

## Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Certification

Students are required to have current CPR certification to be eligible for clinical experiences in the graduate and undergraduate nursing programs. The approved CPR courses include:

- American Red Cross (ARC)  
CPR/AED Adult plus CPR-Child and Infant-Professional Program (1 year)  
Note: This program is being phased out by ARC spring 2009 and will be accepted until expiration date on card.  
  
CPR/AED Professional Rescuer Program (2 year)-*available spring 2009*
- American Heart Association (AHA)  
BLS for Healthcare Providers (CPR& AED) Program (2 year)

On-line CPR certification courses that do not include a hands-on skill component and skill testing will not meet the requirement.

It is the student's responsibility to locate an appropriate source for certification.

AHA CPR courses are offered on a limited basis through the [Indiana State University College of Nursing, Health, and Human Services Continuing Nursing Education Program](#).

With application for admission to the Baccalaureate and Graduate Nursing Programs, the student must submit a copy of a current CPR card verifying completion of initial certification or recertification.

Verification of annual recertification occurring while progressing through the program must be submitted to the Office of Student Affairs, NB 328, no later than the last day of the expiration month in the year specified on the CPR card.

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