#### AT A GLANCE

Length: 18 months

Units: 42

Cost Per Unit: \$495

Admission Prerequisites

- 60 transferable baccalaureate-level units
- Minimum 2.4 GPA

#### **Application Requirements**

- Application form: fpu.edu/applydc
- \$40 fee (fee is waived for those attending an information meeting)
- Official high school transcripts, GED or AA/AS degree
- Official college transcripts

#### **Program Requirements**

- Active nursing license or proof of application for CA RN license
- Transcripts verifying completion of A.S. degree in nursing
- Background check and immunization verification required before practicum

#### \*Co-requisites

- Statistics
- Writing
- Chemistry

#### **Program Director**

Rox Sparks (559) 573-7814 rox.sparks@fresno.edu

#### Contact & Location

#### North Fresno Campus:

Molly Tatum (559) 573-7826 molly.tatum@fresno.edu

#### Visalia Campus:

Cory John (559) 302-4113 cory.john@fresno.edu

## **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM FOR NURSES WITH AN ASSOCIATE DEGREE

### Highlights

- The bachelor's degree program in nursing at Fresno Pacific University is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (www.ccneaccreditation.org)
- Graduates of the program meet California BRN requirements to apply for the Public Health Nurse certification
- · Cohort groups meet face-to-face for class one night per week
- · Cohort of 12-20 adults progress through the program together
- · Faculty are practitioners who facilitate relevant connections in the field of nursing
- Senior project mimics professional nursing conference presentations
- · Courses offered in a blended format

### **Description**

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing prepares you to take your associate degree in nursing to the next level and become a leader in your profession. Courses are designed to broaden your academic foundation while focusing on clinical decision-making, critical thinking, holistic care and leadership instruction. You'll also learn about community and public health nursing, as well as nursing research processes. Leadership instruction includes conflict management.

## **Career Opportunities**

Graduates from the BSN program are prepared for advanced nursing positions throughout the health care industry, as well as administrator positions in hospitals, clinics, doctors' offices, and retirement centers. They are also qualified to pursue graduate studies in nursing.

\*These co-requisite courses are required for graduation - it is strongly recommended that students complete these courses prior to beginning the cohort.

Electronic transcripts can be sent to: trans.evaluator@fresno.edu Degree Completion website: fpu.edu/degree-completion

Main Fresno Campus | 1717 S. Chestnut Ave., Fresno, CA 93702 | 559-453-3690
Bakersfield Campus | 1518 Mill Rock Way, Ste. 101, Bakersfield, CA 93311 | 661-617-4500
Merced Campus | 105 W. El Portal Dr., Merced, CA 95348 | 209-354-5900
North Fresno Campus | 5 River Park Place West, Ste. 303, Fresno, CA 93720 | 559-573-7800
Visalia Campus | 245 N. Plaza Dr., Visalia, CA 93291 | 559-302-4100

# **Course Listing**

Required Courses (42 Units)

Code	Additional Requirements	Units
MATH 250	Introduction to Statistics	3
CHEM 100	Introductory Chemistry	3
Code	Required Courses	Units
BIB 314	Jesus and the Christian Community	3
BIB 446	Biblical Perspectives for Health Care	3
COM 342	Advanced Academic Research and Composition	3
NURS 315	Professional Role Development, Nursing Theory and Health Promotion	3
NURS 330	Health Assessment	3
NURS 335A	Principles of Patho-Physiology and Pharmacology I	3
NURS 335B	Principles of Patho-Physiology and Pharmacology II	3
NURS 420	Nursing Research	3
NURS 435	Public Health Nursing and Global Health Issues	3
NURS 445**	Public Health Nursing and Community Health Assessment Practicum	3
NURS 450	Information Technology and Health Care Economics	3
NURS 465†	Leadership and Clinical Management with Practicum	3
NURS 480	Senior Project	3
PACS 440	Conflict Transformation	3

<sup>\*\* 2</sup> units: 90 hours practicum; 1 unit: in class Class meets the first and last week. Students have until the end of the semester (IP) to complete the practicum.

All units in the major must be earned at Fresno Pacific University.

## **Financial Aid**

Apply online at fafsa.gov

Include Fresno Pacific University's school code: 001253

Send official transcripts to the Registrar's Office or digitally to trans.evaluator@fresno.edu

<sup>†</sup> Class meets the first three weeks and the sixth week. Students have until the end of the semester (IP) to complete the practicum (45 hours).