

# ACCELERATED NURSING SECOND DEGREE MAJOR (ABSN)

Admission to this second degree Accelerated BSN (ABSN) program is limited to students holding a baccalaureate or higher degree. The program is offered at the Freehold site for a Fall or Spring semester start and at the Nutley campus (IHSC) for a Spring start. All science prerequisites must be completed with a grade of "C+", or higher, non-nursing prerequisites with a grade of "C" or higher for acceptance. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required.

Students must complete courses in Human Anatomy and Physiology I and II, Organic-Biochemistry, and Microbiology and Nutrition (taken within 5 years of admission with a grade of C+ or higher); Statistics, Developmental Psychology, and Ethics (with a grade of C or higher) prior to starting the program. The

ABSN program requires 14 months to complete in a modified plan of study. Students are expected to follow the ABSN course sequence and must successfully complete all courses in a semester with at least a C+ prior to taking courses in the next semester. Students in the ABSN program are subject to the progression risk and college dismissal standards outlined in the most recent version of the College of Nursing's *Undergraduate Student Handbook* in the Undergraduate Nursing Team's page.

## Second Degree ABSN Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>		
NUTH 1101	Professional Nursing Practice Foundations	3
NUTH 2003	Pathophysiology	3
NUTC 2011	Health Assessment	3
NUTH 3010	Pharmacological Therapies	3
NUTC 2102	Nursing Therapeutics for Evidence-Based Nursing Practice	2
NUTC 3113	Adult Nursing I	5
<i>Hours</i>		<i>19</i>
<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>		
NUTH 1003	Sociocultural Determinants of Health and Healthcare *	3
NUTH 3102	Gerontological Nursing	3
NUTC 3815	Dimensions of Psychosocial Nursing	4
NUTH 3003	Research in Nursing	3
NUTC 3214	Adult Nursing II	5
<i>Hours</i>		<i>18</i>
<b>THIRD SEMESTER</b>		
NUTC 3814	Maternal-Newborn Nursing	4
NUTC 3816	Child and Family Nursing	4
NUTC 3917	Acute Adult Nursing	5
<i>Hours</i>		<i>13</i>
<b>FOURTH SEMESTER</b>		
NUTC 4019	Synthesis Practicum & Seminar **	3
NUTC 4118	Community Health Perspectives	5
NUTH 4001	Leadership, Management and Trends in Nursing	3

NUTH 2002	Legal Aspects of Nursing	1
<i>Hours</i>		<i>12</i>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>62</b>

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<b>Third Semester</b>		
NUTC 3814	Maternal-Newborn Nursing	4
NUTC 3816	Child and Family Nursing	4
NUTC 3917	Acute Adult Nursing	5
<b>Hours</b>		<b>13</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		
NUTC 4019	Synthesis Practicum & Seminar **	3
NUTC 4118	Community Health Perspectives	5
NUTH 4001	Leadership, Management and Trends in Nursing	3
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