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FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Post-BSN Doctor of Nursing Practice

Master of Science in Nursing

Adult-Gerontology | Family | Pediatrics | Psychiatric-Mental Health



The BSN to DNP at FIU provides students the opportunity to obtain both degrees in a streamlined manner. Its curriculum awards the MSN degree after semester six, allowing the students to sit for Advanced Practice Nursing national certification at the MSN level and continue enrollment into the doctoral preparation. The program is offered to baccalaureate prepared nursing candidates only.

Admissions Minimum Requirements

- BSN from an ACEN or CCNE accredited program. Applicants from programs without such accreditation will be considered on an individual basis
- Cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or greater on a 4.0 scale (CUM GPA is a calculation inclusive of all academic coursework taken for college credit)
- UG 60 GPA of 3.0 or greater in Bachelor of Nursing upper division coursework
- Current State of Florida RN license. Out-of-state students must obtain a license to practice in Florida prior to admission
- Demonstrate English Proficiency (ONLY Graduates of non-English speaking institutions) by the FIU requirements Ex:
 - iBT TOEFL: 80
 - Paper TOEFL 550/IELTS: 6.5

If selected for admission and prior to enrollment, candidate must provide documentation of NWCNHS-required criminal background investigation, drug screening, etc.

How to Apply:

- 1 Submit online application via NursingCAS <http://www.nursingcas.org> by deadline (Service fee.)
 - Submit official Transcripts to NursingCAS from ALL SCHOOLS attended for college credit (AA, BSN degrees) for upload, verification and GPA calculations
 - Upload all required supplemental items:
 - Three (3) professional reference letters
 - Professional Curriculum Vitae/CV
 - Active Florida RN License
 - Personal Statement
- 2 Submit FIU Supplemental Application (Service fee.)
 - Send Official Transcripts from all all colleges and universities attended (ASN, AA, BSN, etc.) to FIU Office of Graduate Admissions
 - FIU graduate admissions requirements apply <https://admissions.fiu.edu>
- 3 Professional Interview with Graduate Nursing admissions committee: Following a review, a select number of applicants will participate in a panel interview by

Program Highlights

- Post-Baccalaureate Direct Entry
- No GRE Requirement
- 10 semesters (Fall)
- 11 or 14 semesters (Spring)
- MSN conferral in route to DNP
- Family & Psychiatric Mental Health:
 - Hybrid courses with clinical placements by the program
- Pediatrics & Adult-Gerontology:
 - Predominantly online with clinical placements by the school for local students ONLY.
- Distance/online students responsible for locating their sites



Applications Accepted:
Fall: Dec 1 - Mar 1
Spring: May 1 - Aug 1

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