Transfer Guide

RN-BSN Completion Transfer Guide

The following is presented as a transfer guide between Prairie State College (PSC) and Olivet Nazarene University (ONU) for the Registered Nurse degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Applied Science (RN-AAS) degree from PSC and a Bachelor of Science (BSN) degree in Nursing from ONU.

Prairie State College: Associate of Applied Science			Equivalent Courses at Olivet Nazarene University, BSN (RN-BSN Program)		
ENG 101	Composition I	3	ENGL 109	College Writing I	3
COMM 101	Principles of Communication	3	COMM 105	Fundamentals of Communication	3
Humanities/Fine Arts	Varies (See PSC Catalog Area B for Options)	3	Humanities/Fine Arts	Varies (Dependant upon PSC Course)	3
BIOL 221	Anatomy & Physiology I	4	BIOL 246	Human Anatomy I	4
BIOL 211	Microbiology	4	BIOL 356	Microbiology	4
BIOL 222	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4	BIOL 247	Human Anatomy II	4
PSYCH 102	Human Growth and Development: Life Span	3	PSYC 200	Lifespan Development	3
NURS 101	Basic Care Concepts	7		Transfer Nursing Class	7
NURS 102	Acute Care Conmcepts	8		Transfer Nursing Class	8
NURS 111	Nursing in as a Profession	1		Non-Transferrable	0
NURS 201	Family Care Concepts	11		Transfer Nursing Class	11
NURS 202	Advanced Care Concepts	11		Transfer Nursing Class	11
NURS 211	Preparation for Professional Nursing	2		Transfer Nursing Class	2
Total hours taken at PSC:		**64**	**Total hours accepted toward degree:**		**63**
SOCIO 101	Intro to Sociology	3	SOCY 120	Intro to Sociology	3
HIST 151 or HIST 152	Western Civ I or Western Civ II	3	HIST 200	Western Civilization	3
ENG 221 or ENG 240	Introduction to Poetry or Intro to Fiction	3	LIT 105	Literature Appreciation	3
ENG 102	English II	3	ENGL 210	College Writing II	3
MATH 115	General Ed Statistics	3	MATH 120	Intro to Statistics	3
	(Courses can be taken at PSC or ONU)		Add'l Gen Ed Classes:		15
			Olivet Nazarene University, BSN (RN-BSN Program)		
			NRSG 301	Introduction to Informatics & Bacc Nursing	3
			NRSG 350	Health Assessment	3
			NRSG 360	Pathophysiology	3
			NRSG 361	Pharmacology	3
			NRSG 395	Nursing Research	3
			NRSG 326	Community Health Nursing *	3
			NRSG 443	Global & Transcultural Nursing *	3
			NRSG 467	Leadership and Issues in Healthcare, Law, and Ethics *	3
			CMIN 310	Christian Living	3
			BLIT 210	Christian Scriptures	3
			Upper Division	Upper Division Elective	3
			Electives	Elective Classes	6
			FACS 126	Nutrition, Health, & Fitness	3
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			Minimum of 120 Credits		

Olivet Nazarene University, located at 1 University Avenue, Bourbonnais, IL 60914 and Prairie State College believe that cooperative programs benefit the community, employers, and students in their regions. It allows a smooth transition for students transferring between institutions and maximizes allowable transfer of credit. Therefore, Olivet Nazarene University (ONU) and Prairie State College (PSC) are entering into the following agreement for articulation:

Olivet Nazarene University agrees that if a student satisfactorily completes the Associate of Applied Science Nursing degree with a minimum 2.75 GPA and presents the appropriate transcript documentation of such to

the Registrar of Olivet Nazarene University, the student will receive full recognition of that degree toward the completion of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) at Olivet Nazarene University.

Program Overview

The RN-BSN is a degree completion program that develops leadership skills to navigate the dynamic health care environment. This program integrates previous nursing experience and knowledge into the academic course work with the intention of applying the skills developed to the work environment and enhance nursing practice. There are no exams in this program and 45 hours of practicum experience spread over three courses. The practicum hours focus on community education, leadership problem solving, and the nurse as a change agent.

*Represent 15 practicum hours required in class.

Course Transfer Guidelines

All coursework is accepted in transfer; however, only courses with a grade of "C" or better will meet program requirements. ONU transfers in coursework with a D- or better but C- or below does not meet the grade requirement for nursing. Admission to the RN-BSN program requires a copy of RN license, transcripts from previous college(s), cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better. Graduation requirements include successful completion of the BSN curriculum and practicum hours, a GPA of 2.75 or above and a minimum of 120 semester hours of college credit, which will include required general education and elective courses for the bachelor's degree. Practicum requirements include successful completion of a certified background check and drug screening prior to starting practicum hours. The BSN degree is awarded after successful completion of the BSN curriculum and practicum hours. **Students who have completed an associate degree or diploma program in nursing may substitute a biological science in place of CHM-101 to fulfill general education requirements as a required supporting course.

Delivery Format

ONU courses are offered to students at the following locations:

• Fully Online

• 8-week courses for Nursing Core

• 8-week courses for General Education

• Personal Learning Plan

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Disclaimer

This is a guide for students who plan to transfer to Olivet Nazarene University. This guide is not intended to be a contract with ONU. The information on this guide is subject to change. Students should contact their community college or ONU to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student. Please refer to the effective and/or revised date at the bottom of this guide.

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