

Nursing: RN to BSN

Advance your nursing career

Unlock new opportunities with the RN to BSN program, designed for working nurses ready to grow. Build on your experience, strengthen leadership and critical thinking skills, and prepare for the next step in your career. With online classes paired with in-person clinicals, supportive faculty and a community that values both excellence and growth, you'll gain more than a degree—you'll gain the confidence and preparation to make a difference wherever your calling leads.



Degree Completion

FPU Program Highlights

Unit Count of Required Core Classes: 38

- ▶ Designed to **fit your busy schedule**.
- ▶ Progress through coursework in a **cohort format**.
- ▶ In addition to the 38 units of required program courses, you can receive up to 15 hours of credit for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) to count toward your bachelor's degree.
- ▶ Study under **experienced nursing faculty** with real-life clinical nursing experience.
- ▶ The baccalaureate degree program in nursing at Fresno Pacific University is **accredited** by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (<http://www.ccneaccreditation.org>) and approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing (<http://www.rn.ca.gov>).
- ▶ Classes are offered **online** with in-person lab and clinical hours on-site at the FPU North Fresno campus, local clinics, school districts and public health departments.

Earning your RN to BSN expands your opportunities, helping you grow as a leader, increase your earning potential and provide even higher-quality care. It's the next step to advance your career and make a greater impact in nursing. Here's what you'll gain from this program and why it's a valuable step toward your professional goals.

- ▶ **Advance Your Career** – Open doors to leadership roles and expanded responsibilities in nursing along with positioning yourself for higher-paying opportunities with a bachelor's degree.
- ▶ **Enhance Patient Care** – Apply evidence-based practices that improve outcomes for patients and communities.
- ▶ **Graduate Study Ready** – Build the foundation for master's-level nursing or advanced healthcare programs.
- ▶ **Leadership and Communication Skills** – Strengthen your ability to lead and collaborate in a variety of settings.





Application and Admission Information

To be considered for admission for the Nursing: RN to BSN program, please submit the following items:

- ☐ **Completed Application for Admission.**
There is no application fee! fpu.edu/applydc
- ☐ **Official transcripts** from each college or university attended, as well as verification of high school graduation.
 - Transfer students with an AA/AS degree are not required to submit high school transcripts.
 - Visit fpu.edu/catalog for more information about verification of high school completion.
 - Transcripts can be sent electronically by your institution to trans.evaluator@fresno.edu or via mail in an envelope sealed by your institution to:

**Fresno Pacific University
Office of the Registrar
1717 S. Chestnut Ave.
Fresno, CA 93702**
- ☐ **An associate's degree** in nursing is required before starting this program with a minimum cumulative university GPA of a 2.40 (4.0 scale).
- ☐ **Submit proof of active nursing license** or proof of application for licensure.
 - Students completing their ADN, but who have not yet taken the NCLEX, may begin the program by providing proof of application for licensure. Proof of an active nursing license must be submitted before the start of the second semester of courses.
- ☐ **Immunization verification** and a background check is required before practicum.
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