




Indiana State University
College of Health and Human Services
Department of Baccalaureate Nursing Completion
RN-BSN Track of the Baccalaureate Nursing Program

Admission Criteria

Admission is competitive. Students applying to the RN-BSN track **MUST HAVE** the following

- Access to a computer and be able to create, submit, and retrieve documents and documentation electronically
- Earned associate degree with a major in nursing from a program accredited by the [Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing, Inc. \(ACEN\)](#) in an accredited collegiate institution.
 - Application of a graduate from an accredited diploma program or an associate degree program that is not accredited will be evaluated through [Admission Portfolio](#) review.
- Active RN licensure
 - **UNRESTRICTED** in state of residence or employment
 - Equivalent in the geographical location of preceptorship or clinical practicum
- Continual compliance (whether in nursing courses or not) throughout RN-BS track with
 - unrestricted RN licensure
 - CPR certification
 - proof of negative TB status
 - professional liability insurance coverage
 - annual bloodborne pathogen training
- **Step 1** - Unconditional admission to the University as a degree-seeking student
 - University [admission requirements and regulations](#)
 - University [application and instructions](#)
- **Step 2** - Complete [application](#) to the nursing program
 - Mail all pages of the application and worksheet with supporting documents:
- **Step 3** - Required supporting documents to be mailed with nursing application
 - Proof of RN licensure
 - Legible copy of state license or license number for verification
 - Legible copy of current / valid U.S. driver's license
 - Proof of [professional liability insurance coverage](#)
 - Student [Health Form](#)  and [Immunization form](#)  (2 forms)
- Copy of [CPR Healthcare Provider Card](#) 
- Copy front and **signed** back
 - Signed [Student Outcomes Assessment Memorandum of Understanding](#)
 - Signed [Honor Code](#)
 - Approved national level [criminal background check](#)
- **Step 4** - May be admitted conditionally to the RN-BSN track
 1. Will be notified, by e-mail, of conditional acceptance
 2. Formal admission pending receipt/verification of licensure no later than the time of enrollment in the first clinical nursing course

- Transfer student admission 