



## **RN-BSN TRANSFER PLANNING GUIDE**

### **John A. Logan College**

#### **PRE-ADMISSION ADVISING**

The University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), in collaboration with John A Logan College (JALC), offers pre-admission advising to students interested in UIC's RN-BSN Online Degree Completion Program. Please contact the UIC RN-BSN Admission Advisors for a free transcript evaluation. The advisors will work with you to develop a detailed plan that will allow you to enroll at UIC in an upcoming term.

You can send transcripts to the UIC RN-BSN Admission Advisors via e-mail or postal mail:

UIC RN-BSN Online Admissions (MC 140)  
1333 South Halsted Street, Suite 205  
Chicago, IL 60607  
E-mail: [onlineinfo@uic.edu](mailto:onlineinfo@uic.edu)  
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#### **GUARANTEED ADMISSION**

UIC offers provisional admission to qualified students which guarantees them a spot in the program once prerequisite and admission requirements are satisfied. Please contact the UIC RN-BSN Admission Advisors for additional information.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

The University of Illinois at Chicago is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC), one of the regional accrediting commissions in the United States.

The College of Nursing's Baccalaureate program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) and approved by the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR).

The College of Nursing holds membership in the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN).

*The information contained herein is only a guide. It does not represent an official agreement to transfer credits nor is it the official nursing curriculum at John A. Logan College. Please contact the UIC RN-BSN Admission Advisors for a detailed review of your transcript(s) or speak with a counselor at your institution.*

# Earning Your UIC BSN Degree

## UIC ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ An Associate in Applied Science Nursing Degree (ADN)
- ❖ A current RN license issued in the U.S.
- ❖ A cumulative non-nursing GPA of 2.75 (4.0 grading scale) and no less than a "C" in all required coursework
- ❖ A cumulative GPA of 2.5 (4.0 grading scale) in all natural science courses
- ❖ Completion of all General Education requirements (prerequisite courses)

## UIC COLLEGE OF NURSING PREREQUISITE COURSES | 57 Hours

Before you begin the RN-BSN program at UIC, you will need to complete 57 hours of general education requirements (prerequisite courses). You will earn most of these hours at your community college through your ADN program.

UIC PREREQUISITE COURSES		JALC COURSES ELIGIBLE FOR TRANSFER	
<i>Course Subject</i>	<i>Semester Hours</i>	<i>JALC Course</i>	<i>Semester Hours</i>
English Composition I & II	6 Hours	ENG 101: English Composition I ENG 102: English Composition II	3 3
Chemistry	4-5 Hours	CHM 141: General, Organic, and Biochemistry I*	4
Human Anatomy	4 Hours	BIO 205: Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4
Human Physiology	4 Hours	BIO 206: Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4
Microbiology	4 Hours	BIO 226: Microbiology**	4
Nutrition	2-3 Hours	PNE 100: Nutrition	3
Life Span Human Growth and Development	3 Hours	PSY 203: Adolescent Psychology <b>AND</b> PSY 262: Child Psychology	6
Understanding the Individual and Society	3 Hours	PSY 132: General Psychology	3
Understanding the Past	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Understanding the Creative Arts	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Exploring World Cultures	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Understanding U.S. Society	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Liberal Arts and Sciences Electives (Depending on prior college coursework)	13-14 Hours	MAT 113 or 120 SPE 115 or SPE 116 <i>See sample list of options on page 5</i>	3 3 5
Upper Division Course	3 Hours	<i>Graduation requirement: 300/400 level course taken at four-year institution</i>	

\* Fulfills Analyzing the Natural World.

\*\* Fulfills Upper Division Course.

## OVERALL REQUIREMENTS FOR A UIC BSN DEGREE

- STEP 1:** Complete the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing at JALC (JALC general education and nursing course requirements).
- STEP 2:** Complete any outstanding general education courses required to transfer to UIC's RN-BSN Online Degree Completion Program.
- STEP 3:** Complete the RN-BSN degree completion program requirements.

### STEP 1: Complete the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing at JALC.

#### JALC GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS | 31 Hours

Course	Semester Hours	Satisfies UIC Prerequisite
BIO 205: Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4 Hours	Human Anatomy
BIO 206: Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4 Hours	Human Physiology
BIO 226: Microbiology**	4 Hours	Microbiology
CHM 141: General, Organic & Biochemistry I	4 Hours	Chemistry
ENG 101: English Composition I	3 Hours	English Composition I
MAT 113 or 120	3 Hours	LAS Elective
PNE 100: Nutrition	3 Hours	Nutrition
PSY 132: General Psychology	3 Hours	Understanding the Individual and Society
SPE 115 or SPE 116	3 Hours	LAS Elective
<b>Subtotal Gen Ed Hours Required:</b>		<b>31 Hours</b>

\*\*Upper Division Requirement: Fulfilled by BIO 226: Microbiology

#### JALC NURSING REQUIREMENTS | 40-40.5 Hours

Course	Semester Hours
ALH 101: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation OR	½-1 Hour
ALH 102: CPR Recertification	
ADN 201: Health Assessment & Nursing Care	4 Hours
ADN 202: Nursing Care of Adult I	7 Hours
ADN 213: Nursing Today & Tomorrow	2 Hours
ADN 218: Mental Health Issues in Nursing	3 Hours
ADN 220: Nursing Care of Adult II	7 Hours
ADN 221: Family Nursing	5 Hours
ADN 230: Advanced Pharmacology I	1.5 Hours
ADN 231: Advanced Pharmacology II	1.5 Hours
PNE 101: Fundamentals of Nursing	3 Hours
PNE 105: Nursing Throughout the Life Cycle	2 Hours

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PNE 171: Pharmacology in Nursing II	2 Hours
PNE 194: Community Nursing Clinical	1 Hour
PNE 209: I.V. Therapy	½ Hour
<b>Subtotal Nursing Hours Required:</b>	<b>40-40.5 Hours</b>
<b>Total Credit Hours Required for JALC ADN:</b>	<b>71-71.5 Hours</b>

**STEP 2: Complete any outstanding general education courses required to transfer to UIC's RN-BSN Online Degree Completion Program.**

UIC Prerequisite	Semester Hours	JALC Course	Semester Hours
English Composition II	3 Hours	ENG 102: English Composition II	3
Life Span Human Growth and Development	3 Hours	PSY 203: Adolescent Psychology AND PSY 262: Child Psychology	6
Understanding the Past*	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Understanding the Creative Arts*	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Exploring World Cultures*	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Understanding U.S. Society	3 Hours	<i>See list of options on page 5</i>	3
Liberal Arts and Sciences Electives	13-14 Hours	<i>See sample list of options on page 5</i>	5
<b>Total Hours for Outstanding General Education Courses:</b>			<b>26</b>

\*Select one course from the lists below.

**STEP 3: Complete the RN-BSN degree completion program requirements.**

**UIC RN-BSN DEGREE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS | 30 Hours**

Below are the nursing courses you will take online through the UIC RN-BSN degree completion program. Only eight nursing courses are required to be taken at UIC for a total of 30 hours.

NURS 212: Health Assessment and Communication	3 Hours
NURS 242: Concepts and Processes for Contemporary Nursing	4 Hours
NURS 316: Introduction to Nursing Informatics	3 Hours
NURS 322: Introduction to Research and Statistics for Evidence Based Practice	4 Hours
NURS 342: Caring in Professional Nursing	2 Hours
NURS 385: Nursing Care of Populations	5 Hours
NURS 390: Nursing Leadership and Management in Healthcare	6 Hours
NURS 397: Issues in Nursing Practice	3 Hours

**PROFICIENCY CREDIT | 33 Hours**

You will be awarded 33 semester hours of proficiency credit in recognition of having a current RN license issued in the United States. The hours will be automatically added to your transcript once you have successfully completed NURS 212 and 242 with a grade of "C" or better in the BSN Completion Program. There is no additional tuition cost for the proficiency credits awarded at UIC.

# JALC COURSES THAT SATISFY THE UIC LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCE COURSE REQUIREMENTS

One course, transferrable to UIC, must be completed within each category. Below is a list of potential options to satisfy the requirement within each category. Other courses, not listed, may satisfy the requirement. Please be sure to discuss with your advisor or a UIC Admissions Advisor, before enrolling in the course. While some courses may fall into more than one category, they will only fulfill one requirement. Any course below will satisfy the Liberal Arts and Sciences Electives requirement.

## ***Understanding the Past***

ANT 111: Anthropology  
HIS 101/102: Western Civilization  
HIS 103/104: World Civilizations  
HIS 110: 20th Century World  
HIS 216: Modern Britain  
HIS 223: The African-American Experience  
HIS 260: British History to 1714  
LIT 270/271: Bible as Literature

## ***Understanding the Creative Arts***

ART 111: Art Appreciation  
ART 220/221/222: History of Art  
ART 291: History of Photography  
HUM 101: Introduction to Humanities  
LIT 211/212: English Literature  
LIT 231/232: American Literature  
LIT 235: American Short Story  
LIT 236: Introduction to Drama  
LIT 236: Introduction to Drama  
LIT 284: Ethnic Literature in America  
LIT 290: Non-Western World Literature  
LIT 295: Women in Literature  
MUS 105: Music Appreciation  
MUS 225: Music Literature/History  
SPE 113: Theatre Appreciation

## ***Exploring World Cultures***

ANT 216: Cultural Anthropology  
GEO 112: Regional Geography  
HIS 103/104: World Civilizations  
HUM 120: Latin American Civilization  
LIT 290: Non-Western World Literature  
PHL 200: Non-Western Philosophy  
HIS 110: 20th Century World  
HIS 213: Eastern Civilizations  
HIS 217: Latin American Civil & Culture  
PHL 260: World Religions  
PSC 212: Introduction to International Relations

## ***Understanding U.S. Society***

CLJ 103: Introduction to Criminal Justice  
ECE 201: Introduction to Macroeconomics  
ECE 202: Introduction to Microeconomics  
EDC 200: Introduction to Education  
HIS 110: Twentieth Century American History  
HIS 201: United States History  
HIS 202: United States History  
PSC 211: State/Local Government  
SOC 133: Principles of Sociology  
SOC 215: Diversity in American Life  
SOC 263: Marriage and Family