

RN to Bachelor of Science in **NURSING**



The shortage of health professionals continues to be a pressing concern for many hospitals and care centers across the nation. Compounding factors that contribute to the job market demand include rapid changes to public policies, the aging industry workforce and the movement for hospitals to attain Magnet Recognition® from the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC). This elite status helps answer the call to action made by the Institution of Medicine (IOM) that encourages registered nurses to attain their bachelor's degrees to increase the proportion of professionals with the educational standard to 80% by 2020. Be a part of the solution by achieving your degree and pursue a rewarding career in the field of nursing.

Why Nursing at Brandman?

The Marybelle and S. Paul Musco School of Nursing and Health Professions provides dynamic educational programs that focus on inquiry and innovative practices relevant to the ever-changing healthcare system. Brandman's RN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree is designed for the registered nurse with an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) who is ready to transform the methods of delivering care to patients. The program leverages technology while placing emphasis on improved outcomes, innovative leadership, and evidence-based practice.

Building upon your nursing practice skills and experience, this unique degree focuses on direct application while giving you the flexibility to study while you work. Accelerate towards graduation by taking two courses every eight-week term and complete the nursing major core curriculum within one year of full-time study. Year round sessions with part-time study are also available. The majority of the course work is completed online with scholar-practitioner faculty delivering virtual lectures, demonstrations, and exercises while you engage with peers through collaborative social networking tools. In addition to 68 credits from your ADN block transfer, degree requirements also include a 3-day virtual immersion or optional in-person session.

The on-site immersion at the start of the program will be held at Brandman's high-tech Immersive Learning and Simulation Center located in Irvine, California. This innovative environment allows you to practice your skills by examining professionally trained, standardized patients and participate in simulations utilizing high-fidelity, computerized manikins across the lifespan. Upon graduation you will be ready to move seamlessly into Brandman's Doctorate of Nursing Practice degree program

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CURRICULUM

Academic Year (2017 – 2018)

Core Requirements (36 credits)

NURU 400*	Transitions to Inquiry Based Practice: Baccalaureate Generalist Nursing Practice	3
NURU 401	Nursing's Public Image and Professional Issues	3
NURU 403	Managing Healthcare Reform	3
NURU 404	Healthcare Communication and Collaboration	3
NURU 405	Evidence-Based Thinking for Scholarship and Practice	3
NURU 406	Improving Patient Healthcare Outcomes: Quality Care and Patient Safety	3
NURU 407	Cultural and Spiritual Diversity in Health and Nursing	3
NURU 408	Information, Patient Care, and Decision-Support System Technology	3
NURU 409	Understanding Health Issues and Health Delivery in the Community Setting	3
NURU 410	Practicum in the Community Setting (96 required practicum hours)	3
NURU 411	Transformational Leadership and Management in Nursing	3
NURU 412	Practicum in Transformational Leadership and Management in Nursing (80 required practicum hours)	3

*Students in this course are required to attend a virtual or in person immersion.

Block Transfer and Foundation Courses (84 credits)

Designed for the registered nurse with an ADN, students may apply a block transfer of up to 68 credits towards the BSN degree. All students must also satisfy 16 credits of foundation courses outlined in Brandman University's Academic Catalog. If these credits are embedded within the ADN block transfer, additional credits may be required.

Total Credits for the Degree

120

The Brandman Advantage

- Year-round sessions
- Convenient evening and online classes
- Scholar-practitioner faculty
- Exceptional education value
- Financial aid available for those who qualify

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