

USF TRANSFER GUIDE

*Begin at Oakton Community College!
Finish at the University of St. Francis!*

NURSING

Students at Oakton Community College who are preparing to transfer to the University of St. Francis as a nursing major may complete lower-division required courses at the Oakton Community College prior to transferring to USF. To complete the BSN, students must complete two years (minimum of 64s.h.) of lower division liberal arts and science courses as prerequisites to the upper-division professional nursing courses. The following lists the lower division courses for the USF Nursing program and the equivalent courses at the Oakton Community College. OCC students completing the associate degree at Oakton Community College should consult the OCC catalog and meet with an academic advisor at the Oakton Community College.

REQUIRED LOWER-DIVISION PREREQUISITE COURSES

University of St. Francis	Oakton Community College
College Writing I (3 s.h.)	EGL 101 (3 s.h.)
College Writing II (3 s.h.)	EGL 102 (3 s.h.)
Human Anatomy and Physiology I (4 s.h.)*	BIO 131 (4 s.h.)*
Human Anatomy and Physiology II (4 s.h.)	BIO 132 (4 s.h.)
Microbiology (4 s.h.)*	BIO 151 (4 s.h.)**
<i>*Principles of Biology I is a prerequisite</i>	
<i>*BIO 101 is a prerequisite.</i>	
<i>**BIO 121 or 131 is a prerequisite.</i>	
General Chemistry (4 s.h.)	Select one from: CHM 101, 105 or 121 (4 s.h.)
Computer Literacy (3 s.h.)	Select one from: CIS 101 (3 s.h.) or 103 (3 s.h.)
Statistics (3 s.h.)**	MAT 131 (4 s.h.)***
<i>**Intermediate Algebra is a prerequisite.</i>	
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General Psychology (3 s.h.)	PSY 101 (3 s.h.)
Life Span Development (3 s.h.)	PSY 120 (3 s.h.)
Principles of Sociology (3 s.h.)	SOC 101 (3 s.h.)
Nutrition (2 s.h.)	NSC 112 (3 s.h.)
The TEAS exam is required to enroll in the following nursing courses NURS 250, 265 and 270 which are taken within 1-2 semesters prior to the first clinical semester. In addition, a minimum 2.75 cumulative g.p.a in general education, nursing and perquisite courses is also required.	
NURS 250 Concepts of Professional Nursing (3 s.h.)	Must be taken at USF
NURS 265 Health Promotion & Family Assessment (3 s.h.)	Must be taken at USF
NURS 270 Health and Aging (3 s.h.)	Must be taken at USF
It is required that 3 of the 5 following general education courses be completed prior to the progression committee review for entrance into NURS 250, 265, and 270 at USF.	
Philosophy, one course (3 s.h.)	Select one from: PHL 105, 106, 215, 230, 240 or HUM 127 (3 s.h.)
Theology (3 s.h.)	Must be taken at USF (3 s.h.)
Oral Communication, Speech (3 s.h.)	SPE 103 (3 s.h.)
Literature, one course (3 s.h.)	Select one from: Recommended EGL 129 ; also acceptable EGL 113, 115, 117, 221, 222, 224, 230, 231, 232, 241 or 242 (3 s.h.)
History, one course (3 s.h.)	Select one from: HIS 111, 112, 131, 132, 139, 140, 211, 225 or 233 (3 s.h.)

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Effective for Fall 2006 admission into the clinical sequence, a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 in all general education and pre-requisites courses is required. Included in this GPA are any nursing course grades from other institutions. Transfer students meeting the above requirements are not guaranteed entry into the clinical course sequence. Requirements are subject to change. Please consult with a USF admissions counselor each semester prior to enrollment at USF.

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