

**UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA RENO
ORVIS SCHOOL OF NURSING
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE (BSN) CHECKLIST
FOR**

REGISTERED NURSES (RNs) 2009-2010

ALL TRANSFER STUDENTS MUST SEEK ADVISEMENT FROM RN/BSN ADVISOR

Name: _____ (See numbers in brackets on next page)

University Requirements (Core Curriculum)		Major Requirements (Prerequisites)	
*ENGL 101	3 cr	*BIOL 223	4 cr
*ENGL 102	3 cr	*BIOL 224	4 cr
MATH 120	3 cr	*BIOL 251 (4)	4 cr
CH 201 (1)	3 cr	*HDFS 201	3 cr
CH 202	3 cr	*Communication	3 cr
CH 203	3 cr	(5)	3 cr
CHEM 121 (2)	4 cr	*NUTR 223 (6)	3 cr
*PSY/SOC/ANTH	3 cr	*Beh. Sc.	
/WMST 101		Elective	<u>3 cr</u>
Fine Art	3 cr	Statistics (7)	35 cr
Diversity	3 cr		
(upper division			
300-400)			
Capstone (3)	<u>3 cr</u>		
(upper division	34cr		
300-400)			

At least 64 credits
must be upper-
division (300-400)
(9)

* Usually
transfer from
Assoc. Degree
or petition

Limited admission! Students apply to the major after completion of CORE & all other prerequisites, prior to entry to the major, and must have at least 3.0 GPA on above courses
Exception: If 3.0 GPA not achieved, admission to major will be provisional. Must apply in spring for the following fall. See application www.hhs.unr.edu/osn

Portfolio Courses		Required major courses					
NURS 300 (7)	2 cr	NURS 331	3 cr	NURS 414R	4 cr	NURS 445R	3 cr
NURS 301R	3 cr	NURS 332	3 cr	NURS 418R(7)	3 cr	NURS 447	3 cr
NURS 301LR	1 cr	NURS 353	4 cr	NURS 435R	4 cr	NURS 457 (8)	4 cr
NURS 317R	3 cr	NURS 346	<u>5 cr</u>	NURS 438R	<u>4 cr</u>	NURS 458	<u>4 cr</u>
NURS 318R	<u>5 cr</u>		15 cr		15 cr		14 cr
	14 cr						
		Credits given by portfolio (see below)					

Credit Requirements

- 128 Total Credits Required to graduate
 - 64 from 4-year School required by the university
 - 64 Upper-Division (300-400) required by the nursing program
 - 29 upper division credits awarded by portfolio (see below)
 - 29 upper division credits taken in nursing major (see above)**

29 Upper Division Credits given for Portfolio (Letter of intent, supervisor letter, copy of RN license, Resume' copy): \$225 fee for Transcript review + portfolio

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(1) English requirement must be completed before taking Core Humanities. Students who place into English 102 are not required to complete English 101.
(2) Math 120 is a prerequisite to chem. 121-121L. Math placement exam may be necessary.
(3) General Capstone is not a prerequisite, but must be completed prior to graduation, preferably <u>prior to taking the major courses for a May graduation.</u> Second capstone is in the nursing major, NURS 457.
(4) Has a prerequisite of BIOL 190. BIOL 190 may have a prerequisite of CHEM 121, often included in Associate Degree in Nursing.
(5) Approved courses: COM 311, 312, 315, 400, 410. May be waived for Associate degree nurses.
(6) Has a prerequisite of CHEM 121, often included in Associate Degree in Nursing
(7) Statistics is a prerequisite to NURS 418R (Nursing Research). Approved courses: STATS 152, PSY 210, APST 207, APST 270.
(8) Major Capstone NURS 457
(9) Need remaining upper division credits outside of the nursing courses, suggest Capstone & Diversity to be upper division 300-400 numbered courses.