



SIENA HEIGHTS  
UNIVERSITY

## ONLINE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING DEGREE COMPLETION

Sienna Heights University offers a CCNE accredited RN-BSN degree completion program for nurses who are interested in continuing to further their professional studies and careers. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree completion for Registered Nurses (RN-BSN program) was designed for licensed RNs to earn a bachelor's degree in nursing. Students admitted to the RN-BSN degree completion program must have graduated from a Sienna Heights Nursing approved program, either a two-year associate's degree nursing program or a hospital-based diploma degree program. Incoming students must have a valid RN license.



### PROGRAM DISTINCTIONS

- Program is available 100 percent online.
- Finish your BSN in 8 classes across 4 semesters with our 8-week accelerated, online class format.
- Small, online class sizes with personal attention inside and outside of the classroom.

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## WHY SIENA?

### ESTABLISHED EXCELLENCE

SHU is ranked nationally by the U.S. News & World Report for the third consecutive year as well as ranked the best online program in Michigan among private institutions for the second consecutive year.

### TRANSFER FRIENDLY

A maximum of 90 hours of transfer credit can be applied to a SHU undergraduate program.

### STUDENT-FOCUSED

We offer personalized advising and degree planning. At SHU, you have the flexibility to complete your degree with meaningful courses and outstanding faculty with real-world experience.





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When designing our RN to BSN degree completion program, we listened to what working nurses told us they needed. That means the online courses are practical and relevant to today's health care professional. Students can tie their personal and professional experience into the coursework. Classes such as Ethical, Cultural and Spiritual Nursing Practice and Leadership and Health Care Organizations have a strong thread of ethics, leadership and knowledge of health care systems woven into them.

### **Requirements for admission into the RN-BSN program:**

- An unencumbered license to practice as a registered nurse (RN).
- 40 semester hours of transfer credit in approved nursing courses.

### **Requirements for graduation with a BSN:**

A total of 120 credit hours with a minimum of 64 hours in approved nursing courses. Students can transfer up to 90 semester hours of required courses:

- English Composition 6
- Anatomy/Physiology 5 - 10
- Microbiology 4
- Social Science, Literature, History, Fine or Performing Arts 3
- Mathematics Proficiency

### **Residency Requirements (Classes are available online):**

The required courses below constitute the 30 hours with Siena Heights. All students must apply and be accepted into the Nursing program before enrolling in nursing courses.

### **Required Nursing Courses:**

24 semester hours with Siena Heights University:

NUR 301	Transition to Professional Nursing	4
NUR 375	Health Care of Communities & Vulnerable Populations	4
NUR 380	Evidenced Based Research in Nursing Practice	4
NUR 395	Health Policy and Informatics	4
NUR 460	The Art of Ethical, Cultural, & Spiritual Nursing Practice	4
NUR 480	Leadership & Health Care Organizations	4

### **Required Non-Nursing Courses:**

6 semester hours with Siena Heights University:

- REL or PHIL course 3
- LAS 401 Senior Seminar: Integrative Experience 3

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