Nashville State Community College and Belmont University Partners in Nursing Program

Nashville State Community College and Belmont University have partnered together to prepare students to enter the field of nursing. Through this partnership agreement, NSCC students can earn their associate degree at NSCC, and then apply to the Belmont University School of Nursing to complete a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. This partnership is for students who have not already completed a bachelor degree.

Belmont University will hold a maximum of 16 seats in their nursing program for qualified NSCC Partnership students. Partnership students are eligible for the fall Nursing School enrollment only.

Application Procedures

- Complete the entire Degree Seeking Application thoroughly. An incomplete application cannot be considered and will be returned to the applicant. Students can access the application at [http://www.belmont.edu/prospectivestudents/admissions/applying.cfm](http://www.belmont.edu/prospectivestudents/admissions/applying.cfm)
- Submit the application fee of $50. Checks or money orders should be made payable to Belmont University.
- Provide the Confidential Recommendation Form to the appropriate person as designated on the form and have the reference send the form directly to Belmont.
- Complete the Personal Supplement and attach your answers to the Essay Questions section of the application. Be sure to include your name and social security number of each page.
- Request that official transcripts be sent from the high school and NSCC directly to the Office of Admissions. For a transcript to be official, it may not be marked “Issued to Student”.
- Request that official SAT-1 or ACT score reports be sent directly to Belmont. (Belmont's ACT code is 3946 and the SAT code is 1058). Test scores will be accepted as official if submitted on an official high school transcript. If you haven't taken the ACT, you can take the ACT Residual exam offered at Belmont. Please call 460-6360 to register.

The Partners in Nursing Intent Form must accompany your application.

All application materials must be submitted and complete by February 1st.

Admission Requirements

- Belmont University will require a minimum score of 22 on the ACT and a minimum GPA of 2.5 for admission to the program. Preference will be given to those who have a 3.0 or above.
- In addition, NSCC students seeking admission to the program must meet all Belmont University and Belmont University School of Nursing Admission and Progression criteria as listed in Belmont's course catalog. These requirements can be found by accessing the Belmont website at [http://www.belmont.edu/catalog](http://www.belmont.edu/catalog).
- Students must graduate from NSCC with an Associate of Science degree prior to enrollment in the program.
- For additional Belmont information contact: Keith Davis 615-460-6120 or keith.davis@belmont.edu
Required General Education Coursework

Communication

SPCH
Either SPCH 1010 or SPCH 1112
3 Credit Hours
ENGL 1010
English Composition I
3 Credit Hours
ENGL 1020
English Composition II
3 Credit Hours

History: Choose two of the following

HIST 1110
World Civilization I
3 Credit Hours
HIST 1120
World Civilization II
3 Credit Hours
HIST 2010
United States History I
3 Credit Hours
HIST 2020
United States History II
3 Credit Hours

Math: Choose one of the following

MATH 1130
College Algebra
3 Credit Hours
MATH 1530
Statistics
3 Credit Hours

Natural Science:

Belmont requires AP I/II must be completed within three years before you expect to begin
the Belmont Nursing Program.

BIOL 2010
Human Anatomy and Physiology I
4 Credit Hours
BIOL 2020
Human Anatomy and Physiology II
4 Credit Hours

Social Sciences

PSYC 1030
General Psychology
3 Credit Hours
SOCI 1010
Introduction to Sociology
3 Credit Hours
PSYC 2130
Life Span Psychology
3 Credit Hours

Humanities/ Fine Arts

9 HOURS REQUIRED, 6 OF THE 9 HOURS MUST be Art 1030 or Music 1030 and
ENGL 2310 or ENGL 2320

Area of Emphasis Courses

HLTH 2110*
Health Assessment
3 Credit Hours
* Students must speak to Dean Julie Williams (615-353-3347) to register for
this course

BIOL 1010
Introduction to Biology I OR BIOL 2230 Microbiology
4 Credit Hours
PHED 1010
Health and Wellness
3 Credit Hours
BIOL 1215
Principles of Nutrition
3 Credit Hours
PHED
Physical Education Activity
1 Credit Hours
PHIL 1010
Introduction to Biblical Studies
3 Credit Hours
PSYC 2125
Abnormal Psychology
3 Credit Hours

64 Total Credit Hours are required to meet Partnership Agreement Requirements