EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Transfer Guide

Clinton Community College A.A.S. Nursing to Excelsior College RN to BS Nursing

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This program plan outlines how students may transfer credits from the **Clinton Community College A.A.S. Nursing** degree program to the **Excelsior College RN to BS Nursing** degree program. Upon completion of your nursing degree and validation of your current, unencumbered RN license, the following credits may apply for students enrolling in the **RN to BS Nursing** program.

This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior College reviews every student individually. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers and the application date with Excelsior.

Clinton Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
ENG 101: English Composition	3	Written English Requirement	3
BIO 228: Anatomy & Physiology I	4	Human Anatomy & Physiology Core **AND** Sciences Supportive of Nursing Core	4
PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology	3	Psychology Core	3
BIO 229: Anatomy & Physiology II	4	Human Anatomy & Physiology Core **AND** Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement	4
PSY 230: Human Development	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
BIO 204: Microbiology	4	Microbiology Core **AND** Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement	4
SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology	3	Sociology Core	3
HPE Activity Course OR SPA 110: Spanish for Health Care	1	N/A	0
Total Credits Required for Associate	**25**	**Total Credits Accepted from Associate**	**24**

Credits Beyond The Associate That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior

Clinton Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
ENG 102: Literature & Composition *	3	Written English Requirement
Humanities Electives	9	Humanities Requirement
Ethics **	3	Ethics Core
Social Sciences/History Electives	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement
MAT 161: Elementary Statistics ***	3	Statistics Core
Arts & Sciences Electives	12	Arts & Sciences Requirement
Total Additional Credits	**33**	

* The Written English requirement is a prerequisite to all nursing courses except NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses. The first 3 credits in Written English must be completed within the first 13 Excelsior College credits attempted.

** Ethics is required and is a prerequisite for Excelsior College's NUR 462: Nursing Capstone.

*** Statistics is required and is a pre-/corequisite for Excelsior College's NUR 430: Research in Nursing.

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior College

Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INL 102: Information Literacy *(MUST be completed with Excelsior)*	1
IND 101: Cornerstone A (Foundations) **OR** IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways) *(MUST be completed with Excelsior)*	3
PHASE I: NUR 336: The Profession of Nursing: Becoming Influential	3
NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses	2

NUR 342: Holistic Health Care Across the Life Span	4
Nursing Elective (Upper Level)	3
PHASE II: NUR 430: Research in Nursing	3
NUR 446: Teaching and Learning in a Diverse Society	3
NUR 456: Leadership and Management in Nursing	4
NUR 448: Community Health Nursing - Care for the Public's Health	4
PHASE III: NUR 462: Nursing Capstone *(MUST be completed with Excelsior)* *	4
Total Credits	**34**

* Students are eligible for this requirement when the ethics core requirement is complete, when they have no more than 6 credits in general education still needed, and when all other nursing courses are complete. The nursing elective is the only nursing requirement that can be taken along with the capstone course.

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	24
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree *	33
30 semester hours of lower level Nursing credit granted for prior learning validated by nursing education and successful completion of the NCLEX-RN examination.	30
Credits from Excelsior **	34
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	**121**

* Students can take these courses at Excelsior College or another degree granting institution. Students should contact Excelsior College for approval before registering to ensure the transferability of this credit.

** Students are required to take a minimum of **12.00 online course credits** from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.

What are Arts and Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.

Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication

Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:

Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics