



FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL UNIVERSITY

Traditional BSN Program Prerequisites

The Florida A & M University School of nursing admits students twice a year, in the fall and spring semesters. To be eligible for admission, the below listed prerequisite courses must be completed or in progress at the time of application.

• ENC 1101/ ENC 1102	Freshman Comm. Skills I/II	3 Semester Credits
• MAC 1105 or higher	College Algebra or higher	3 Semester Credits
• BSC 1005 & Lab	Biological Science or higher	4 Semester Credits
• PSY 2012/SYG 2000*	Intro to Psychology/Sociology	3 Semester Credits
• DEP 2004	Human Growth and Dev.	3 Semester Credits
• CHM 1030	Chemistry for Health Science or higher	3 Semester Credits
• BSC 2093 & Lab	Anatomy & Physiology I	4 Semester Credits
• BSC 2094 & Lab	Anatomy & Physiology II	4 Semester Credits
• MCB 3005 & Lab	Microbiology	4 Semester Credits
• HUN 2401	Human Nutrition	3 Semester Credits
• STA 2023	Intro to Probability & Statistics	3 Semester Credits

*The Nursing program strongly recommends that applicants complete both psychology and sociology courses.

NOTE: Students must also take 2 humanities from the approved list, 4 elective courses, and meet the Civic Literacy requirement for graduation. Please speak with an academic advisor for recommended courses.

Additional Requirements:

- Must have earned an overall GPA of at least a 3.1. Science and Math GPA must be a 3.0 or higher with no repeats.
- Must have received a grade of “B” or better in math, science, and nutrition courses.
- Received a grade of “B” or better in prerequisite courses. Only one repeated prerequisite-only one time
- Repeated grades for math, science and nutrition will not be considered. The student must meet the minimum letter grade requirement on the first try.
- Must have received a Level 2 Proficiency on the required Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS). Register at <https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register>

PLEASE NOTE: Meeting these requirements does not guarantee admission into the program!

Application Process:

1. Apply for admission to Florida A & M University as a transfer student at <http://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?a=admissions> (for all non-FAMU students).
2. Apply for admission to the College of Nursing (everyone) by printing and completing the application at <https://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?nursing&Application> .
3. Please follow the application checklist to make sure your application is complete.
4. Applications are available for submission May 1st - 15th for Fall admissions and October 1st - 15th for Spring admissions. Applications will not be accepted before or after these dates.
5. Please contact the School of Nursing at 850-599-3017 if you have any questions regarding this information.

Failure to submit all documents will result in an INCOMPLETE application.

FAMU SCHOOL OF NURSING PROFESSIONAL LEVEL APPLICATION CHECKLIST

For admission to the Professional Nursing Program, applications are only accepted October 1st-15th for SPRING and May 1st-15th for FALL.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Submit a completed application for admission to Florida A & M University
<http://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?a=admissions>
 - A completed application for admission to the University must be submitted prior to acceptance to the nursing program.
- Submit a completed application packet to the Professional Nursing Program (*scroll down*).

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- A completed Annual Medical Examination (AME) must be submitted once admitted into the nursing program.
- Proof of current (within 1 year) Tuberculin PPD or skin test administration. If PPD result is positive a negative chest x-ray is required. PPD must be submitted once admitted into the nursing program.
- Proof of Immunizations by **Vaccination or Blood Titer** is required. Provide proof of the following: MMR, Diphteria-Tetanus Toxoid (within the last 10 years), Hepatitis B and Varicella. Chicken pox disease cannot be used as proof of varicella. If a student has had chicken pox, the student must submit a positive varicella titer result. If the titer is not positive, two varicella vaccines are needed. Hepatitis B Vaccination is a total of 3 vaccines. **(If you have not completed the series or have a negative titer– do not apply). Series may take up to 9 months and the last vaccine should not be dated after the application deadline. If the titer is negative, the series much be repeated. Proof must be submitted once admitted into the program.**
- Foreign Language completion (Proof of 2 years of one foreign language in high school or eight sequential semester hours of college course credits). **Proof must be a sealed official high school or college transcript. If this is not completed – please do not apply.**
- Sealed Official Transcripts from **all** universities/colleges attended including dual enrollment. **Each individual transcript must be submitted even if transfer credits are recorded on other transcripts. Please mail transcripts in one envelope to the address below by the deadline date.**
- **Three** references (2 references must be from university/college instructors and 1 from a recent employer or mentor).
- Successful completion of all pre-nursing course requirements with at least a grade of “B” and a minimum of **3.1 cumulative GPA** in all course work attempted. **If the overall GPA is not a 3.1 or higher at the time of application–do not apply. The “B” or better in pre-nursing courses must be first attempts only.**

EMAIL YOUR APPLICATION AND REFERENCES TOGETHER BY THE DEADLINE TO:

SON_StudentAffairs@famu.edu

Submit High School and College transcripts together in one envelope by the deadline to:

Attn: Director of Student Affairs
Florida A & M University School of Nursing
334 W. Palmer Avenue Rm. 223 Ware-Rhaney Building
Tallahassee, FL 32307

We will **not** accept applications **prior** to October 1st for **SPRING**, and May 1st for **FALL**. All information should be received by 5:00 p.m. on the deadline date – **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WE ARE A LIMITED ACCESS PROGRAM
AND SELECTION IS A HIGHLY COMPETITIVE PROCESS. MEETING ALL THE REQUIREMENTS ABOVE
DOES NOT GUARANTEE ADMISSION.**

**FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF NURSING**

Applicants to the above-named institution are selected in accordance with nondiscriminatory practices.

You are urged to give careful consideration to each question on this form. Please complete this application in its entirety and return it along with all other relevant materials promptly to the Director of Student Affairs office at the School of Nursing.

APPLICATION DEADLINE DATES: FALL – MAY 15th

SPRING – OCTOBER 15th

Print or type all information below:

Date: _____ 20__ **FAMU Student ID:** _____ **Cell Phone:** _____
(Area Code) (Number)

Name: _____ **Home Phone:** _____
(Last), (First), (Middle Initial) (Area Code) (Number)

Home address: _____
(Number and Street)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Email FAMU _____

U.S. citizen: Yes No

Email Personal _____

Person to be notified in case of emergency:

Name: _____ **Relationship:** _____

Email: _____ **Telephone number:** _____
(Area Code) (Number)

Post-Secondary Education: List all forms of education beyond high school.

Dates		Name of Institution	City and State	Major	Credential Earned (diploma, Certificate, Degree, No of Credits)
From	To				

Indicate which nursing prerequisites you have completed or plan to complete prior to admission. **THIS SECTION AND THESE COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO ADMISSION TO THE SCHOOL OF NURSING.** If you are currently enrolled in any courses, you must immediately submit proof of completion as soon as grades are posted. You may hand-deliver or fax an unofficial transcript print-out to 850.599.3508. This should be immediately followed by the submission of another Sealed Official Transcript.

COURSE	COURSE NUMBER (S)	CREDITS & GRADE (S)	DATE (When Taken)	SCHOOL
CHM 1030 (3 Credits) Intro. to Chemistry Lecture				
* BSC 1005 (4 Credits) Biological Science Lecture & Lab				
BSC 2093 (4 Credits) Anatomy & Physiology I Lecture & Lab				
BSC 2094 (4 Credits) Anatomy & Physiology II Lecture & Lab				
HUN 2401 (3 Credits) Nutrition				
MCB 3005c (4 Credits)				
STA 2023 (3 Credits) Intro. to Probability & Statistics I				
PSY 2012 (3 Credits) Introduction to Psychology				
DEP 2004 (3 Credits) Human Growth & Development				
SYG 2000 (3 Credits) Introduction to Sociology				
ENC 1101 (3 Credits) Freshman Communicative Skills I				
ENC 1102 (3 Credits) Freshman Communicative Skills II				
MAC 1105 (3 Credits) College Algebra				
* AMH 2091 or AFA 3104 (3 Credits) Intro. to African American History or Experience				
1 st HUMANITIES (3 Credits) Historical Survey I * (or humanities substitute)				
2 nd HUMANITIES (3 Credits) PHI 2101 Introduction to Logic (Recommended)				
SLS 1101 (2 Credits) First Year Experience (elective)				
ELECTIVE (3 Credits) HSC 3531 Medical Terminology (Recommended)				
ELECTIVE (3 Credits)				

*Students with an AA degree from a Florida Community College are exempted from the following courses:
BSC 1005 Lecture & Lab and AMH 2091 or AFA 3104.

Please closely read and verify all of the following; Failure to place your initials & fulfill any of the requirements listed below will result in an INCOMPLETE application.

___ I have submitted Sealed Official Transcripts from all Universities/Colleges attended.

___ I have a minimal OVERALL cumulative GPA of 3.1 or above. I understand this Nursing Program is highly competitive and attainment of the minimal GPA does not guarantee admission.

___ I have indicated my completion or progress toward completion of nursing prerequisite requirements. I understand that all prerequisites must be completed before being admitted into the Professional Level Nursing program. A grade of "B" or better is required in Math, Science, Nutrition and prerequisites courses and must be first attempts only, no repeats.

___ I understand that my Math and Science GPA must be a 3.0 or higher. A grade of “B” or better is required the first attempts only, no repeats.

___ I understand that I must take and attain a score of level 2 proficiency on the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) to qualify for the nursing program. This should be done by the deadline date.

___ I understand that I must be able to lift 20 pounds or more while in the nursing program.

Have you previously applied for admission to this School of Nursing? Yes No Date: _____

Are you prepared to meet the expenses of the program in this school? Yes No

*Note – Initial orientation fees are about \$800, and are not payable from your financial aid.

There are additional fees associated with certain courses.

Do you have any responsibilities that might interrupt or interfere with this program? Yes No

Identify: _____

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Upload a photograph of yourself here.



I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ITEMS ABOVE AND HAVE COMPLETED ALL SECTIONS. I UNDERSTAND THAT MY APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNLESS ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS ARE COMPLETED AND PROVIDED BY THE DEADLINE.

Signature: _____

Date _____



BSN Reference Form

Student Information			
Name _____	Phone _____		
Reference Information			
Name _____	Phone _____		
Reference Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Employer	<input type="checkbox"/> Mentor

TO BE COMPLETED BY PERSON PROVIDING THE REFERENCE
HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE FOLLOWING:

	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	UNSATFACTORY
DEPENDABILITY				
PROFESSIONALISM				
GOOD ATTENDANCE				
MANAGE STRESS WELL				
COMMUNICATION SKILLS				
PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS				

Is there anything else you feel we should know about this person?

Signature

Date

Print Name

Title