BHCC Associate of Nursing Program

Admission Requirements



Deadlines to Apply:

- The application deadline for the Spring Start (January) is October 3, 2025
- The application deadline for the Fall Start (September) is February 13, 2026

Contact: admissions@bhcc.edu

Phone: 617-228-3398

Program Options:

- 1. DAY OPTION: Meets twice a week for face-to-face class time
- ALTERNATE OPTION: Meets once a week for a face-to-face class and on-line once a week for either an asynchronous class (allows students to take online class on your own schedule) or a synchronous class (students and instructors are required to be online at the same time)
- * FOR BOTH OPTIONS, Lab meets once a week on campus and Clinical ranges from 7 to 24 hours a week. Clinical can be held during the day, evening, or weekend.

Requirements for Admission

The following requirements must be met to apply to the Nursing program.

High School Requirements:

- 1. Proof of High School Diploma, GED, and or HISET
 - A copy of a high school diploma or an official GED/HiSet certificate may be submitted in person with a photo ID or may be sent via email directly from a school official.
 - International high school diplomas and transcripts not in English must be translated into English and evaluated.

Click here to review the High School Policy

Required Nursing Information Session

- 1. Mandatory in-person attendance (valid for one year)
- If you arrive 15 min or more late, your attendance is not counted and you will have to attend another in-person session

Click here to start registration for info session

Required Prerequisites

(All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of C or higher by the application deadline. Grades of C- or below do not meet the requirement.)

- 1. College Writing I ENG 111
- 2. College Algebra MAT 097
 - Placement exam above Math 097, or any college level math course, satisfies the requirement
- 3. General Chemistry CHM 120
 - 1 year of High School Chemistry or any College Level Chemistry
- 4. Anatomy & Physiology I with lab BIO 203
 - All Biology courses must be under 10 years old

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TEAS Exam

- 1. TEAS exam must be taken in-person
- Applicants must score a minimum of 60% in all sections: Reading, Math, English and Science
- 3. You may take the TEAS exam a maximum of two times prior to the application deadline
- You may retake the TEAS exam only after a minimum of 30 days has passed since your previous attempt

Click here to start
TEAS exam registration

Recommended Corequisites

These courses are not required, but we strongly recommend them to strengthen your application.

(All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of C or higher. Grades of C- or below do not meet the requirement)

- 1. College Writing II ENG 112
- 2. Anatomy & Physiology II with lab BIO 204
- 3. Microbiology with lab BIO 205
- 4. Principles of Psychology PSY 101
- 5. Human Growth & Development PSY 213
- 6. Principles of Sociology SOC 101
- 7. Quantitative Problem Solving
 - MAT 181 recommended

* Completion of the corequisites will strengthen your application. The nursing academic department strongly recommends that you complete all of these courses before submitting your application.

BHCC Nursing Department

Requirements After Admission



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Social Security Number Requirement

An active Social Security Number (SSN) is mandatory to participate in the clinicals for the BHCC nursing program. Please be aware that an SSN is also a strict requirement for maintaining a nursing license in the state of Massachusetts. Without an SSN, students will not be eligible to complete clinical placements or obtain licensure. You must have a valid SSN 2-4 weeks before your clinical rotation begins.

Immunizations & Physical Exam Requirement

If accepted, failure to meet the health/immunization requirements deadline by the date on the acceptance letter will result in removal from the program.

For Immunizations & Denise Amerena

Health Questions Contact: Email: damerena@bhcc.edu

Phone: 617-228-2218, ext. 2185

Click here for a list of all Immunizations
& Health Requirements

CORI/SORI Background Check Process

- ALL Nursing Students must complete the CORI/ SORI background check process. This will be completed during orientation, and YOU MUST bring the required documents with you.
- A valid form of ID or a clear photocopy of a valid ID, such as a driver's license or passport. A copy of the ID will be submitted along with the CORI form.

For Questions about CORI/SORI
Background Check Contact:

Hunter Gosselin

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DISCLAIMER: This checklist is subject to change. Please refer to BHCC Nursing Catalog for the most accurate information