

MEDICAL
CARE

Higher Quality, Improved Outcomes:
The Harrisburg University
NURSING ONLINE PROGRAMS

RN TO BSN

M.S. NURSING





RN TO B.S. NURSING ONLINE PROGRAM

The HU program is uniquely crafted to leverage the resources of a STEM university and package them in a superior online degree.

HU's RN to BSN opens doors to opportunities. They can earn graduate-level credits and start the journey toward advanced-practice nurse status. HU's RN to BSN candidates transfer a minimum of 70 credits toward their degrees. Full-time students can earn degrees in 18 months.

Graduates of HU's BSN program embrace science and interdisciplinary knowledge in order to advance care in all settings. Harrisburg University of Science and Technology's online RN to BSN incorporates that solid core, delivering real results for the investment:

- **Science foundation:** An evidence-based, STEM-focused approach further grounds nurses in contemporary healthcare trends.
- **Nurse colleagues:** HU nurses transform into health-policy advocates. In the best of two worlds, students enjoy the journey and achieve personal growth, while employers equip nurses to assume leadership roles and contribute to the system-wide quest for continuous and enhanced patient experiences.
- **Practical applications:** HU's RN to BSN keeps a laser focus on workplace implementation of evidence-based practices to improve patient and population health outcomes.
- **Affordable excellence:** Through financial aid and reciprocal agreements, HU delivers solutions to meet your workforce needs.

HU'S B.S. NURSING DEGREE DELIVERS

- **Interprofessional skills:** Today's nurses are team members. HU's BSN holders gain the collaborative capabilities needed for success in a variety of health care environments.
- **Cultural competency:** Nurses contribute to improved patient outcomes when they are able to recognize and act upon diverse cultural values and attitudes toward health care.
- **True STEM learning:** Courses designed around scientific disciplines are taught by HU's seasoned faculty – all experts in their fields. A biologist teaches genetics. A physician teaches pathophysiology. Students explore evidence-based nursing from a practice, policy, and systems perspective.
- **Practical practicums:** Students work with professors and advisers to craft personalized practicums inspired by their daily challenges. The workplace benefits from nurses applying their new health advocacy, leadership, and problem-solving skills.



M.S. NURSING ONLINE PROGRAM

Harrisburg University of Science and Technology's Master of Science degree in Nursing program was designed for busy working adults who are looking for a fast-paced learning environment that supports a healthy work-life balance.

The majority of the 36-credit-hour program is taught online. But H.U.'s innovative seven-week semester structure also allows for face-to-face interaction with professors and peers to build a network base. At the start and end of each semester, students will come to campus two days a week, normally on Fridays and Saturdays.

Course offerings in this program will give students a broad understanding of diverse topics in current trends in nursing. These include the promotion of evidence-based practice, the strengthening of interprofessional communication, and an overall mindset of professional development, health equity, and the social determinants of health. The program will prepare nurses for careers in leadership in clinical and non-clinical healthcare settings.

HU'S M.S. NURSING DEGREE DELIVERS

Candidates for the HU MSN can pursue concentrations in Clinical Nurse Expert/Clinical Nurse Leader or Nurse Educator. By graduation time, the degree encompasses the skills and practices known to build capacity, promote professional growth, and further advance population health outcomes.

- **Interprofessional collaboration:** Our nurses stand toe to toe as full partners of the diverse health care teams striving for high quality and sterling outcomes.
- **Lifelong learning:** A custom-crafted learning plan guides further career advancement and maintenance of credentials.
- **Analytics:** Evidence-based research directs clinical and operational decisions.
- **Making change happen:** HU nursing leaders know how to design and evaluate frameworks that turn ideas into reality.
- **Compliance:** Regulatory adherence demands a strict, disciplined approach.

PROGRAM GOALS

A successful student of the program gains the following skills (vary according to the degree/concentration taken):

- Demonstrate Collaboratory practice expected of all healthcare professionals
- Produce a life-long learning plan specific to career advancement and maintaining credentials
- Utilize evidence-based research to guide healthcare clinical and operation decisions
- Design and evaluate frameworks required to implement healthcare initiatives
- Adhere to regulatory practices associated with the healthcare industry



TUITION PRICING

MSN | Master of Science in Nursing Online | \$650 Per Credit

BSN | RN to BSN Online | \$380 Per Credit

Tuition does not include the tuition discount offered to PSL employees.

The baccalaureate degree program and master's degree program in nursing at Harrisburg University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (<http://www.ccneaccreditation.org>).



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<http://HarrisburgU.edu/lib/pdf/annual-security-report-clery-report.pdf>. You may request a paper copy of this report by contacting HU at Connect@HarrisburgU.edu

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