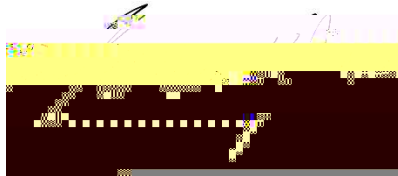


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New Site Request

UNIVERSITY:	SDSU
DEGREE(S) AND PROGRAM:	Nursing (B.S.N.)
NEW SITE(S):	Online
INTENDED DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION:	Fall 2024



Online delivery of the Nursing major allows SDSU to contribute to meet nursing workforce demands. According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, about 17,400 openings for registered nurses are projected from 2022.<sup>1</sup> By 2030, South Dakota will be the #3 state that will need nurses the most with a projected shortage of 14%. College of Nursing produces the most baccalaureate prepared nurses (42% in 2022) among all South Dakota nursing programs<sup>3</sup> and is well equipped to offer the B.N. program online.

6 ' 6 8 Pathway to Premier 2030 strategic plan has identified numerous goals and strategies  
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will:

- x Creatively adapt teaching strategies in new and evidence based ways to engage learners, expand access, enhance student success, and inspire current and future students
- x

campus and Sioux Falls); and RN to BSN. (online). Northern State University (NSU) is authorized to deliver the B.S.N. program on-campus and through HyFlex delivery

As stated in question #1 by 2030 South Dakota is projected to have the third highest shortfall in registered nurses in the nation. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, jobs available as registered nurses are projected to grow 6 percent from 2020 to 2032. Over the next ten years, approximately 193,100 registered nurse positions are projected each year, resulting from workers who transfer to different occupations or exit the labor force, such as retiring.<sup>6</sup> The BSN program will allow the university to contribute to meeting

programs within the SDBOR system.

collaboration, which will allow students to complete most of their clinical experience in their home communities. Clinical experiences that may not be available in their home community (such as obstetrics or mental health) will be obtained during an immersion experience at the P D M R U K H D O W K F D U H I D F L College of Nursing will collaborate with other healthcare facilities as needed to allow students to stay in their home communities.

## Requirements for Nursing Major

### Bachelor of Science in Nursing

#### System General Education Requirements

- x Goal #1 Written Communication: SGR #1 Electives Credits: 6
- x Goal #2 Oral Communication: SGR #2 Elective Credits: 3
- x Goal #3 Social Sciences:
  - o HDFS 210 - Lifespan Development (COM) [SGR#3, HSDC] Credits: 3
  - o SOC 100 - Introduction to Sociology (COM) [SGR#3, HSDC] Credits: 3  
or SOC 150 - Social Problems (COM) [SGR#3, HSDC] Credits: 3  
or SOC 240 - The Sociology of Rural America (COM) [SGR#3, HSDC] Credits: 3  
or ANTH 210- Cultural Anthropology (COM) [SGR #3, HSDC] Credits: 3
- x Goal #4 Arts and Humanities SGR #4 Electives Credits: 6
- x Goal #5 Mathematics: SGR #5 Elective Credits: 3
- x Goal #6 Natural Sciences:
  - o CHEM 106 - Chemistry Survey (COM) [SGR #6, HSDC] Credits: 3 and CHEM 106L - Chemistry Survey Lab (COM) [SGR #6, HSDC] Credits: 1  
or CHEM 112 - General Chemistry I (COM) [SGR#6, HSDC] Credits: 3 and CHEM 112L - General Chemistry Lab (COM) [SGR #6, HSDC] Credits: 1
  - o MICR 231 - General Microbiology (COM) [SGR #6, HSDC] Credits: 3 and MICR 231L - General Microbiology Lab (COM) [SGR#6, HSDC] Credits: 0

#### PreNursing Requirements

- x BIOL 221- Human Anatomy (COM) Credits: 4
- x BIOL 221L - Human Anatomy Lab (COM) Credits: 0
- x BIOL 325- Physiology (COM) Credits: 4
- x BIOL 325L - Physiology Lab (COM) Credits: 0
- x NURS 119- First Year Seminar (COM) Credits: 2
- x NUTR 315- Human Nutrition (COM) Credits: 3
- x PSYC 101- General Psychology (COM) [SGR #3, HSDC] Credits: 3

#### Major Requirements

- x NURS 234 - Patient Centered Care Concepts I Credits: 2
- x NURS 235 - Clinical Application I Credits: 2
- x NURS 258 - Nursing Principles and Application I: Assessment and Interventions Credits: 2
- x NURS 258L- Nursing Principles and Application Assessment and Interventions Lab Credits: 2
- x NURS 272 - Professional Nursing Concepts I Credits: 2
- x NURS 322 - Pharmacology Credits: 3
- x NURS 323 - Introduction to Pathophysiology Credits: 3
- x NURS 334 - Patient Centered Care Concepts II Credits: 5
- x NURS 335 - Clinical Application II Credits: 3

- x NURS 344 - Patient-Centered Care Concepts III Credits: 5
- x NURS 345 - Clinical Application III Credits: 3
- x NURS 347 - Concepts Synthesis I Credits: 1
- x NURS 358 - Nursing Principles and Applications II: Interventions Credits: 2
- x NURS 358L -Nursing Principles and Applications II: Interventions Lab Credits: 2
- x NURS 360 - Research and Evidence-Based Practice Credits: 3
- x NURS 372 - Professional Nursing Concepts II Credits: 2
- x NURS 434 - Patient-Centered Care Concepts IV Credits: 5
- x NURS 435 - Clinical Application IV Credits: 4
- x NURS 437 - Concepts Synthesis II Credits: 1
- x NURS 444 - Population-Centered Care Credits: 2
- x NURS 444L - Population-Centered Care Lab Credits: 1
- x NURS 472 - Professional Nursing Concepts III Credits: 3
- x NURS 495 - Practicum (COM) Credits: 1-6 (4 credits required)

Electives

- x Taken as needed to complete any additional degree requirements. Credits: 10

Total Required Credits: 120

7. Is this program accredited by a specialized accrediting body? If so, address any program accreditation issues and costs related to offering the program at the new site(s).  
The Nursing (B.S.N.) program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). The program will submit a substantive change notification to CCNE upon