

Bethune-Cookman University School of Nursing RN to BSN Application

Thank you for your interest in applying to the School of Nursing at Bethune-Cookman University in the RN to BSN program. In response to your request, the following documents have been included in this packet, and will assist you in completing your application. These documents include:

- 1. Demographic Form
- 2. School of Nursing Application
- 3. Recommendation Form(s)
- 4. Health Assessment Form
- 5. Certificate of Immunization
- 6. Curriculum Requirements

The following admission requirements must be met before acceptance to the School of Nursing. Please review the following, prior to submitting your application:

- Students must demonstrate appropriate communication and mathematical skills as part of the University's
 General Education competencies as described in the Bethune-Cookman University Academic Catalog.
 Transfer students who have satisfied current University exemptions or have an AA degree, will not be required
 to take RE 260. There are courses that the student must complete in addition to the nursing curriculum as
 listed. Courses may include African American History, Ethics and other general education requirements.
 Applicants will be advised of individual course requirements upon review of transcripts.
- Completion of the Pre-Nursing Program requirements (lower division courses) with a minimum 2.80 overall, cumulative grade-point-average (GPA) and a minimum 2.50 GPA in support courses (totaling 30 semester credit hours) in the following areas
 - a. Anatomy and Physiology
 - b. General Biology
 - c. Microbiology
 - d. Mathematics
 - e. Psychology (General and Developmental)
 - f. Nutrition
- 3. Courses designated as support and natural science courses may not be repeated more than once to achieve a minimum passing grade of "C".
- 4. No more than two (2) of the support courses may be repeated. Support courses are designated by asterisk in the Nursing Vertical Curriculum (not applicable to RN to BSN):
- 5. Students must take and pass a Nursing Admission Examination (NAE). The student must achieve a passing score as designated by the Bethune-Cookman University School of Nursing. The NAE will be administered as a proctored examination after initial screening evaluation of applicants completed admission packets. The fee for the examination is separate and students are responsible to pay for the exam. The approximate cost is estimated to be \$50.00 to \$70.00. Students will have two attempts to obtain the minimum passing score (not applicable to RN to BSN):.