Nursing Prerequisite Courses and
General Education Requirements
2022-2023

AURORA UNIVERSITY

Aurora University Course	City College Chicago Course Equivalent
BIO 1210/Z General Biology I with lab	BIOLOGY 121 Biology I
BIO 2280 Microbiology	MCROBIO 233 General Microbiology
BIO 2660 Anatomy & Physiology I	BIOLOGY 226 Human Structure & Function I
BIO 2670 Anatomy & Physiology II	BIOLOGY 227 Human Structure & Function II
CHM 1200/Z Principles of Chemistry with lab	CHEM 121 Basic Chemistry I
ENG 1000 Introduction to Academic Writing	ENGLISH 101 Composition
MTH 2320 General Statistics OR MTH1100 College Algebra	MATH 125 Introductory Statistics OR MATH 216 Statistics for Business Majors OR MATH 140 College Algebra
PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSYCH 201 General Psychology
PSY 3250 Lifespan Development	PSYCH 224 Life Span Development Psychology

School of Nursing Admission Requirements

Students must be admitted to Aurora University before applying to the School of Nursing. **Apply to the university at aurora.edu/apply and send official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities**. There is a competitive, program-specific admission process for a limited number of seats in the BSN program for Aurora University students or transfer students.

In addition to the Aurora University undergraduate admission requirements, students applying to the BSN degree program are required to meet the following:

- A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.75/4.0 scale (3.42/5.0) at Aurora University or other accredited higher education institution.
- All nursing prerequisite courses taken must be completed with a "C" or better prior to the time of review of the applicant's file for entry into the BSN degree program. All applicants must have obtained a "C" or better in all *completed* prerequisites to be considered for admission. Courses taken after provisional admission and prior to the beginning of the 3000-level nursing courses must be completed with a "C" or better.
- All science prerequisites must have been completed within the last ten years.
- Applicants who are graduates of foreign secondary schools where the primary language is not English must obtain a composite score of at least 550 (or a 213-220) on the computer-based test from the Test of English Foreign Language (TOEFL) or ESL Level 109.
- Students are required to have successfully completed 60 semester hours (SH) prior to entering the 3000-level nursing courses. An applicant may have a maximum of 20 SH in progress the semester prior to beginning clinical courses (i.e., 12 SH fall or spring & 8 SH summer) when their file is reviewed for admission.

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For additional information, contact: 630-844-5533, admission@aurora.edu or set up an appointment at aurora.edu/easytransfer