



APPLYING TO 2ND ENTRY NURSING



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WHERE TO FIND THIS POWERPOINT

bethune.yorku.ca/events



1100 000 11, 2.00 pm	00200	
Wed Oct 17 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into Dental School (SOS)
Wed Oct 24, 2:30 pm	BC203	Reading and Note Taking (Learning Skills)
Wed Oct 24, 3:30 pm	BC203	Procrastination/Motivation (SCD)
Wed Oct 24, 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into Veterinary School (SOS)
Wed Oct 31, 2:30 pm	BC203	Interview Skills (Career Centre)
Wed Oct 31, 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into Pharmacy School (SOS)
Wed Nov 7, 2:30 pm	BC203	Critical Thinking (Learning Skills)
Wed Nov 7, 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy (SOS)
Wed Nov 14, 2:30 pm	BC203	International Internships and Exchanges (York Intl)
Wed Nov 14, 3:30 pm	BC203	Managing Anxiety (SCD)
Wed Nov 14, 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into Optometry School (SOS)
Wed Nov 21, 2:30 pm	BC203	Exam Prep (Learning Skills)
Wed Nov 21, 3:30 pm	BC203	Challenging Negative Thinking to Improve Mood (SCD)
Wed Nov 21, 5:30 pm	BC320	How to get into 2 nd Entry Nursing (SOS)
Wed Nov 28, 2:30 pm	BC203	Managing Academic Stress (Learning Skills)

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WHAT IS SECOND ENTRY NURSING PROGRAM?

2nd Entry Nursing Program is a compressed or an accelerated Bachelor's Program offered to students with some undergraduate credits or an undergraduate degree

• Goal = to become a Registered Nurse (RN)

OTHER PATHWAYS TO BECOMING A RN

 Four-year Bachelor's Degree in Nursing (BScN) if you are not qualified for the 2nd entry

 Go from LPN (Licensed Practical Nurse) to RN (Registered Nurse) through specific college programs



SCHOOLING OPTIONS

• There are **10 universities in Ontario** that offer Secondary Entry or Compressed Program in Nursing



SCHOOLS IN CANADA

- Ontario
 - York University
 - University of Toronto- Lawrence Bloomberg Nursing
 - Western University
 - McMaster University
 - Trent University
 - Humber College -- Joint program with University of New Brunswick

SCHOOLS IN CANADA

- University of Ottawa
- Nipissing University
- Lakehead University
- Queens University
- Outside Ontario
 - University of Alberta
 - University of New Brunswick
 - Dalhousie University
 - And more...
 - To see the full list of schools visit <u>http://www.casn.ca/education/fast-</u> <u>trackaccelerated-bacc-programs/</u> (Canadian Association of School of Nursing)

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

- Various set of requirements.
- Prerequisites equivalency at specific university is important.
- Example of pre-requisites you might need:
 - Biology (University level)
 - Human Physiology and/or Anatomy or a full credit of Physiology only
 - Biochemistry and/or Microbiology
 - Nutrition
 - Statistics and/or Research Methods
 - Humanities and/or Philosophy
 - Social Science and/or Psychology
 - Overall B average of 2-3 years undergraduate study and/or 30.0 most recent credits***
 - ****Meeting the minimum GPA does not guarantee an admission, some institutions are very competitive.

2ND ENTRY NURSING: YORK UNIVERSITY

- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN)
- Specialized Honours- 150 credits
- Faculty of Health, School of Nursing
- Must fulfill:
- Required GPA & number of credits
- Prerequisite courses
- Additional Requirements
- <u>http://nurs.info.yorku.ca/2nd-entry-bachelor-of-science-in-nursing/</u>



GPA & CREDITS

- Cumulative GPA of at LEAST a B (6.0 on York Scale) and a B+ (7.0) average in the last recent 30 credits
- Designed for learners who have completed at least 60 university credits, or who already have a completed degree, prior to entering the program
- NOTE: if you will have completed a degree by September, you will need to apply as an external applicant
- Unique in meeting the needs of its learners
- Learners come from health related programs, or liberal or broad arts and science post-secondary backgrounds
- Program responds to increasing demand for nursing programs that build on prior learning at an accelerated pace



PREREQUISITES

- Of the 60 or more credits completed, the following must be included at the 1000 or above level:
 - Psychology 6 credits or two 3 credits (1 full or 2-half courses)
 - Human Anatomy 3 credits and Physiology 3 credits or 6 credits in Human Anatomy & Physiology (1 full or 2-half courses)
 - Statistics 3 credits (1-half course)
 - Microbiology 3 credits (1-half course)
 - Philosophy 3 credits (1-half course)
 - Humanities 3 credits (1-half course) (e.g. English, arts, history, literature, religion, philosophy, classics, drama, languages) 3 –NOTE: a philosophy credit can count as a humanities credit, but a humanities credit cannot count as a philosophy credit
- Student must have completed 9 credits at the 3000 level
- Internal applications open: Dec 1st February 6th, 2019.
- External applications due February 6th, 2019.
- Offers sent out Mid April

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- CASPerTest (Computer-based Assessment for Sampling Personal Characteristics)
- Online
- Required Fee
- Offered test dates for 2019...
 - January 24th (Tuesday @ 5 PM)
 - February I2th (Thursday @ 5PM & 8PM)

https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/requirements/casper-test



PREPAREYOURSELF

- Plan ahead
- The Nursing Department at York can provide you with a document as to which courses fulfill certain listed prerequisites.
- Stay up to date as requirements may be altered/added at different times
- Apply on time!
- CONTACT: degree2@yorku.ca
 - Application Deadline for September 2019 = February 6th, 2019.

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- Applicant should complete a minimum of 10 university full course equivalents before application.
- 2 year program
- 3.0 GPA in minimum 30 credits (10 courses-UofT) university full course equivalents
- In those 10 courses, a max of six courses 1000 level
- One full course equivalent in Human Physiology (Kine 2011 and Kine 3012), Life Science, Social Science and Humanities
- Half course in Statistics



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Supplementary Application

- Personal statement
- One Academic Reference
- One work-related reference for admissions assessment
- English Requirement (for ESL students)



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- For detailed information you can visit: <u>https://bloomberg.nursing.utoronto.ca/programs/bachelor</u>
- For specific questions, you can always email: inquiry.nursing@utoronto.ca



HUMBER COLLEGE- NORTH CAMPUS

- Collaboration with the University of New Brunswick
- 2 year program
- Has to have a minimum 3.0 GPA or 6.0 GPA (York) in minimum of 60 credits
- 2 step process:
 - First, students are admitted to a prep semester (First Semester) if they don't have any of the courses mentioned below:
 - Intro to Psychology
 - Intro to Statistics
 - Human Anatomy
 - Pathophysiology
 - Microbiology



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 Second, student must maintain a 74% grade in each prep course in order to get admitted in the Second entry program.



TRENT UNIVERSITY- FLEMING SCHOOL OF

- Minimum GPA of 2.7 (70%) in the last 10 university full courses (2 years of university)
- Intake: 80 Students
- Secondary school 4U or college prerequisite courses, and/or one semester of:
 - Biology (60%)
 - Chemistry (60%)
 - Math (60%)
 - One credit in Intro Psychology (3 credits)
 - Two credits of 1000 level (6 credits)
 - One credit of 2000 level (3 credits)
 - ***Casper required
 - For more info: <u>trentu.ca/nursing/documents/CompressedMap.pdf</u>

Or https://www.trentu.ca/nursing/programs/undergraduate/compressed-program/admissions



WESTERN UNIVERSITY-ARTHUR LABATT FAMILY SCHOOL OF NURSING

- 19-month program
- 5 consecutive terms
- Only offers full-time
- 104 students are accepted per year



WESTERN UNIVERSITY-ARTHUR LABATT FAMILY SCHOOL OF NURSING

- Completed at least 10 university full-course equivalents
- Minimum GPA (75%) in the last 10 university courses or the last 2 years
- For applicants applying with only 10.0 courses, no more than 5.0 courses may be at the introductory level
 - Minimum grade of 60% in:
 - Human Physiology (full credit)
 - Anatomy (half credit)
 - Statistics (half credit)

https://www.uwo.ca/fhs/nursing/undergrad/bscn_ctf/files/ctf_equ ents.pdf



No CASPER required

WESTERN UNIVERSITY-ARTHUR LABATT FAMILY SCHOOL OF NURSING

Students applying should at least satisfy one following criteria:

- I. English as a first language
- 2. For ESL: The applicant has to write additional tests. Refer to website for more information.
- <u>TOEFL</u>: 580 paper based; 237 computer-based and TSE (Test of Spoken English) 50 or greater; Internet-based-total score of 92-93, with 22-24 in writing, 26 in speaking, 20 in reading, and 20 in listening
- MELAB: 90, with at least 4 on the oral interview
- <u>IELTS</u>: 7, with at least 6.5 in reading and listening and at least 7 in writing and speaking





QUESTIONS?

YOUR REWARD FOR ATTENDING THIS SEMINAR!?!

SINCE YOU SIGNED IN TODAY. ALL YOUR NAMES AND EMAILS WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE 2ND ENTRY NURSING UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM DIRECTOR, ANDRIA PHILLIPS SO, CONGRATULATIONS!