



Small class sizes, caring faculty and affordability. NDSU Nursing at Sanford Health in Bismarck offers a nationally accredited program — providing excellent education and exceptional value.

We admit students into our pre-licensure program in both spring and fall semesters. The program is designed for high school students considering a nursing career or first-year college students looking at transfer options.



HEAR FROM OUR STUDENTS



CHOOSE YOUR NURSING PATH EARLY

Experience NDSU Nursing through the Direct Admission Program for high school seniors.

If you already are focused on becoming a nurse, we have a pathway to help you chart your course through NDSU School of Nursing at Sanford Health in Bismarck, North Dakota.

WHAT'S REQUIRED

High school GPA of 3.5 or higher. High schools with no recorded GPA considered on a case-by-case basis. Recommended dual-credit high school courses: composition I and II, algebra, sociology, psychology and speech.

WHILE A SENIOR IN HIGH SCHOOL

Seek admission to a North Dakota University System college or university as a first-time freshman following a Pre-Nursing/Associate of Science program track.

Complete the Direct Admission application to NDSU. Application fee to NDSU waived.

NDSU's ACT/SAT test requirement waived for students applying until Spring 2022.

Accepted students complete pre-nursing course work during their first academic year. Students must meet set expectations outlined in their program acceptance letter to start the professional nursing program.

PROVEN EXPERTISE

NDSU Nursing – Bismarck is accredited by the Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education. Our clinical faculty members teach students to apply the latest processes and technologies in Sanford Health units.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid and incentives are available and the program awards \$50,000 in scholarships annually.

PRIORITY CLINICAL PLACEMENT

NDSU Nursing is on Sanford Health's Bismarck campus, just minutes from where you'll apply what you learn to real-world settings. Our students enjoy priority placement within the Sanford system for clinical rotations.

WHEN TO APPLY

The Direct Admission Program application deadline for incoming freshmen is February 1, and acceptance letters are received by April 1.



“I chose NDSU Nursing in Bismarck because of the great staff and multiple opportunities to learn and achieve. I also like that it is located right next to Sanford Health for great clinical experiences.” — Sydney Johnson, nursing student

LEARNING OPTIONS

NDSU's School of Nursing at Sanford Health in Bismarck offers:

- Simulation Labs to gain skills and be part of team-based patient care
- Skills Lab to refine your hands-on knowledge
- Health Assessment Lab to learn how to interview and assess patients
- Small class sizes for individualized attention from faculty
- Access to convenient clinical rotation areas
- Accredited program recognized by employers
- Student groups to engage with others in your program
- Nursing library and student study areas
- Educational opportunities through interactive video
- Friendly and easy-to-navigate community

PLAN A VISIT

Get a first-hand view and receive tailored information about how we can help you begin your nursing career.

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