

Pre-License Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program Information

MGA Nursing programs are competitive.

You will be accepted to MGA and subsequently accepted into the nursing program.

Overview: The Department of Nursing offers the BSN for students who want to become registered nurses and earn a bachelor's degree. The Admissions Recruitment and Retention committee selects up to 100 qualified candidates to join the BSN program in the Spring and 140 qualified candidates in the Fall. All students intending to pursue the BSN program should strive to earn strong grades in all subjects especially science and avoid D/F grades, patterns of withdrawal and disruptive behavior.

BSN cohorts rotate admission locations each semester – Fall Admission (Macon and Dublin) and Spring Admission (Warner Robins). Please keep in mind that the Nursing curriculum is very rigorous and does not allow a lot of flexibility with scheduling given the hours for clinical and labs.

Pre-License Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program Admission Requirements

⇒ **MGA Catalog Core Curriculum Requirements for Areas A-E.**

⇒ **Program specific requirements:**

Area D Lab Science Sequence Required (CHEM 1151 and CHEM 1152 are preferred)

Area D MATH 1401

Area E Psychology (PYSC 1101)

Area F (Major Field)

BIOL 2251K- Anatomy & Physiology 1

BIOL 2252K Anatomy & Physiology 2 (Pre-req: at least a "C" in BIOL 2251K)

BIOL 2260K Microbiology for Health Science (Pre-req: at least a "C" in BIOL 2252K)

PSYC 2103 Human Development (Pre-req: at least a "C" in PSYC 1101)

AREA F Elective- SOCI 1101(Introduction); SOCI 1160 (Social Problems); or SOCI 2293 (Marriage & Family)

Minimum Requirements for competitive admission to the BSN program.

Each applicant must:

- be a current student and in Good Academic Standing.
- have 3.00 overall **Grade Point Average**.
- have 3.00 nursing core curriculum **Grade Point Average**.
- score 68 or above on the TEAS Entrance Exam.
- be within one semester of completing the BSN core curriculum.
- submit an online application and TEAS score prior to the application deadline.

Statistics for the most recently accepted students: GPA.....3.5 TEAS.....75

If you have questions contact a Department of Nursing advisor.

Nursing Academic Advisor Appointments: 478.757.2579 (Macon); 478.934.3721 (Cochran);
478.274.7753 (Dublin); 478.929.6700 (Warner Robins)

Application Deadlines: Exact dates are posted at <https://www.mga.edu/health-natural-sciences/nursing/apply-instructions.php>

Program application/TEAS score must be completed and submitted by the deadline to be eligible for consideration.

Spring Semester Start: Applications will be submitted between June - August for admission in January of the following year.

Fall Semester Start: Applications must be submitted between January - February for admission in August of the current year.