

What can you do with a Nursing major from SPU?

The Nursing program at Seattle Pacific University prepares graduates of competence, character, and wisdom to meet the health needs of a community by promoting wellness and providing illness care for its members.

Potential occupations include:

- Clinical Nurse
- College-University Faculty
- Nurse Case Manager
- Office Nurse
- Policy Expert
- Public Health Nurse

Related majors at SPU include Food & Nutrition, Exercise Science, Life Science, and BS in Psychology.

Suggested Transfer Preparation at South Seattle College

AA-DTA or AS-DTA along with the nursing prerequisites below.

Pre-requisite courses for the major you may complete at South Seattle College

South Seattle College Courses	Equivalent SPU Courses
BIOL& 241 Human Anatomy & Physiology I w/ Lab (5) - AND - BIOL& 242 Human Anatomy & Physiology II w/Lab (5)	BIO 2129 Anatomy & Physiology (5) - AND - BIO 2130 Anatomy & Physiology (5)
BIOL& 260 Microbiology w/Lab (5)	BIO 3351 General Microbiology (5)
CHEM& 121 Introduction to Chemistry w/Lab (5)	CHM 1310 Survey of General Chemistry (5)
CHEM& 131 Intro to Organic/Biochemistry (5.0)	CHM 1330 Organic & Biological Chemistry (5)
NUTR& 101 Nutrition (5)	FCS 3340 Human Nutrition (5)
MATH& 146 Introduction to Statistics (5)	MAT 2700 Statistics for Business (5)
PSYC& 100 General Psychology (5)	PSY 1180 General Psychology (5)
PSYC& 200 Lifespan Psychology (5)	PSY 2470 Lifespan Development Psychology (5)

Note: All prerequisite courses must have a minimum grade of C (2.0).

Admission to the Major

- Admission to this major is competitive, so your prior academic performance is important. Transfer students must have completed either a Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA) degree or 90 transferable credits by the end of the quarter prior to entry into the nursing program.
- Transfer students must have a minimum 3.5 GPA in the combined prerequisite courses, with no course less than a "C" grade (2.0). A maximum of two courses may be repeated to achieve the minimum grade of 2.0. Apply to Seattle Pacific University at the same time you apply to the nursing program and indicate nursing as your preferred major.
- Applicants must complete all prerequisite courses prior to beginning nursing major coursework.
- Part of the selection process requires applicants to participate in an interview. Applications for the nursing major are available on the School of Health Sciences nursing website: <http://spu.edu/nursing-transfer>

Learn more about the SPU Nursing major:

<http://spu.edu/nursing-major>

<http://spu.edu/nursing-major-reqs>

Courses in the major to complete at SPU

NUR 3110 Health & Illness 1: Theory (3)
NUR 3111 Health & Illness 1: Practicum (2)
NUR 3112 Professional Nursing 1 (3)
NUR 3113 Health Assessment (2)
NUR 3114 Pathophysiology (3)
NUR 3116 Pharmacology (3)
NUR 3120 Health & Illness 2: Theory (5)
NUR 3121 Health & Illness 2: Practicum (4)
NUR 3122 Professional Nursing 2 (3)
NUR 3130 Health and Illness 3: Theory (5)
NUR 3131 Health and Illness 3: Practicum (4)
NUR 3132 Professional Nursing 3 (3)
NUR 4140 Health and Illness 4: Theory (5)
NUR 4141 Health and Illness 4: Practicum (6)
NUR 4142 Professional Nursing 4 (3)
NUR 4150 Health and Illness 5: Theory (4)
NUR 4151 Health and Illness 5: Practicum (3)
NUR 4152 Professional Nursing 5 (3)
NUR 4153 Nur Ldrshp in Commnty Engagmnt (2)
NUR 4162 NCLEX Preparation Course (2)
NUR 4896 Transition to Practice Synthesis (5)
NUR 4897 Transition to Practice Practicum (5)
NUR 4950 Selected Topics (2)

Other Requirements for the Degree

In addition to the major, the degree requires completion of any remaining general education and University requirements, and at least 180 college credits total, including 60 upper-division (UD) credits.

All students must complete the University Foundations Requirement at SPU—even those who have completed the Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA) Associate Degree.

Students admitted with fewer than 90 credits (freshmen and sophomores) complete 15 credits:
 UFDN 1000 The Christian Faith (5)
 UFDN 2000 Christian Scriptures (5)
 UFDN 3100 Christian Theology (5)

Students admitted with 90 credits or more (juniors and seniors) complete 10 credits:
 UFDN 3001 Christian Scriptures (5)
 UFDN 3100 Christian Theology (5)

Two-Year Course Plan for the Nursing major:

(Assumes satisfactory completion of all prerequisite courses, and completion of the DTA associate degree)

Year One		
Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 3110 (3) NUR (2) NUR 3112 (3) NUR 3113 (2) NUR 3114 (3) NUR 3116 (3) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 3120 (5) NUR 3121 (4) NUR 3122 (3) UFDN 3001 (5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 3130 (5) NUR 3131 (4) NUR 3132 (3) UFDN 3100 (5) <p><i>Apply to Graduate</i></p>
Year Two		
Quarter 4	Quarter 5	Quarter 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 4140 (5) NUR 4141 (6) NUR 4142 (3) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 4150 (4) NUR 4151 (3) NUR 4152 (3) NUR 4153 (2) NUR 4950 (2) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUR 4896 (5) NUR 4897 (5) NUR 4162 (2)

Get more information about transfer admission to Seattle Pacific University at: <http://spu.edu/transfer>
 Questions? Contact transfer@spu.edu