

**BENEDICTINE UNIVERSITY CHECKLIST FOR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE in
NURSING
ENROLLMENT RESTRICTED TO REGISTERED NURSES
(2007-2008 Academic Year)**

NAME:		DATE:
BU ID #:	ADVISOR:	SEMESTER OF ENTRY:

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT: Students must submit a total of 120 semester credit hours (with a minimum G.P.A. of 2.0 from Benedictine University courses) of which 55 must be completed at a four-year regionally accredited college and at least 30 semester hours, including 12 credit hours at the 200+ level in their major field, must be from Benedictine University.

BASIC SKILLS: 12 hours ("C" or higher required)			
College	Course	Cr	Gr
		3	RHET-103 Writing Colloquium
		3	RHET-102 Research Writing
		3	RHET-110 Basic Speech
		3	Finite Math (MATH-S105) or College Algebra (MATH-S110) or Quantitative Reasoning (MATH-S108) or proficiency

COMMON CORE: 6 hours			
College	Course	Cr	Gr
		3	HUMN-220, 230 or 240
		3	HUMN-250- WI

HUMANITIES: 9 hours (three courses from at least two of the areas of communications, literature, foreign language, fine arts, history, philosophy or religious studies). See Note # 11 on pg. 2			
College	Course	Cr	Gr

(3 semester hours may be satisfied by major/cognate requirements below)

SCIENCES: 6 hours (one course from the physical sciences and one course from the Biological sciences) See Note # 11 on pg. 2			
College	Course	Cr	Gr

(All 6 semester hours may be satisfied by major/cognate requirements below)

SOCIAL SCIENCES: 9 hours (three courses from at least two of the areas of business, economics, anthropology, political science, psychology and sociology) See Note # 11 on pg. 2			
College	Course	Cr	Gr

(All 9 semester hours may be satisfied by major/cognate requirements below)

MAJOR COURSES*:

Accelerated BSN courses are to be completed within one calendar year. If transfer credit is accepted for any of the below requirements***, students receiving financial aid must submit a leave of absence for the exempted module(s).

College	Course	Cr	Gr	College	Course	Cr	Gr
BU		3	NRHL-200 Nursing Transitions***			3	NRHL-300 Holistic Nursing
		3	NRHL-213 Health Aspects of Aging			4	NRHL-301 Family Health Nursing**
		3	NRHL-250 Statistics			3	NRHL-311 Community Health Nursing**
		3	NRHL-295 Research			3	NRHL-320 US Health Care System
		3	NRHL-290 Health Assessment**			3	NRHL-378 Management**

*All major courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better

**Clinical / Lab / Fieldwork component

***Must be taken at Benedictine University. Transfer credit will not be accepted for this course.

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COGNATES:

College	Course	Cr	Gr	College	Course	Cr	Gr
			General Ethics				Chemistry
			Intro to Psychology				Human Anatomy
			Intro to Sociology				Human Physiology
			Child and Adolescent Psychology				Microbiology

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CREDIT GRANTED THROUGH ALTERNATIVE MECHANISMS:

Excelsior College Exams	Adult Nursing # 554	8 cr		
	MCH Nursing baccalaureate # 457	8 cr		
	Psych/Mental Health Nursing # 503	8 cr		

NOTES:

HIGHEST LEVEL OF MATH COMPLETED [if appropriate]: _____

TOTALS:

	Hours completed	Hours Remaining
Basic Skills		
Common Core		
Arts & Humanities		
Natural Sciences		
Social Sciences		
Lower Level Nursing credit		
Major	*	*
Electives	*	*
TOTAL		*

The following semester hours will be posted on your transcript:

Special Notes:

1. Hours in progress are not included in the totals of this evaluation. Additional hours will be credited upon receipt of credentials.
2. We do not apply grades of "D" toward a major or Basic Skills or toward some other courses as stated in the university catalog.
3. Double credit will not be given for repeated courses.
4. Only courses taken at Benedictine University will be included in the grade point average.
5. This checklist is applicable for the major indicated. If a different major is chosen, the requirements for both the major and core will vary.
- 6a. To be considered for Latin graduation hours, you must complete 55 undergraduate semester hours at Benedictine University.
- 6b. Students who complete 30 to 54 hours with a 3.5 cumulative grade point average at Benedictine University will graduate "with Honors".
- 7. 55 semester hours at the Baccalaureate level must be completed at a four-year regionally accredited college/university.**
8. Courses taken at Benedictine University may be repeated only at Benedictine University.
9. A minimum of 30 semester credit hours must be earned from coursework at Benedictine University.
10. A minimum total of 120 semester credit hours are required for graduation (with a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 from Benedictine University) of which 45 semester hours, including twelve 200+ level semester credit hours in the major field, must be from Benedictine University.
11. Equivalent transfer courses, if taken prior to admission, may meet core requirements. Any course taken to fulfill core requirements after admission to Benedictine must be a core elective course (labeled with a "C" in the Catalog or course schedule) or an IAI core course. Written permission is required for current Benedictine students to transfer in courses from other schools. See your advisor.

_____ Date

_____ Transfer Articulation Coordinator

_____ Department Chair
See the Department Chair for evaluation of major credit.