



# HARDING UNIVERSITY CARR COLLEGE OF NURSING (HCCN)

"Developing Nurses as Christian Servants"

Suggested BSN Curriculum Sequence: 2025-2026 Academic Year

## Freshman Year (Health Studies)

** BNEW 1010 Life & Teachings of Jesus (Gospels)	2	** BNEW 1030 Faith & Mission of the Church (Acts-Revelation)	2
+* ENG 1110 Intro to Univ Writing & Research	3	* PSY 2010 General Psychology	3
COMM 1010 Communication Principles	3	HIST 1010 or 1020 American History <sup>@</sup>	3
BUS 2510 Personal Finance	1	## NURS 3010 Social Determinants of Health or SOC 2030 General Sociology <sup>@</sup>	3
* NURS 1000 Introduction to Nursing	1	@ MATH 1110 Fundamental Math for Nurses	1
KINS 1010 Wellness <sup>@</sup>	2		
&*Δ Track 1: CHEM 1010/1010L General Chemistry		*Δ Track 1: BIOL 2400/2400L Anatomy & Physiology I for Nurses	
Track 2: BIOL 2400/2400L Anatomy & Physiology I for Nurses	4	Track 2: BIOL 2405/2405L Anatomy & Physiology II for Nurses	4
<b>Total 16</b>		<b>Total 16</b>	

## Sophomore Year (Health Studies)

** BOLD 2010 Creation & Kingdom (Genesis - Esther)	2	** BOLD 2030 Wisdom & Prophets (Job - Malachi)	2
+ ENG 2110 Critical Reading, Thinking & Writing	3	* NURS 2030 Health Assessment	3
* FCS 3230 Lifespan Human Development	3	* FCS 3310 Nutrition	3
ENG 2010/2020 World Literature I or II	3	* MATH 1200 Elementary Statistics <sup>@</sup>	3
ART 1010 or MUS 1010 or THEA 1010 <sup>@</sup>	3	&* NURS 3630 Pathophysiology <sup>@</sup>	3
*Δ Track 1: BIOL 2405/2405L Anatomy & Physiology II for Nurses		*Δ Track 1: BIOL 2410/2410L Introduction to Microbiology	
Track 2: CHEM 1010/1010L General Chemistry	4	Track 2: BIOL 2410/2410L Introduction to Microbiology	4
<b>Total 18</b>		<b>Total 18</b>	

## Admission to the HCCN Level 1 (First Year of Nursing Program)

Level 1A		Level 1B	
** Bible elective	2	*** Bible elective/Global Perspective	3
NURS 3000 Professional Nursing	5	NURS 3500 Psychiatric & Mental Health Nsg	4
NURS 3210 Pharmacology & Nursing	3	NURS 3450 Maternity & Women's Health Nsg	4
NURS 3540 Gerontological Nursing	2	NURS 3510 Adults/Chronic Health & Rehab Concerns	5
NURS 3620 Nursing Practice Interventions	2		
<b>Total 14</b>		<b>Total 16</b>	

## Level 2 (Second Year of Nursing Program)

Level 2A		Level 2B	
**** BHIS 3040 Church History: Ancient to Medieval/ BHIS 3050 Church History: Reformation to Modern	2	NURS 4120 Research in Nursing	3
NURS 3550 Pediatric & Child Health Nsg	4	NURS 4540 Advanced Medical Surgical Nursing	5
NURS 4200 Nsg Adults w/Acute Hlth Concerns	5	NURS 4550 Nsg Leadership & Management	4
NURS 4530 Community Health Nsg	4	## NURS 4620 Nsg Capstone Experience	3
<b>Total 15</b>		<b>Total 15</b>	

## LEGEND FOR COURSE CURRICULUM SEQUENCE

Many students take courses during the summer. If you wish to lighten your regular semester course load, please see your advisor and the Registrar for information about summer courses.

The following symbols match with various courses on the front page:

Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description
*	All of the courses listed with an (*) are required to have a "C" or higher. Certain specific courses ( <b>CHEM 1010/1010L or CHEM 1040; BIOL 2400/2400L or BIOL 3200; BIOL 2405/2405L or BIOL 3210; BIOL 2410/2410L or BIOL 3400; BIOL 2400/2400L; BIOL 2425/2425L; BIOL 2430/2430L; NURS 3630; NURS 2030/2030L</b> ) determine your progression for entrance into the Carr College of Nursing and for graduation. For full admittance into the Carr College of Nursing, the Nursing GPA must be 2.78 or higher. If the above pre-nursing GPA is 2.5 to 2.77, then the applicant may be considered for part time admittance. Additional considerations in the application process include, but are not limited to, science and pre-nursing faculty references and a student's integrity, attitude, character, and work ethic. A standardized admission test measuring a student's knowledge and understanding of pre-nursing content will be considered in the application process. <b>All Science and pre-nursing courses may only be attempted twice for consideration for unconditional admission.</b>	***	In recognition of the interrelatedness of world cultures and the Christian mission of worldwide evangelism, the global perspectives requirement ensures that a liberal arts education includes the development of skills, knowledge, or dispositions that will help students interact meaningfully with the world, specifically beyond the borders of the United States. The range of skills and content knowledge applicable to this category suggests that the general goals of global perspectives may be met in a variety of ways through combinations of courses in the following menu. Students who wish to appeal for a waiver of the global perspectives requirements (on the basis of extended residence abroad, for example) may have their appeal considered by the Global Perspectives Appeal Committee. The appropriate form is in Pipeline under Student Services, in the Student Records menu. ANTH 2500, BHIS 3030, BIOL 2500, BMIS 3000, 3080, 3070 or 3020, CSD 2750, 2770, FCS 2050, GEOG 2506 or 2551, HUM 2010, 2730, MGRK 1000, NURS 3050, 3440 or 4130, POLS 2020, SOCS 3010, SWK 3600, or THEA 3060
@	Course must be completed with "B" or higher.	+	If ACT in English is 17 or below, English 1100. ENG 1100, 1110, and ENG 2110 must be passed with a "C" or higher for university graduation.
#	NURS 3010 Social Determinants of Health will substitute for SOC 2030 General Sociology for Nursing majors only.	**	University policy states that all full-time students must enroll in a Bible course each semester.
Δ	Track 1: ACT score must be between 19 - 23 to enroll in CHEM 1010/1010L. Track 2: ACT score must be 24 or higher to enroll in BIOL 2400/2400L. Students with approval may take both CHEM 1010/1010L and BIOL 2400/2400L concurrently.	****	BHIS 3040 Church History: Ancient to Medieval (fall only) /BHIS 3050: Reformation to Modern (spring only) will substitute as HIST 2100/2110 Western Civilizations I or II for Nursing majors only.
&	Chemistry Prerequisite(s): Math ACT score below 19 or Math SAT score below 510 or 220-236 on the ACCUPLACER Next-Generation Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, & Statistics placement test will need to take UNIV 1050 Foundations of Algebra with Lab. Refer to AP scores on Testing Office website.	##	NURS 4620 must be taken the semester of graduation.
@	These courses are suggested for summer to lighten semester loads.		
	Consider obtaining a Health Missions minor. Mission and health care mission opportunities abound. BMIS 3020, NURS 2100, NURS 3050, NURS 3440 and NURS 4130 can enrich your skills and knowledge in health care missions. Details are available in Harding University's online Catalog and specifics can be provided by the Carr College of Nursing Health Missions Coordinator.		NURS 4130 is not considered a textual Bible class. It will serve as a Global Perspective class, and the student will not be required to enroll in an additional Bible class during that semester. NURS 3010 is not considered a Bible course. It is only a Global Perspective course.
	Consider obtaining a Bible and Ministry Nursing minor. Details are in the catalog and specifics can be provided by the Carr College of Nursing. Courses include BDOC 3040, 10 hours of textual studies, plus 6 hours of electives.		All HCCN Nursing program courses (NURS 3000, NURS 3210, NURS 3450, NURS 3500, NURS 3510, NURS 3540, NURS 3550, NURS 3620, NURS 4120, NURS 4200, NURS 4530, NURS 4540, NURS 4550, and NURS 4620) must be passed with a "C" or higher.
	All non-nursing course transfer credit is approved through the Registrar's Office; prior written approval is required before taking a course.		Nursing majors interested in honors courses are to apply through the Honors College office. Nursing courses that can be taken for Honors credit are NURS 3450, NURS 3510, NURS 3540, NURS 3550, NURS 3630, NURS 4120, NURS 4200, NURS 4530, NURS 4540, NURS 4550; this selection of courses constitutes a full upper-division nursing honors program in collaboration with the Honors College.