

Transition-to-RN Program

Associate of Science

Frederick Community College Pathway

 Frederick Community College

Catalog Year 2017-2018

The Transition-to-RN program at FCC is a selective admissions program designed specifically for For Army Medics, Air Force Technicians, Navy Corpsmen, LPNs and Paramedics. This pathway is for students who have been accepted into the Transition-to-RN program only. Students who have not yet been accepted into the Transition-to-RN program should begin the Pre-Health Professions Pre-Nursing pathway and apply to the Transition-to-RN program after all selective admissions courses have been completed.

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301.846.2471 (301.846.2625 TDD) for advising.

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or Math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. A minimum of nine credits must be taken at the 200 level. Refer to the college catalog for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes. <http://www.frederick.edu/class-schedules.aspx#catalog>

Students are strongly recommended to consult an FCC advisor to select elective courses. Students planning to transfer may also reference ARTSYS, the Maryland Articulation System, www.artsys.usmd.edu.



Take this course within the first 24 credits.



Milestone course – take within recommend credit range to stay on track for completion.

1 Recommended First Semester (Summer)

Departmental Requirements	NU 50 Preparation for Nursing (Optional)	1 credit
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2 Recommended Second Semester (Fall)

Departmental Requirements	NU105 Pharmacology	2 credits
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3 Recommended Third Semester (Spring)*

Departmental Requirements	Fundamentals, Med Surg I	3 credits
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Departmental Requirements	Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing	3 credits
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4 Recommended Fourth Semester (Summer)

Departmental Requirements	Clinical	2 credits
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5 Recommended Fifth Semester (Fall)

Departmental Requirements	NU 212 Medical-Surgical Nursing II	4 credits
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Departmental Requirements	NU 218 Maternal Child & Family Nursing	5 credits
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6 Recommended Sixth Semester (Spring)

Departmental Requirements	NU 213 Medical-Surgical Nursing III	4 credits
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Departmental Requirements	NU 216 Preparation for Practice	2 credits
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* American Public University online transition courses. Course fees are \$270/credit for non-veterans, and \$250/credit for veterans, plus a \$50 technology fee.