

A.S. Nursing

Application & Information Packet

Application Deadline

February 1, 2022



Mount Wachusett
Community College

Application for Entrance

September 2022

Thank you for considering the A.S. Nursing program at Mount Wachusett Community College.

Admission to this program is competitive and seats are limited. Therefore, everyone who applies may not be admitted to the program. Students who complete A.S. Nursing Degree become eligible to take the NCLEX-RN Exam for licensure as a Registered Nurse. Students may not co-enroll in more than one selective program at any given time.

Important Application Information:

- Applicants must submit a completed application, including this signature page and checklist along with all required documentation by the application deadline.
- Letters of Recommendation are not accepted. Resumes strongly encouraged.
- Education completed outside of the U.S. must be evaluated for equivalency. Evaluating agencies can be found at www.naces.org.
- Official transcripts must be received directly from the sending institution or may be hand delivered to the Office of Admissions in a sealed envelope.
- In the event that the application deadline falls on a non-business day, the next business day will become the effective deadline.

The following must be submitted along with selective application. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed for admission.

- Have you attended a mandatory Information Session?** Yes No If yes, what date? _____
- Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) Test Scores:** TEAS scores may be no older than three years at the application deadline.
Required Minimum TEAS Scores: Reading - 69.0 / Math - 63.3 / English - 60.0 / Science - 45.8
- Verification of Completion of high school or equivalency:** Submission of high school or HISET/GED transcripts. Education completed outside of the U.S. must be officially translated/evaluated for high school equivalency.
- Official college non-MWCC transcripts (if applicable):** Official, sealed college transcripts must be submitted by deadline. Photocopies will not be reviewed or accepted. Education completed outside of the U.S. must be officially translated/evaluated for college course equivalency. Evaluating agencies can be found at www.naces.org.

Date transcripts requested, if not submitted at time of application.

- Documentation via transcripts demonstrating that all minimum requirements for consideration have been met, **Note: Science and math courses cannot be older than 10 years.** Students who have met the math admission requirement and not completed MAT143 will need to complete the course as a program requirement.
- Students whose native language is not English and those who have not completed Grades K-12 in the U.S. must demonstrate English proficiency by having completed ENG101 with a grade of C+ or higher, or have completed a Bachelor's degree from an accredited U.S. college or university, or score 213 on the computerized version or 550 on the paper version of the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL scores).
- Professional Resume: Outlining work experience with indirect or direct patient care is strongly encouraged.**

I hereby attest I have submitted all documentation required at time of submission for this selective application and have read and understand all accompanying pages of this document.

Signature of applicant

Date

Signature of MWCC Admissions personnel

Date



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EDUCATION INFORMATION

Which of the following have you been awarded: High School Diploma HiSET (GED) Certificate Home School Diploma

Name of High School/Home School/Testing Center: _____ Location: _____

Date Awarded (month/yr): ____/____/____ (documents awarded outside of the U.S. must be evaluated to meet U.S. standards) City State

Are you a current MWCC student? Yes No MWCC Student ID Number (if applicable): _____

Have you completed courses at MWCC? Yes No If yes, approximately how many credits have you completed at MWCC? _____

Have you completed courses at a college other than MWCC? If so, what is your highest level of college completed?

Some college Certificate Associate Degree Bachelor Degree Master Degree Doctoral Degree (PhD, EdD, JD, MD)

Please list all colleges you have attended:

College City State/Country College City State/Country

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Will you be asking the Committee to review college transcripts from college(s) other than MWCC? Yes No

Have you ever been accepted to our A.S. Nursing or other selective program at MWCC? Yes No

Have you met the science requirement?

Completed a 4-credit college science course with a grade of C+ or greater at _____.

Which math course did you complete? _____

Please note: Competency for admission may be met with completion of a math course equal to MAT143 Statistics or higher (not MAT140 Elements of Mathematics I) with a grade of C+ or better, completed no more than 10 years prior to the program's application deadline; or through college placement testing. Consult the specific program requirements or attend an information session for additional information. Students who have not taken MAT143 Statistics will need to complete the course as a program requirement.

Have you completed the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) and provided your scores to MWCC? Yes No

I have read the Technical Standards and understand that it is my responsibility to discuss any accommodation that I may need with the appropriate College representative.

Yes No



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Name: _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial Previous Last Name
 MWCC Student ID (if known) _____ Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____

Healthcare Or Related Field Experience:

List employment with the most recent positions first. Attach additional sheets if necessary. (Resumes are acceptable.)

Employer organization	Job Description	Dates from/to	Supervisor Name & Phone No.

Does Not Apply

I certify that all information stated on this application form is accurate and complete. Concealment of facts or false statements may result in dismissal.

 Applicant Signature Date

 Parent or Guardian Signature (if applicant is under 18) Date

Mount Wachusett Community College seeks to provide equal educational and employment opportunities and does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, religion, national origin, gender, age, sexual orientation, marital status, veteran status, or disability.



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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Ethnic Background: Do you identify yourself as: Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino

Race: Select one or more races, as you identify yourself:

- American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American White Cape Verdean Native Hawaii or Pacific Islander

Marital Status: Married Single Divorced Separated Widowed

Have you, your spouse, or your parents ever served in the U.S. Military: yes no

Emergency Contact Person: Name: _____ Relationship to the Applicant: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____
Street & Apt. # City State Postal/Zip Code

HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR FINANCIAL AID?

- I have already applied I plan on applying I do not plan on applying

To apply for financial aid, students must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available on the federal financial aid web site at www.fafsa.gov. Financial aid can be used to pay for tuition, fees, books, transportation, and other educational expenses. MWCC strongly encourages you to complete the FAFSA. If you are looking for help with your FAFSA, please contact the Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) office for an appointment at 978-630-9823. If you have questions about your financial aid application, please contact Student Financial Services at 978-630-9169 or email sfs@mwcc.mass.edu or online at mwcc.edu/enroll/financial

SIGNATURE

I hereby apply to MWCC. I agree to accept the regulations and requirements of the college and will cooperate with the students, faculty, and administration in the maintenance of high standards and appropriate conduct. I understand that concealment of facts or untruthful statements may result in my application being withdrawn or cause me to be dismissed from Mount Wachusett Community College. The information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I understand and consent to the information provided on this completed form being used to contact me by (check all that apply):

- automated telephone text messaging for matters related to my enrollment at Mount Wachusett Community College.

Applicant Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

(Required if applicant is under the age of 18 at time of application)

Office use only:

Date Received: _____



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REQUIREMENTS FOR CONSIDERATION

A.S. NURSING DEGREE (DAY PROGRAM. CLASSES BEGIN IN SEPTEMBER.)

General Applicants:

Applicants must have completed the following at time of application:

1. Math Proficiency: Competency may be met with completion of a math course equal to MAT143 Statistics with a C+ or greater (not older than 10 years) or through college placement testing.
2. One 4-credit Lab Science completed at an accredited college with a grade of C+ or greater. (BIO 109, BIO 113 or BIO 203 preferred, not older than 10 years)
3. The ability to enter college-level coursework in English. English competency may be demonstrated through college coursework or placement of ENG101.
4. Applicants are strongly encouraged to complete all pre and co-requisite coursework prior to applying to the program due to the competitive admission requirements of the program.
5. Completion & passing scores of the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) exam.

READMISSION APPLICANTS:

Readmission to the nursing program is not guaranteed and is offered on a space available basis. Readmission to the program will require successful completion of a readmission competency examination(s). A student seeking readmission to the nursing program must submit a separate application for readmission and meet all of the requirements of general applicants. Students are limited to two admissions (one initial admission and one readmission) in the nursing program. If students are not successful in passing the readmission exam(s), that is considered their second attempt at admission. Mount Wachusett Community College reserves the right to limit the number of readmissions each academic year. The respective programs reserve the right to refuse readmission based on, but not limited to, unprofessional behavior, unethical conduct, and client safety issues. To be considered for readmission, applicants must submit a letter of intent to the Director of Admissions and to the Director of Nursing.

SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR NU

Please note that the following information must be received before courses begin:

- Students accepted to Health Programs must be in compliance with the current immunization requirements specified by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for Health Care Personnel (HCP) and in accordance with state law, MGL, Chapter 76, Section 15C and its regulations at 105 CMR 220.700 in order to participate in an externship placement or clinical experience.
- Health examination conducted within the past two years by a licensed healthcare provider.
- Immunization Requirements for Health Science Students: Two (2) doses Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine; two (2) doses MMR (measles, mumps, rubella) vaccine; three (3) doses Hepatitis B vaccine AND Hepatitis B titer showing immunity to the disease; one (1) TDAP (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) vaccine within 10 years; one (1) dose Meningococcal vaccine (ages 16-21); annual Influenza vaccine; initial "2 step" PPD or Quantiferon Gold TB blood test and then annual TB testing (negative chest x-ray within 5 years AND annual TB Questionnaire also accepted); a complete physical exam within two years. Contact the Health Services Office at 978-630-9136 for more information.
- Liability Insurance of \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000 coverage is required. Students will be covered under the college's liability insurance policy, which will be billed through student fees.
- CPR Certification (Healthcare Provider) is required. A certificate of completion must be presented to the nursing department prior to entry into nursing courses.
- All nursing students must participate in the Massachusetts Community College Health Insurance Plan or provide accurate information regarding comparable coverage.
- Clinical sites may require the student obtain certain background checks (state/federal criminal or sexual offender), finger printing and/or drug testing before participating in the clinical experience. Costs for these reviews will be the responsibility of the student.

ACCREDITATION

The program is approved by the Massachusetts Board of Nursing. Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), Board of Commissioners granted continuing accreditation to the associate nursing program. ACEN contact information: 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400, Atlanta, GA 30326; 404-975-5000; acenursing.org.

TECHNICAL STANDARDS

Students entering these programs must be able to demonstrate the ability to:

1. Comprehend textbook material at the 11th grade level.
2. Communicate and assimilate information either in spoken, printed, signed, or computer voice format.
3. Gather, analyze, and draw conclusions from data.
4. Stand for a minimum of two hours.
5. Walk for a minimum of six hours, not necessarily consecutively.
6. Stoop, bend, and twist for a minimum of 30 minutes at a time and be able to repeat this activity at frequent intervals.
7. Lift a 40-pound person or assist with a larger person and transfer the person from one location to another.
8. Determine by touch: hotness/coldness, wetness/dryness, hardness/softness.
9. Use the small muscle dexterity necessary to do such tasks as gloving, gowning, and operating controls on machinery.
10. Read measurement units with or without corrective lenses.
11. Respond to spoken words, monitor signals, call bells, and vital sign assessment equipment.
12. Identify behaviors that would endanger a person's life or safety and intervene quickly in a crisis situation with an appropriate solution.
13. Remain calm, rational, decisive, and in control at all times, especially during emergency situations.
14. Exhibit social skills appropriate to professional interactions.
15. Maintain cleanliness and personal grooming consistent with close personal contact.
16. Function without causing harm to self or others if under the influence of prescription or over-the-counter medications.

Students are expected to meet the technical standards for enrollment in college programs. In some cases, assessment and developmental courses may help students meet these standards. Technical standards must be met with or without accommodations. The college complies with the requirements of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Therefore, the College will make a reasonable accommodation for an applicant with a disability who is otherwise qualified.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR NU

Upon graduation from this program, students shall have demonstrated the ability to meet these Program Competencies that guide the nursing curricula and practice:

- Patient-Centered Care - Manage holistic care that recognizes an individual's preference, values, and needs and respects the patient or designee as a full partner in providing compassionate, coordinated, age and culturally appropriate, safe and effective care.
- Professionalism - Validate accountability for the delivery of standards-based nursing care that is consistent with moral, altruistic, legal, ethical, regulatory, and humanistic principles.
- Leadership - Organize the behavior of individuals or groups of individuals in a way that will facilitate the achievement of shared goals.
- Systems-Based Practice - Support an awareness of responsiveness to the larger context of the health care system and of microsystems resources to provide care that is of optimal quality and value.
- Informatics and Technology - Evaluate information and technology to communicate, manage knowledge, mitigate error, and support decision making.
- Communication - Relate effectively with patients, families and colleagues, fostering mutual respect and shared decision making, to enhance patient satisfaction and health outcomes.
- Teamwork and Collaboration - Collaborate effectively within nursing and interdisciplinary teams, fostering open communication, mutual respect, shared decision making, team learning, and development.
- Safety - Minimize the risk of harm to patients and providers through both system effectiveness and individual performance.
- Quality Improvement - Use data to monitor the outcomes of care processes, and uses improvement methods to design and test changes to continuously improve the quality and safety of health care systems.
- Evidence-Based Practice - Integrate the best current evidence coupled with clinical expertise and consideration of patients' preferences, experience and values to make practice decisions.

BACKGROUND CHECKS, DRUG TESTING AND LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS

A Criminal Offender Records Information (CORI) review procedure has been implemented for students whose academic programs includes the potential for unsupervised contact with persons from vulnerable populations (i.e., children, the elderly and the disabled).

As part of the coursework in the Nursing program, students are required to complete practical hours in clinical facilities working with patients under the supervision of licensed providers. Clinical sites may require the student obtain certain background checks (state/federal criminal or sexual offender), finger printing and/or drug testing before participating in the clinical experience. Costs for these reviews will be the responsibility of the student.

Refusing to participate in these background checks or drug testing will result in the inability to progress in the program. A positive background check or drug test may also result in the inability to progress in the program.

The prospective student is encouraged to discuss any concerns with the program director prior to acceptance into the Nursing program. All screenings and background checks are completed AFTER admission/acceptance into the program.

Applicants for initial Massachusetts nurse licensure (RN & PN) must report felonies and misdemeanors, convictions and disciplinary action to the Board of Registration in LPN Bridge to AS Nursing program for its evaluation of the applicant's compliance with the Good Moral Character requirement at FL, c.112, ss.74 and 74A. For details, refer to the Good Moral Character Information Sheet at mass.gov/dpl/boards/rn/forms/gmcreg.pdf.

By signing this application, the prospective student understands his/her responsibility to participate in and pay for these background checks/drug tests, if required by the clinical site. By signing this application, the prospective student also understands the consequences of refusing to test, or refusing to undergo the background checks.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

How do I make an appointment to complete my placement testing?

If you have not yet completed college level English and Math, your next step is to take the placement exam. Students may take the placement exam on any of our 3 campuses and options at each of those campuses vary. For more information, please check mwcc.edu/testing or contact Testing Services at 978-630-9244. If you completed placement testing in the past three years, these scores can be used if they meet the program requirements. An additional fee of \$10.00 will be charged for those individuals who request to retest. MWCC uses a variety of measures for course placement. Please visit <http://catalog.mwcc.edu/admissions/courseplacementoptions/> for a complete listing.

If I do not meet the requirements by the deadline, will my file be reviewed?

No, unfortunately your file will not go to committee. Only those applications displaying both the math and science requirements & TEAS at time of deadline will be reviewed (see minimum requirements for consideration).

I haven't completed the coursework needed to apply to the nursing program yet. Can I still come to MWCC?

YES! Students are encouraged to enter the college as a "Interdisciplinary Studies - Allied Health (IDSH)" student. With this major, you will be identified as a potential nursing applicant and will be assigned an advisor who will assist you in establishing an educational plan. As a IDSH student, you may complete any of your co-requisite courses (i.e. English, mathematics, sciences, psychology, etc.) then apply to the program when you have met the requirements for consideration.

The Admissions Office offers monthly information sessions that include program information, the admission process, and financial aid information. Attendance at an information session is required. Transcript reviews are not conducted at these sessions.

Can I speak with an advisor about the Nursing Program?

Yes, you may attend a nursing information session and meet with a representative from the Nursing and Admissions departments. Please call 978-630-9110 to reserve a seat!

If I am not accepted this year, will I automatically be accepted next year?

No, you are not guaranteed acceptance. All applicants must reapply.

Is there a pre-admission entrance examination?

Yes. Mount Wachusett Community College requires Nursing students to complete the TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills). For more information or to schedule testing, please contact atitesting.com

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

How is my file evaluated?

Our nursing class is selected from a pool of applicants who have displayed the minimum academic requirements for admission to the program. Space is limited and not all applicants are accepted. Applications will be reviewed and candidates will be notified of the admissions decision by mail approximately 60 days after the deadline. The process is competitive and your file will be ranked amongst other applicants using the following criteria:

- All students must have completed a HS Diploma or HiSET (GED). Students, who have completed secondary school outside the US, must have their records evaluated by a recognized credential agency. Please refer to naces.org for more information.
- TEAS results
- Math Proficiency: Competency may be met with completion of a math course equal to MAT143 with a C+ or greater and not older than ten years or through college placement testing.
- English: Students must demonstrate the minimum ability to enter ENG101 or through college placement testing.
- An applicant must have completed all four credit science courses within the last 10 years
- Due to the competitive nature of selection, it is strongly recommended that applicants complete the following science courses with a C+ or higher prior to program entrance: Anatomy & Physiology I & II (BIO 203 & 204) and Microbiology (BIO 205)
- Due to the competitive nature of selection, it is strongly recommended that applicants complete the following courses with a C+ or higher prior to program entrance: English Composition I & II (ENG 101 & 102), Intro to Psychology (PSY 105), Human Growth & Development (PSY 110), and Introduction to Sociology (SOC 103).
- An applicant's prior degrees and/or certificates are taken into consideration.
- An applicant's work experience with direct or indirect healthcare positions is taken into consideration.

Can I work and attend classes full-time?

Nursing and science coursework is complex and requires a personal commitment. Part-time employment may be appropriate, but will need to be flexible in order to accommodate school requirements. Students are encouraged to balance their employment and school responsibilities.

Where do I attend a clinical setting or placement and how do I get there?

Nursing students are responsible for their own transportation to clinical sites which include healthcare agencies in such areas as Worcester, Leominster, Fitchburg, Ayer, Baldwinville, Athol, Gardner, Greenfield, Groton, Concord, Turner Falls, and Milford.

If I am not accepted into the A.S. Nursing Degree program, will my application automatically be considered for the Practical Nursing Certificate program?

No. If you would like to apply to the Practical Nursing Certificate program, you must complete the application for that major.

Can I transfer to a four-year school and earn a Bachelor's Degree?

Yes. Graduating nursing students may take advantage of several RN to BSN bridge programs. Transfer articulation agreements currently exist between MWCC and Elms College, Fitchburg State University and Rivier University. This includes the new MWCC/Fitchburg State Guaranteed Admission Nursing Program. Your acceptance to MWCC's Associate Degree in Nursing program offers you conditional admission to Fitchburg State's BS in Nursing program. Upon graduation from MWCC's Nursing program and passing the NCLEX-RN exam, you may begin your courses in the RN-BS program at Fitchburg State. Students will be contacted in their final semester at MWCC to discuss the transition to Fitchburg State. To learn more, check out our website at mwcc.edu/academics/degree/nursing/fitchburgbsn/ or call our Transfer Advisor at 978-630-9109.

Can I apply for Financial Aid?

Yes. Inquire at the Financial Aid Office, 978-630-9169. We encourage all applicants to apply for Financial Aid, using the Free Application for Federal Aid (FAFSA) available at fafsa.gov.

Additionally, what must I know?

- It is up to the applicant to read the Technical Standards. It is the applicants responsibility to discuss any accommodation that they may need by contacting the Counselor for Students with Disabilities at 978-630-9330.
- The applicant is responsible for ensuring that the application file is complete and that all items are received by the deadline.

In compliance with the Clery Act (20 U.S.C. 1092(a) and (f)), all prospective students are entitled to review the MWCC Annual Security Report. This report may be accessed online at mwcc.edu or by request through the Office of Admissions. Mount Wachusett Community College seeks to provide equal educational and employment opportunities and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religious creed, age, physical or mental disability, sex, national origin or ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, genetic information or veteran status.

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Program Requirements (selective - day)

Registered nurses (RNs) work to promote health, prevent disease, and help clients cope with illness. They are advocates and health educators for clients, families, and communities. MWCC Nursing graduates have historically achieved a high passing rate on the National Council Licensure Exam for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) and have been successful in obtaining employment. The program is approved by the Massachusetts Board of Nursing and accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN); Peachtree Lane, Atlanta, GA, 800-669-1656, acenursing.org.

Helpful hints: Because of an extensive classroom/clinical commitment, students are encouraged to complete the general education requirements prior to beginning nursing courses.

Transfer options: Graduating nursing students may take advantage of several RN to BSN bridge programs. Transfer articulation agreements currently exist between MWCC and Charter Oak State College, Elms College, Emmanuel College, Fitchburg State University and Rivier University. This includes the new MWCC/Fitchburg State Guaranteed Admission Nursing Program. Your acceptance to MWCC's Associate Degree in Nursing program offers you conditional admission to Fitchburg State's BS in Nursing program. Upon graduation from MWCC's Nursing program and passing the NCLEX-RN exam, you may begin your courses in the RN-BS program at Fitchburg State. Students will be contacted in their final semester at MWCC to discuss the transition to Fitchburg State. To learn more, check out our website at mwcc.edu/academics/degree/nursing/fitchburgbsn/ or call our Transfer Advisor at 978-630-9109.

Application Deadline: The application deadline is February 1. This selective enrollment program requires additional application components, the process is competitive, and space is limited.

Special requirements: Applicants must meet all requirements for consideration before entering the program. Students must meet technical standards and additional requirements including immunizations, CPR certification, liability insurance, and a Criminal (CORI) check. Additional tuition applies for the Nursing program. (see college catalog for more info)

Career options: RNs in hospitals, sub acute units, extended care facilities, medical offices, rehabilitation centers, and home care.

Earning potential:
\$51,000 - \$78,000 per year.

Requirements for Consideration:

Applicants must have completed a math course equal to MAT143 with a C+ or greater; and one 4-credit Lab Sciences with a grade of C+ or greater. Applicants must also demonstrate the ability to enter college-level coursework in English.

English competency may be demonstrated through college placement testing or college coursework. Courses in progress at time of application deadline will not be considered as meeting these requirements.

General Program Completion Requirements

MAT143**	Statistics	3
BIO109 or 113	Biology I for Life Science for Allied Health	4

Semester I

Number	Course Title	Cr.
BIO203*	Anatomy and Physiology I (formerly BIO199)	4
ENG101*	English Composition I	3
NUR111	Foundations of Nursing	7
PSY105*	Introduction to Psychology	3
Semester Credit Total:		17

Semester II

BIO204*	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO205*	Microbiology	4
NUR113	Nursing Care of Children and Family	4
NUR114	Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	4
PSY110*	Human Growth and Development	3
Semester Credit Total:		19

Semester III

ENG102*	English Composition II	3
NUR220	Medical Surgical Nursing, Part I	6
NUR230	Psychiatric Nursing	4
SOC103*	Introduction to Sociology	3
Semester Credit Total:		16

Semester IV

NUR204	Trends in Nursing	3
NUR222	Medical Surgical Nursing, Part II	9
Humanities Elective		3
Semester Credit Total:		18
Total:		77

*These courses must be taken concurrently or prior to the nursing courses specified for that particular semester

**In order to meet graduation requirements of the program, MAT143 must be taken and passed with a grade of C+ or higher.

PLEASE NOTE: All BIO, MAT143 and NUR courses require a grade of "C+".

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Estimated Cost and Classroom/ Clinical Schedule

Outlined below are estimated expenses and classroom/clinical schedule requirements associated with the nursing program. This estimate is based upon Fall 2021 Massachusetts resident tuition and fee day rates of \$222/credit. College fees per semester fees have been added that include a registration fee, technology access fee, student activity. Where applicable, LEM/Laboratory, equipment and materials fee are added. Additional tuition/fees apply to the nursing courses and to the summer LPN Bridge to A.S. Degree program. The Fall 2021 fees for Nursing is \$850/semester. Tuition and fees are subject to change and tuition/fee rates may vary based on course selection.

Semester I

Number	Course Title	Cr.	Tuition/Fees
BIO203	Anatomy and Physiology I (formerly BIO199)	4	888
ENG101	English Composition I	3	666
NUR111	Foundations of Nursing	7	1,554
PSY105	Introduction to Psychology	3	666
	College Fees		170
	Nursing Program Fee		850
	Approximate Tuition/Fee Cost:		\$4,794

Semester II

BIO204	Anatomy and Physiology II	4	888
BIO205	Microbiology	4	888
NUR113	Nursing Care of Children and Family	4	888
NUR114	Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	4	888
PSY110	Human Growth and Development	3	666
	College Fees		170
	Nursing Program Fee		850
	Approximate Tuition/Fee Cost:		\$5,238

Semester III

ENG102	English Composition II	3	666
NUR220	Medical Surgical Nursing, Part I	6	1,332
NUR230	Psychiatric Nursing	4	888
SOC103	Introduction to Sociology	3	666
	College Fees		170
	Nursing Program Fee		850
	Approximate Tuition/Fee Cost:		\$4,572

Semester IV

NUR204	Trends in Nursing	3	666
NUR222	Medical Surgical Nursing, Part II	9	1,998
	Humanities Elective	3	666
	College Fees		170
	Nursing Program Fee		850
	Approximate Tuition/Fee Cost:		\$4,350
	Approximate Total Tuition/Fee Cost:		\$18,954

College Health Insurance Plan **\$3,599/yr**

Note: If you already have health insurance, you may waive the college insurance.

Miscellaneous Program Expenses: **\$3,000**

Uniforms, Professional Equipment, Liability Insurance, CPR, Textbooks and Miscellaneous Materials

APPROXIMATE TOTAL PROGRAM COST **\$25,553**

Approximate classroom/clinical schedule for NUR courses only:

Year 1 - Day Option

Monday/Friday (8 am-11:00 am) **OR**

Monday/Friday (12pm - 3pm)

1 clinical day per week (TBD)

Year 2 - Day Option

Monday/Friday (8 am-11:00 am) **OR**

Monday/Friday (12pm - 3pm)

1 clinical day per week (TBD)



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Contact & Campuses

Office of Admissions

Tel: 978-630-9110
Fax: 978-630-9554
Email: admissions@mwcc.edu
Web: mwcc.edu/admissions

Student Financial Services

Tel: 978-630-9169
Fax: 978-630-9459
Email: sfs@mwcc.mass.edu
Web: mwcc.edu/financial

Records Office

Tel: 978-630-9106
Fax: 978-630-9554
Web: mwcc.edu/records

Gardner

444 Green Street
Gardner, MA 01440
978-630-9110

Devens

One Jackson Place
27 Jackson Rd.
Devens, MA 01434
978-630-9569

Leominster

100 Erdman Way
Leominster, MA 01453
978-630-9810



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