

ABOUT THE MAJOR

The University of West Georgia Tanner Health System School of Nursing Undergraduate Program offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree on two campuses. The Carrollton campus offers a six semester program and the Newnan campus offers an eight semester program. The traditional track offered on these campuses are for students who have never been licensed as an RN. This program prepares graduates who are eligible to apply to take the NCLEX-RN, the national licensing examination to become a Registered Nurse. The Traditional BSN program admits once each year in the Summer.

ABOUT THIS MAP

This program map is intended ONLY as a guide for students to plan their course of study. It does NOT replace any information in the Undergraduate Catalog, which is the official guide for completing degree requirements. Use this map to help plan and guide your experience at UWG, including academic, co-curricular, and discovery opportunities. Everyone’s experience is different and activities in this map are suggestions. Always consult with your advisors whenever possible for new opportunities and updates.

WHERE CAN YOU GO WITH THIS DEGREE?

- Adult Nurse
- Children’s Nurse
- Heath Play Specialist
- Health Service Manager
- Higher Education Lecturer
- Learning Disability Nurse
- Mental Health Nurse
- Midwife
- Paramedic
- Physical Assistant

ADD A CERTIFICATE

- Ethics
- Health and Society
- Health Communication
- Human Rights Advocacy
- Social Services

HONORS COLLEGE

Consider joining if you have an Overall GPA of 3.2 and earned 15 college credit hours!



NURSING

CARROLLTON LOCATION

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

57

CORE CREDIT HOURS

66

MAJOR CREDIT HOURS

0

ELECTIVE CREDIT HOURS

Visit westga.edu/program-maps for the latest version of this major map.



VISIT WOLFWATCH FOR MORE INFORMATION.



HAVE A QUESTION? CHECK IN WITH YOUR ADVISOR!



UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

2025-2026

TERM 1: FALL

C1: ENGL 1101 3 CREDIT HOURS
English Composition I

M: MATH 1001 OR 1111 3 CREDIT HOURS
Quant. Skills and Reasoning or College Algebra

I2: XIDS 2002 2 CREDIT HOURS
(Recommended) First-Year Seminar

T1: BIOL 1107/CHEM 1151 4 CREDIT HOURS
Principles of Biology I or Survey of Chemistry I + lab sections

S2: SOCIAL SCIENCE 3 CREDIT HOURS

MILESTONES:
• COMPLETE ENGL 1101 WITH C OR BETTER
• COMPLETE BIOL 1107/L OR CHEM 1151K WITH B OR BETTER
• MATH 1111 IS A CO-REQUISITE FOR CHEM 1151K
• MAKE C OR BETTER IN MATH 1001 OR MATH 1111

TERM 2: SPRING

C2: ENGL 1102 3 CREDIT HOURS
English Composition II

T3: MATH 1401 3 CREDIT HOURS
Elementary Statistics

T2: BIOL 1108/CHEM 1152 4 CREDIT HOURS
Principles of Biology II or Survey of Chemistry II + Lab Section

F: PSYC OR SOCI 3 CREDIT HOURS
Personal Relationships, Introduction to General Psychology, Introductory Sociology, or Introduction to Social Problems

A: HUMANITIES 3 CREDIT HOURS

MILESTONES:
• COMPLETE ENGL 1102 WITH C OR BETTER
• COMPLETE BIOL 1108/L OR CHEM 1152K WITH B OR BETTER

15 FALL CREDIT HOURS + 16 SPRING CREDIT HOURS = 31 CREDIT HOURS

CRUSH YOUR COURSEWORK

- Learning Hubs spaces are available, work quietly or connect with an Academic Coach.

FIND YOUR PLACE

- Explore the Campus Life website to connect, get involved, and get support.
- Cheer on the Wolves, UWG Outdoors activities, and use the Event Calendar to plan your activities.

BROADEN YOUR PERSPECTIVES

- Visit the Center for Student Involvement and Inclusion.
- Discover new people and expand your world.

CONNECT OFF-CAMPUS

- Visit Wolves Vote to register to vote and learn about the voting process.

TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF

- Check out the Center for Integrative Wellness in the Coliseum which offers resources for students.
- University Recreation provides access to physical wellness.

PAVE YOUR PATH

- Visit the Student Homepage of the Office of Career and Graduate School Connection. Career counselors are available to help. Take the UWG FOCUS2 assessment.

TERM 1: FALL

F: BIOL 2251 + LAB 4 CREDIT HOURS
Anatomy & Physiology I

S1: HIST 1111 OR 1112 3 CREDIT HOURS
World History

P2: POLS 1101 3 CREDIT HOURS
American Government

A: HUMANITIES 3 CREDIT HOURS

MILESTONE:
• MAKE C OR BETTER IN BIOL 2251/L

TERM 2: SPRING

F: BIOL 2252 + LAB 4 CREDIT HOURS
Anatomy & Physiology II

F: BIOL 2260 + LAB 4 CREDIT HOURS
Foundations of Microbiology

P1: HIST 2111 OR 2112 3 CREDIT HOURS
US History

I1: ORAL COMMUNICATIONS 3 CREDIT HOURS

MILESTONE:
• MAKE C OR BETTER IN BIOL 2252/L AND BIOL 2260/L

TERM 3: SUMMER

NURS 3110 2 CREDIT HOURS
Intro to Professional Nursing Concepts

NURS 3203 1 CREDIT HOUR
Medication Mathematics

NURS 3310 3 CREDIT HOURS
Foundational Nursing Skills and Health Assessment

13 FALL CREDIT HOURS + 14 SPRING CREDIT HOURS + 6 SUMMER CREDIT HOURS = 33 CREDIT HOURS

CRUSH YOUR COURSEWORK

- Check out all the Dining options on campus.
- Dine West offers an all you can eat Sunday Brunch. Meet your student group here.

FIND YOUR PLACE

- Attend a set of Leadership to Go workshops, learn about different leadership models and the importance of self-reflection.
- Connect with other nursing students by joining the UWG SNA chapter or FUN.

BROADEN YOUR PERSPECTIVES

- Use the Wolf Connect portal to connect with student organizations associated with Nursing.
- Apply for a Nursing Student Scholarship in the UWG Scholarship Portal.

CONNECT OFF-CAMPUS

- Volunteer in the community to help make a difference.
- Be a Volunteer Ambassador.

TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF

- UWG Counseling Center offers free mental health support, counseling, and other resources to keep you at your best.

PAVE YOUR PATH

- Register with Handshake to find off-campus, and summer work experiences.
- Explore summer internships at area healthcare facilities.

TERM 1: FALL

NURS 3204 Fundamentals in Pathophysiology and Pharmacology	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 3212 Fundamental Health Care of the Client Concepts	4 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 3401 Fundamentals in Clinical Practice	6 CREDIT HOURS

TERM 2: SPRING

NURS 3205 Pathophysiology and Pharmacology for Medical Surgical Concepts I	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 3402 Medical Surgical Clinical practice I	4 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 3312 Medical Surgical Concepts I	6 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 3307 Nursing Research & Evidence based Practice	3 CREDIT HOUR

TERM 3: SUMMER

NURS 4203 Concepts for Mental Health Nursing	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4204 Concepts for Pediatric Nursing	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4205 Concepts for Maternal Nursing	2 CREDIT HOUR

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NURS 3206 Pathophysiology & Pharmacology for Medical Surgical Concepts I	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4312 Medical Surgical Concepts II	4 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4401 Medical Surgical Clinical Specialty	6 CREDIT HOURS

NURS 4601 Transition to Nursing Practice I	2 CREDIT HOURS
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TERM 2: SPRING

NURS 4110 Professional nursing Concepts Capstone	2 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4400 Concepts for Community Public and Population Health	3 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4402 Clinical Practice Immersion	6 CREDIT HOURS
NURS 4602 Transition to Nursing Practice II	2 CREDIT HOURS

14 FALL CREDIT HOURS + 13 SPRING CREDIT HOURS
= 27 CREDIT HOURS

CRUSH YOUR
COURSEWORK

- Visit the NCSBN website to learn about the NCLEX exam and take one of the two NCLEX practice exams to help prepare for your testing day.

FIND YOUR
PLACE

- Explore healthcare facilities where you plan to live after graduation and available Residency, Intern, and Extern programs to support you in your first year as a nurse.

BROADEN YOUR
PERSPECTIVES

- Expand your nursing world by subscribing to a nursing journal. Nursing journals connect you with nurses and nursing topics from all around the world.

CONNECT
OFF-CAMPUS

- Develop an understanding of the issues that affect the community by volunteering at a community clinic.

TAKE CARE OF
YOURSELF

- Develop a post-graduation exercise plan, learn a new hobby or return to the hobby you put aside while in school.

PAVE YOUR
PATH

- Develop a LinkedIn profile and join groups related to nursing such as the American Nurses Association.