

## Transfer Requirements Guide for Nursing – Western Illinois University

The College of Nursing upper division undergraduate program leads to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing. The curriculum reflects the need for a strong science-based program; development of decision-making skills; and, community-based clinical experiences.

### Transfer Admission Guidelines

The College of Nursing admits qualified transfer students from accredited institutions. Applicants are required to have a minimum 2.75 (A=4.0) cumulative transfer GPA and a 2.50 GPA in the five natural science prerequisite courses. Admission is competitive. To be considered for the College of Nursing, applicants must complete all of the following prerequisite coursework prior to Fall term enrollment with grades of C or better in all courses. **Natural Sciences must have been completed within seven years prior to enrollment. Minimum of three of the five natural science prerequisites (Anatomy & Physiology I and II, Microbiology, General Chemistry and Organic Chemistry) must be completed by the final application deadline of January 15<sup>th</sup>.** The College of Nursing offers information sessions on select dates throughout the year. For more information, go to the College of Nursing website at [www.uic.edu/nursing/prospectivestudents/infosessions.shtml](http://www.uic.edu/nursing/prospectivestudents/infosessions.shtml) or call 312-996-7800.

Nursing students are admitted only in the Fall semester. **Transfer applicants are strongly encouraged to apply online at [www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply\\_undergrad.html](http://www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply_undergrad.html). College of Nursing supplemental materials are required. Information regarding the submission of the Nursing supplemental materials is available on the College of Nursing website at [www.uic.edu/nursing/prospectivestudents/bsn-apply.shtml](http://www.uic.edu/nursing/prospectivestudents/bsn-apply.shtml).** Students who have an active RN license may apply for the RN-BSN Program through UIC Online. Information regarding the online RN to BSN degree completion program is available at [www.uic.edu/orgs/online](http://www.uic.edu/orgs/online). **This guide is based on UIC's 2011-13 catalog and is valid for students who enroll through Fall 2012.**

### Worksheet

Enter department abbreviations and course numbers below as you complete course work. Total the hours earned for each requirement in the blank spaces along the right margin and total all transferrable hours at the bottom.

	Dept. & Course #	Dept. & Course #	Total Hours
<b>UNIVERSITY WRITING REQUIREMENT</b> (6 sem. hrs.)			
Eng 180,280 -- College Writing I & II	_____	_____	_____
<b>SCIENCES</b> (20 sem. hrs.)			
Micr 200 -- Microbiology (4)	_____	_____	_____
Zoo 230,231 -- Anatomy & Phys I & II (8)	_____	_____	_____
Chem 101,102 -- General & Organic Chem (8)	_____	_____	_____
<b>NUTRITION</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
FCS 109 -- Introduction to Nutrition	_____	_____	_____
<b>UNDERSTANDING THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY</b> (3 sem. hrs. – Intro. Psychology recommended)			
Psy 100 -- Introduction to Psychology (recommended)	_____	_____	_____
See reverse for approved courses.	_____	_____	_____
<b>UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY</b> (3 sem. hrs. – Intro. Sociology recommended)			
Soc 100 -- Intro. to Sociology (recommended)	_____	_____	_____
See reverse for approved courses.	_____	_____	_____
<b>LIFE SPAN HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
Fcs 121 -- Intro. to Life Span Development	_____	_____	_____
<b>EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
See reverse for approved courses.	_____	_____	_____

**UNDERSTANDING THE PAST** (3 sem. hrs.)

See reverse for approved courses.

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**UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS** (3 sem. hrs.)

See reverse for approved courses.

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**ELECTIVES** (varies) Choose courses from Course Substitution Table to meet minimum transfer credit hour requirement.

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**COMPUTER COMPETENCY – A student must be able to send and receive e-mail, conduct a web search, and do word processing.**

\*One upper – division course (3 sem. hrs.) in either physical sciences, life sciences, mathematical sciences, social sciences, fine arts, performing arts, or humanities must be completed at a Bachelor's granting institution or after enrollment at UIC.

**GRAND TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

## Course Substitution Table

**UIC general education requirements changed beginning in Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC through Spring 2009 will be allowed to follow either the GE pattern used prior to Fall 2007 or the new GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC in Fall 2009 or later will be required to follow the GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007.**

Use the following tables to estimate how UIC might accept any general education courses you may have already completed. Acceptable courses and credit hours may vary by institution. UIC recommends that students contact a pre-admission counselor in Undergraduate Admissions at (312) 996-4350 before choosing any courses. Only lower-division, introductory courses will be accepted for general education. **If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.**

### UNDERSTANDING THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY

Intro. to Anthropology  
Intro. to Cultural Anthropology  
Macroeconomics  
Microeconomics  
Intro. to Geography  
Intro. to Regional Geography

Intro. to Philosophy  
Ethics  
World Religions  
Intro. to American Government  
International Relations  
State & Local Government

Intro. to Psychology  
Abnormal Psychology  
Social Problems  
Marriage & the Family  
Intro. to Social Science  
Western Civilization

### UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY

African American History  
Intro. to African American Literature  
Intro. to Criminal Justice  
Microeconomics  
Macroeconomics

Native American Literature  
Asian American Literature  
Geography of the U.S. & Canada  
U.S. History  
Intro. to Latino Studies

Native American Studies  
Intro. to American Government & Politics  
Intro. to Sociology  
Social Problems  
Intro. to Urban Studies

### EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES

Intro. to Archaeology  
Intro. to Social & Cultural Anthropology  
French Literature in Translation  
Intro. to French Literature  
World Regional Geography  
Intro. to Cultural Geography

World History  
East Asian Civilization  
Intro to North American Indian History  
African Civilization  
Latin American History  
Middle Eastern Civilization

Native American Studies  
Intro. to Comparative Politics  
International Relations  
Spanish Literature in Translation

### UNDERSTANDING THE PAST

African American History  
Intro to Archaeology  
Intro. to Anthropology  
Greek Civilization  
Roman Civilization  
Intro. to Shakespeare  
Cultural History of Modern Greece

Western Civilization  
U.S. History  
World History  
East Asian Civilization  
Latin American History  
Middle Eastern Civilization  
European History

History of France  
History of Spain  
History of Poland  
Native American Studies  
Intro to Theatre

### UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS

African American Literature  
Art History  
Greek Civilization  
American Literature  
British Literature  
English & American Poetry  
English & American Drama

English & American Fiction  
Intro. to Shakespeare  
Intro. to Germanic Cultures & Literature  
Italian Cinema  
Intro. to Music  
Music Theory  
Music Literature

Polish Literature in Translation  
Russian Literature in Translation  
Intro. to Russian Cinema  
Latin American Literature in Translation  
Intro. to Theatre  
French Literature