

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

PROGRAM INFORMATION PACKAGE

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The <u>Bachelor of Science in Nursing</u> (BScN) is a four-year program of studies to prepare students to be competent nurses in a variety of health care practice agencies (Institutional, Community and International), and with people who have a variety of health concerns with diverse social and economic backgrounds.

Upon completion of the BScN Program, graduates are eligible to write the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX). Upon successful completion of the NCLEX you apply for registration to the BC College of Nurses and Midwives (BCCNM) to practice as a Registered Nurse (RN).

The BScN program entails eight academic semesters starting each September for 80 students. The practice courses involve various shifts (days/evenings/nights) through the week and weekends along with out-of-town placements that is a requirement for all students.

INTAKE DATE

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Fall (September)

January 31, 2021

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Grade 12 (or equivalent) or mature student status
- English Studies 12/English First Peoples 12 with a minimum of 73% (or equivalent)
- Anatomy & Physiology 12 with a minimum of 67% (or equivalent)
- Foundations of Mathematics 12 (recommended) or Pre-calculus 12 with a minimum C+ (or equivalent)
- Chemistry 11 with a minimum of 67% (or equivalent)
- One additional Science 11 or Science 12 with a minimum of 67% (or equivalent)

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY DOCUMENTATION

• Letter of Introduction – (2 typed pages) brief personal history (including health care related experiences), reasons for choosing nursing, and positive attributes you bring to the program and nursing profession.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1. Apply online through EducationPlannerBC
- 2. <u>Submit official transcript(s)</u> to Enrolment Services

Official High School Transcripts:

BC high school applicants must register to release their transcript to TRU through the <u>Student Transcript Service (STS)</u>. For assistance with this process, please refer to the Transcript Service help videos or connect with our Future Students team at 250-828-5006. Out of province applicants must send their official transcripts now and at the time of graduation. Please visit your provincial or territorial Ministry of Education for further information on how to order.

Official Post-Secondary Transcripts:

Applicants are required to submit official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended. If you are currently attending another post-secondary institution, you must submit an official transcript at the time of your application. Should you have courses in progress, you will be required to submit a final official transcript at completion. You are not required to submit your TRU transcript.

Option to submit transcripts by mail: Official transcripts can be mailed directly from the school in a sealed envelope to:

Thompson Rivers University Enrolment Services 805 TRU Way Kamloops, BC V2C 0C8

3. Submit additional required supplementary documentation to Admissions. Documents emailed to admissions@tru.ca must be in PDF format. Include your TRU ID number in the subject line.

NEXT STEPS

We will contact you within 5 working days to confirm receipt of your application. You will then be able to review your application status and document receipt on <u>myTRU</u>. Please allow 3-5 days from submission of your documentation for the receipt date to be reflected on your account.

NEED HELP?

Contact Us

Enrolment Services – Admissions & Registration Old Main, Student Street Email: admissions@tru.ca