Hybrid RN to BS PROGRAM

TRACKS OFFERED
- RN to BS (for those with a current California RN license)
  - Full-time and part-time (hybrid online) options available

Loma Linda University’s mission, the focus on whole-person care and Christian service, is carried out in the School of Nursing by its commitment to excellence in nursing. With students from more than 80 countries and 65 religions, we have a richly diverse student body that adds to the excitement of learning and exchange of ideas. All programs are fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

PROGRAM INFORMATION
This program is for registered nurses who wish to complete their BS degree. Courses are offered using technology modalities and providing flexibility. Available for part-time or full-time study mostly online with on-campus intensive classes. The BS degree prepares students for professional nursing in acute and community settings. The BS program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).

LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER
Located across the street from the School of Nursing, the Medical Center is an approximately 900 bed tertiary-care teaching hospital, including the Children’s Hospital, the Loma Linda University Medical Center East Campus, and the Behavioral Medical Center. As a level one regional trauma and health care center, Loma Linda University Medical Center operates some of the largest clinical programs in the United States. The Medical Center is the site for many of the clinical experiences, internships, and educational opportunities available to students at Loma Linda University.

PROGRAM FEATURES
- Expert and caring faculty
- Affiliated with large university teaching hospital and Children’s Hospital
- Flexible schedule for working RNs
- Variety of teaching methods used, including online and classroom
- Emphasis on student and client wholeness
- International experience possible
- Utilize your institution’s educational benefits. If you work full-time in the LLUH system, you will have the educational benefit of 8 free quarter units yearly – the School of Nursing will give those employees 2 more units for nursing courses per year!
- Attend full or part-time
- Excellent classroom facilities and fully equipped computer lab
- Opportunity to enhance leadership abilities
- Investigate new areas of professional interest

PREREQUISITES
- Anatomy & Physiology I (with lab) 4 units
- Anatomy & Physiology II (with lab) 4 units
- Intro to Chemistry (with lab) 4 units
- Basic Medical Microbiology (with lab) 5 units
- Public Speaking 4 units
- English Composition (full sequence) 9 units
- General Psychology 4 units
- Lifespan Development (Developmental Psychology) 4 units
- Intro to Sociology 4 units
- Natural Science Elective 4 units
- General Elective 4 units
- Physical Education 2 activity classes
- Humanities (including 1 foreign language) 22 units
- Statistics (if student wants to be part-time, then this course can be taken during the program)

Transfer Patterns for many colleges & universities can be found on the School of Nursing website.
OPPORTUNITIES IN NURSING
A B.S. degree in nursing opens the door to many opportunities in nursing including: Public Health, Advanced Management and Research.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
- Current California RN license
- All prerequisites with a “C” or better
- Application with personal statement
- Three letters of recommendation
- Official transcripts from all college attended
- Completion of HS or equivalent
- All qualified applicants will be interviewed

TRANSCRIPTS
You must submit transcripts from all post-secondary institutions from which you have attended, regardless of whether or not it applies to your prerequisite coursework. This includes all colleges, universities, military credit, Advanced Placement, CLEP, and unaccredited schools. Transcripts must be sent by the issuing institution(s) directly to LLU Admissions Processing. Transcripts provided in any other manner are unofficial and will not be accepted for admission.

Please have official transcripts sent to:
Admissions Processing
Loma Linda University
11139 Anderson St.
Loma Linda, CA 92350 USA

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
International applicants (non-U.S. citizens and non-U.S. permanent residents) must meet all admissions requirements for the chosen program. Official transcripts must be evaluated by an accredited evaluation service. The application process must be initiated in a timely manner in order to comply with national immigration policies. Please visit www.llu.edu/apply/intltrans for more information.

APPLICATION INFORMATION
To apply to Loma Linda University’s School of Nursing, students must be in the process of completing all prerequisite courses. Before enrolling in the program, students must first meet all the admission requirements. The application can be found online at www.llu.edu/apply.

ADMISSION DEADLINES
The School of Nursing accepts students in the Fall, Winter, and Spring Quarters. All documents are required by the deadline. This includes the application, transcripts, recommendations, pre-admission testing, evaluation of international transcripts (if applicable), and TOEFL (if applicable). The deadlines for the RN to BS track are as follows (although earlier is preferred):

- Fall – August 1
- Winter – November 1
- Spring – February 1

For any further questions please contact our Admissions Office at (909) 558-4923, or by email at nursing@llu.edu.

2014-2015 TUITION AND FEES
Undergraduate Students:
Tuition/Quarterly (per unit): $599
LLU Fees/Quarterly: $750
unless LLUH benefited employee
Clinical Course fee (per selected clinical course): $275
Books & Supplies (estimated cost per year): $400
Total varies according to quarterly class load

FINANCIAL AID
Financial aid is available for eligible students. You should begin your financial aid process early, even before formal acceptance into the Nursing program. For more information on financial aid, visit www.llu.edu/apply/financialaid.

HOUSING
Housing is available on campus in a limited capacity. Students under 21 must live on campus, unless they are married or living with their parents. Here is contact information for on-campus housing:

- Lindsay Hall - for women (909) 558-4561
- Daniells Residence Complex - for men and women (women must be over 21) (909) 558-4562

The Office of Student Affairs maintains information on local housing. Current availabilities and Loma Linda University’s housing policy can be found at www.llu.edu/llu/housing.

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