.70**   Cumulative GPA: **2.50**

To determine your application and science GPAs, use the attached excel spreadsheet. You will need to include the number of credits hours earned and grade obtained in each course. The School of Nursing does not round any scores.

Applicants must complete all prerequisite courses requirements by May 17, 2022.

APPLICATION PREPARATION:

Before you begin the on-line BSN application, please have the following ready to upload:

Personal essay: Describe what it means to be a professional nurse and why you have chosen to pursue nursing as a career. Per federal guidelines, all patient information must be kept in strict confidence and consequently, not shared in any manner; this includes specific details of family illnesses. The essay must be double-spaced, with 1 inch margins and 12 pt. font (1 page maximum). Please include your student identification number ONLY on the top right corner.

Once you have this document ready to be uploaded, please complete the application on-line at:
https://iu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_ePq28rCiLwlMVYq

RANKING:

- Application GPA (the weighted GPA of <u>all</u> program prerequisite courses): Exact GPA on a 4.0 scale is awarded for a total of **30%**.

- Science GPA (the weighted GPA of the program prerequisite <u>science</u> courses): Exact GPA on a 4.0 scale is awarded for a total of **25%**.

- Essay (the average of reviewers' scores): Up to 4 points are awarded for a total of **15%**.

- Campus Enrollment (the weight assigned to the type of institution where the program prerequisite courses were taken): Up to 4 points are awarded for a total of **15%**
  4: All program prerequisite courses taken at IUSB
  3: Any transfer credits from another IU system institution
  2: Any transfer credits from another bachelor degree granting institution
  1: Any transfer credits from a 2 year institution with which IU has a formal agreement (i.e. Ivy Tech)
  0: Any transfer credits from a 2 year institution with which IU DOES NOT have an agreement

- Course Repeat (the weight assigned to the number of program prerequisite courses that were repeated): Up to 4 points are awarded for a total of **15%.**
  4: No repeats of any program prerequisite courses
  3: Repeat of 1 non-science course
  2: Repeat of 1 science course
  1: Repeat of 1 science course and 1 non-science course <u>OR</u> Repeat of 2 non-science courses
  0: Repeat of 2 science courses <u>OR</u> 3 non-science courses <u>OR</u> 1 science and 2 non science course

PREREQUISITES:

Requirements	Specific Class	Used in GPA calculations	Students with ≤44 tr. credits	Students with ≥45 tr. credits	2nd degree students
Fundamental Literacies			12 Credits	12 Credits	6 credits
Writing	ENG-W 131	Application			
Oral Comm.	SPCH-S 121				
Critical Thinking	PHIL-P 102				
Quant. Reasoning	HSC-H 322	App/Science			
Common Core			12 Credits	3 Credits	0 credits
190					
190					
190					
390/399					
Contemp. Social Values			6 Credits	3 Credits	3 credits
Global Cultures					
Diversity in U.S. Society	SOC-S 161	Application			
Ext. Literacies			3 Credits	3 Credits	3 credits
Health & Wellness	HSC-H 102	Application			
Additional Courses			28 Credits	28 Credits	28 credits
	PSY-P 103	Application			
	PSY-P 216	Application			
	HSC-L 320	Application			
	NURS-B 231	Application			
	CHEM-C 102	App/Science			
	PHSL-P 261	App/Science			
	PHSL-P 262	App/Science			
	MICR-M 250	App/Science			
	MICR-M 255	App/Science			