

Applications for Fall 2023 cohort are currently open. Priority deadline is March 1, 2023.

Program Prerequisites:

Required. All must be completed prior to final file review.

- Anatomy & Physiology I w/ Lab (BIO 225 HY) – **WCCC**
SP 2023 – 1/9-5/11 – Hybrid Course – In-Person Labs Every Other Weds. – 4-6:50PM
- College Composition (ENG 101 01) - **WCCC**
SP 2023 – Multiple Options – Check MyWCCC Student Portal
- Math for Nurses (NRG 101) - **EMCC**
SP 2023 – 1/17-3/10 – Online
SP 2023 – 3/13-5/11 – Online
It is recommended to enroll in the first section as two attempts are permitted and the minimum passing grade is a B-. Contact sgreen@emcc.edu to register.

Desired (not required) college course options that a candidate can consider taking after prerequisites (above) have been met and prior to admission. These courses would apply toward the Nursing curriculum and strengthen the competitiveness of their application:

- Anatomy & Physiology II w/ Lab (BIO 235 HY) – **WCCC**
SP 2023 – 1/9-5/11 – Hybrid Course – In-Person Labs Every Other Weds. – 4-6:50PM
- Pathophysiology (BIO 222) - **EMCC**
SU 2023 – 5/22-8/18 – Online - Contact sgreen@emcc.edu to register.
- Pharmacology (BIO 251) - **EMCC**
SU 2023 – 5/22-6/30 – Online - Contact sgreen@emcc.edu to register.

Courses taken at other colleges may be transferred into the EMCC program if the following guidelines are met: equivalent course content and number of credit hours, grade of C or higher, and within the past 10 years if from another institution. Contact EMCC Transfer Officer for verification of eligible courses.

Application Requirements:

If you are currently enrolled in the Health Occupations Certificate Program at WCCC, you do not need to provide EMCC your transcripts. They will be forwarded directly from the Enrollment Services Office at WCCC.

- **EMCC** Application for Admission to Nursing Program
(apply online at www.emcc.edu/apply)
- Official High School Transcript
- GED or HiSET Scores (if applicable)
- ALL Official College Transcripts (regardless of whether seeking transfer credit)
- Attendance at an Informational Session with Nursing Dept – **April 5, 2023, 1PM, WCCC TLC**
- HSRT (Health Sciences Reasoning Test) – **April 5, 2023, 2PM, WCCC TLC**

Selection Process:

- Satisfactory completion of required program prerequisites prior to file review.
- Minimum GPA of 3.4 in all three college-level required Nursing prerequisites.
- Minimum GPA of 3.4 in all Nursing curriculum courses taken prior to file review.
- Satisfactory scores on HSRT exam. (Minimum score of 40 on each section.)

Waiting List Process:

Applicants who are placed on a waiting list for the **EMCC** Nursing program will remain on the list until the start of the term to which they have been waitlisted. Once a waitlisted candidate declines an offer of acceptance OR once the term begins, their name is removed from the waiting list and they would be required to reapply for a future term. Accepted learners may choose to defer their enrollment term by one year.

Criminal Background Screening:

Individuals offered admission to the **EMCC** Nursing program will be required to submit to a national criminal background screening, at a *minimum* cost of \$75 (may be higher), after notification of acceptance. Applicants who have engaged in any activity or behavior which may be considered abuse, neglect or exploitation of a minor or of an incapacitated or dependent adult, or who has been convicted of any crime involving fraud or dishonesty, or drugs, or for which imprisonment of one year or more has been imposed are urged to seek clarification regarding program completion requirements from the Director of Admissions.

NURSING

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Prerequisites

AAS Degree: High school level Algebra I and Biology with Lab required.

REQUIRED PREREQUISITE COURSES

Anatomy & Physiology I w/Lab* (4)

College Composition* (3)

Math for Nurses (3)

DESIRED PREREQUISITE COURSES

Anatomy & Physiology II w/Lab* (4)

Pharmacology** (4)

Pathophysiology** (3)

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

Intro to Psychology (3)

Developmental Psychology (3)

General Microbiology (4)

Oral Communication (3)

1ST SEMESTER NURSING

Foundations of Nursing (8)

Professional Issues in Nursing I (0.5)

2ND SEMESTER NURSING

Nursing Across the Life Span I (10)

Professional Issues in Nursing II (0.5)

3RD SEMESTER NURSING

Nursing Across the Life Span II (8)

Professional Issues in Nursing III (0.5)

4TH SEMESTER NURSING

Nursing Across the Life Span III (8)

Professional Issues in Nursing IV (0.5)

 **TOTAL AAS DEGREE CREDITS 70**

Anticipated upcoming NUR course start for this cohort is **Fall 2023 – August 28, 2023.**

ALL courses and credits listed above are required for graduation from EMCC. Prerequisite credits (required and desired) for admission to the Nursing program are applied toward curriculum requirements.

Upon completion of the program, graduates will obtain an associate in science degree and are eligible to take the NCLEX Registered Nurse (RN) licensure examination.

Program graduates may take advantage of articulation agreements with many Maine institutions to continue through a BSN baccalaureate degree (many available online).

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