

**Can I transfer courses to a UNLV Nursing Degree?**

Yes, applicants admitted into the RN-BSN subplan will earn up to 62 transfer credits from their Associate's Degree in Nursing upon review of transcripts. Upon review of transcripts, students may need to satisfy additional prerequisites.

**Can students from other RN-BSN nursing programs transfer to UNLV?**

No, students currently in an RN-BSN program will not be able to transfer credits earned in their current RN-BSN program. Students in an RN-BSN program looking to transfer to UNLV School of Nursing's RN-BSN program will follow the same admissions procedures outlined in this document.

**Do I need MATH 124 for this subplan?**

No, students applying to the RN to BSN subplan will need MATH 120 (or a higher level math course) and have earned a minimum grade of "B" or higher in order to be considered for this program.

**How long does it take to complete the RN-BSN?**

Students can complete this subplan in as little as two semesters, so long as they do not have additional prerequisites to satisfy.

**How do I apply?**

Students are admitted in the Summer and Fall semesters. For steps on how to apply visit the RN-BSN Application Process document located under "Related Links" in the RN-BSN subplan drop down menu located at the end of the BSN Degree page.

**What is needed to apply?**

Applicants should complete an application to the University. Once admitted to the University, applicants will complete the RN-BSN School of Nursing paper application and submit a completed portfolio. The portfolio consists of current resume, statement of intent, supervisor letter, copy of RN License. The School of Nursing paper application and portfolio documents can be emailed in PDF format to [RNBSN@unlv.edu](mailto:RNBSN@unlv.edu).

**Can I send the School of Nursing my transcripts for evaluation?**

No. The Office of Admissions must evaluate all transcripts. The School of Nursing does not pre-evaluate transcripts.

**How do I find out the status of my admission to the Nursing program?**

Students eligible for admission in the upcoming semester will be contacted via email if they are accepted. Letters of acceptance and denial also will be sent to all applicants.

**Do I need to take the HESI A2 Entry Exam?**

No, your experience as a licensed RN waives the HESI A2 Entry Exam requirement.

**How many credits do I need to earn my BSN?**

Students in the RN-BSN subplan can transfer up to 62 credits for their Associate Degree in Nursing, 30 credits for portfolio, and complete 30 credits in Nursing at UNLV School of Nursing to satisfy UNLV's graduation requirement of 122 credits. Students may need to take additional prerequisite courses upon review of transcripts.

**Are there any restrictions on who can apply?**

Yes, applicants should consult the [State Authorization Reciprocity](#) information for this online subplan.

**How often do you accept students into your program?**

Students are admitted in to the RN-BSN subplan twice a year (Summer & Fall), when they meet eligibility requirements.

**Are trips to campus required?**

Yes, students admitted into this subplan are expected to make three trips to campus. Students who opt not to take graduate-level courses must take NURS 307 which is an in-person course. Additional trips may be required, please check our website for the most-up-to-date information.