

Checklist for attending UAF Community and Technical College (CTC) as a Bachelor of Science Nursing (BSN) PRE-NURSING student

- ❑ Apply for a Certificate of Pre-Nursing Qualifications at UAF to work on prerequisites.
- ❑ Complete General Education Requirements (GER) from UAF, UAA, or UAS, required for the [UAA BS degree requirement](#). The attached list outlines the most efficient way to take prerequisite courses to be able to apply to the UAA Nursing program as soon as possible.). *For the Alaska Native-theme some courses can be double counted for this requirement and one of the other GER courses.* A Diversity and Inclusion course can meet other GER or program requirements. However, the same course cannot meet both the Alaska Native-theme requirement and the Diversity and Inclusion requirement. Please work closely with your advisor to account for all the needed GERs and double-counting.
- ❑ Prerequisite courses can only be repeated once to receive a C or better in the course. Withdrawals and audits do not count against the single repeat rule.
- ❑ Maintain a minimum extracted GPA of 3.0 in BSN pre req courses.
- ❑ Take the TEAS VII Test (pre-nursing admission test) after extensive review. (Exams can be taken once every 6 months and the highest score is used for ranking). Contact [eCampus Exam Services](#), 907-455-2060, at least a couple months ahead of desired test date to reserve a spot, then register with UAA testing. January and February test dates fill up fast so be proactive. 58.7% is the lowest score permitted for the nursing application, but students should try to earn a score above 80% to be competitive.
- ❑ Students must complete two applications for the UAA Nursing program: a [UAA Undergraduate Application \(\\$50 fee\)](#) at least 3-6 months before the MAR 1st deadline to allow time for processing of transfer evaluations AND the [School of Nursing \(SON\)](#), CAS Application during the September 1st-March 1st application period. Completing the NursingCAS application is lengthy and time consuming, so it is advisable to begin it as soon after September 1 as possible.
- ❑ The Kira assessment is part of the UAA nursing CAS application. It is an interview style evaluation of a student's communication, comprehension, drive and leadership skills. Currently, the Kira consists of 5 interview style questions during which the applicant is asked a question and records their answer, and one question that requires the applicant to write a response.

UAA Nursing Program in Fairbanks admits 24 students into the BS Nursing program each fall. The process is very competitive. See the [UAA School of Nursing website](#) for more information.

2023-24 Pre-Nursing Prerequisite UAF Courses for the UAA BS in Nursing Program

Prerequisite courses to be taken before application to UAA BS-Nursing Program:

MATH F105 (Not req'd for UAA BSN degree)	Intermediate Algebra	(3)	C- or better in MATH F055, F062, or F068 or placement test score of 30% or higher
Math F151	College Algebra for Calculus	4 cr	B or better in MATH F105 or placement test score of 55 or higher. A score of 65 or higher allows students to waive this course.
CHEM F103	Introduction to General Chemistry	4 cr	Plcmt in WRTG F111X, plcmt in MATH F105
CHEM F104	Introduction to Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry	4 cr	CHEM 103
BIOL F111X	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4 cr	Prereq: Plcmt in WRTG F111X and plcmt in MATH F105
BIOL F112X	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4 cr	BIOL F111X
WRTG F111X	Writing Across Contexts	3 cr	EdReady score of 70 or higher
WRTG F213X	Writing and the Sciences	3 cr	WRTG F111X, Rec: sophomore standing
COM 121, COM F131X, or COM F141X	Fund. of Oral Comm: Individual, Context, Group Context or Public Context	3 cr	No Pre-Reqs; attendance monitored
PSY F101X <i>Counts as Social Science GER</i>	Intro to Psychology	3 cr	No Pre-Reqs (needed for PSY F240)
PHIL F102 OR PHIL F104 <i>Either class counts as Humanities GER</i>	<i>Reasoning Skills courses:</i> Intro to Philosophy / Logic & Reasoning	3 cr	No Pre-Reqs for either PHIL courses
PSY F240	Psychology of Development	3 cr	Psy F101X
General Education Requirements (GERs) *See below		3 cr	Plcmt into WRTG F111X

Can apply to UAA BSN program as long as the courses above have been taken AND you are currently enrolled:

BIOL F240	Beginnings in Microbiology	4 cr	1 hs or college crse in BIOL; Rec: CHEM crse
HLTH A151	Breaking Trail on Your Health & Social Services Career	3 cr	No Pre-Reqs (offered online only through UAA campus)
STAT F200X	Elem Probability & Statistics	3 cr	Pass MATH F105 with a B or better; <u>or ALEKS placement of 55+%</u> ; or permission of instructor
General Education Requirements (GERs) *See below		3 cr	Plcmt in WRTG F111X

(GER=General Education Requirement) NOTE: Students can request permission of instructor for all courses listed above.

Courses to be taken before starting BSN program:

HLTH F203	Science of Nutrition	3 cr	No Pre-Reqs
PHIL A302 or PHIL A301	Biomedical and Research Ethics	3 cr	Junior or Senior standing. Other Ethics courses can be taken instead. Discuss with advisor.

Clinical courses such as: HLTH F107-Nurse Aide Training 9 cr, recommended, but not required.

All courses listed above would also satisfy requirements for an AA degree at UAF.

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HUM GER (6 credits) SS GER (6 credits) FA GER (3 credits) AK Native Themed GER (3 Credits) Diversity and Inclusion GER (3 Credits)