The Concurrent Enrollment Nursing Cohort Program

Saving students time and money while supporting their educational advancement.

For students earning an associate degree in nursing, the next step is often to continue their education by pursuing their bachelor’s in nursing (BSN). The University of Phoenix® Concurrent Enrollment Program provides a unique opportunity for students from a given community college to pursue those goals together—while also saving valuable time and money.

*Moving at the speed of health care.*™
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How It Works
– A cohort of 15-25 associate (RN) nursing students at a community college are enrolled together (at a discounted tuition rate) in the University of Phoenix® bachelor’s (BSN) nursing program.
– They begin taking their bachelor’s coursework while they are still earning their associate degree.
– After completing their associate degree, they are able to complete their bachelor’s in as little as six months.

The Benefits
Saves students time, without overloading their schedules.
– Students are able to earn their associate and bachelor’s degrees in less than three years total. Yet, because they typically take their bachelor’s classes on term breaks, their course loads always remain within a manageable full-time range.

Saves students money.
– Concurrent Enrollment students receive 20% off University of Phoenix tuition, and their tuition rate is frozen.
– In addition, the majority of participants’ University of Phoenix student fees are waived.*

Provides a powerful support system for success.
– Because cohort students proceed through their bachelor’s coursework as one group, they often develop close personal bonds, motivating and supporting one another toward successfully completing their degrees—and even beyond graduation as they build their careers.

*University technology fees are not included in the fee waiver.

Students graduate from a leading BSN program.
– Institution accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.
– Nursing program accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).
– Faculty of master’s- and doctoral-prepared nursing professionals with an average of 20 years of real-world experience.
– Small class sizes averaging 14 students.
– Curriculum aligned with third-party industry standards, including those set forth by:
  • American Association of Colleges and Nursing (AACN)
  • Quality & Safety Education for Nurses (QSEN)
  • American Nurses Association (ANA)
– Curriculum that remains uniquely on the pulse of change in the industry. Leveraging our vast network of health care industry organizations and working professionals, we are able to adapt our curricula regularly to keep pace with the many transformative changes occurring in the industry.

About the School of Nursing
The School of Nursing at the University of Phoenix College of Health Professions offers graduate, undergraduate, and certificate programs that prepare nurses for the new challenges and ever-expanding roles they play in today’s health care field. In an era of unprecedented change—from shifting patient demographics, to the emergence of new models like telemedicine and retail medicine, to an increasingly complex licensing and credentialing environment—the School of Nursing is committed to helping students navigate the changes and remain on the leading edge of their professions.

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