

# Associate Degree in Nursing

APU seeks to develop and deliver programming that meets the healthcare workforce needs of Alaska. The Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) program offers the foundational skills needed to provide culturally safe, holistic care for Alaska Natives, Indigenous peoples, and other underserved populations across Alaska.

The ADN program at APU delivers relevant coursework with real-world projects and clinical placements. Through our unique programming, our students are prepared for and supported in meeting their educational, professional, and community-driven goals.

The program follows a cohort model. Students admitted to the Nursing program can expect to complete the program in three semesters across 18 months, based on full-time enrollment.



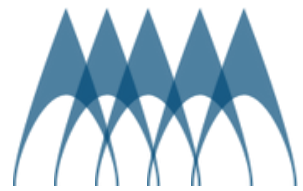
**The ADN program at APU is accredited by the:**

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)  
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## Prerequisite Requirements

- Principles of Biology I (4)
- Principles of Chemistry I (4)
- Human Anatomy & Physiology I (4)
- Human Anatomy & Physiology II (4)
- Algebra for Health Sciences (4)
- Lifespan Human Development (4)
- Writing & Research I: Argumentation (4)
- Culturally Safe Healthcare: Inquiry & Practice (4)

## Major Studies

- Foundations of Culturally Safe Nursing Practice (8)
- Pathopharmacology I (2)
- Population Health: Culturally Safe Nursing Care of Individuals and Families Within the Alaskan Indigenous Population (3)
- Mental and Behavioral Health in Nursing: A Culturally Safe Approach (3)
- Med/Surg I: Care of the Client with Chronic and Acute Conditions (8)
- Pathopharmacology II (2)
- NCLEX Capstone Course (2)
- Holistic Care of Families (4)
- Med/Surg II: Transition to Care of the Client with Critical Conditions (8)

## Accreditation

The Alaska Board of Nursing in keeping with statutes AS 08.68.100(a) and AS 08.62.290 and regulations 12 AAC 44.010 and 12 AAC 44.055, provides oversight and annual approval of nursing programs. Alaska Pacific University Nursing Program has submitted the required reports and has ACEN approval.

The list above is a sample of course offerings and not a full list of program requirements. APU is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities. APU is an Equal Opportunity institution.

## Admission Requirements

- Application
  - Application Fee\*
  - Official Final High School Transcript\*\*
  - Official College Transcript(s)
  - Cover Letter
  - Prerequisite Coursework
  - Resume w/ recommender information
  - Interview with Nursing Faculty
- \*Fee waiver available for those who qualify  
\*\* If less than 24 college credits earned



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Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.5  
Minimum extracted prerequisite GPA: 3.0

## Send Documents



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Anchorage, AK 99508

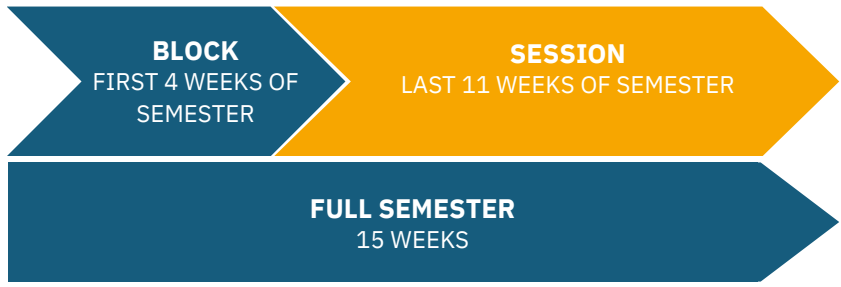
Fall & Spring Cohorts



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Program Specific Deadlines  
Apply See Website for details

## Degree Completion & Course Delivery



72 credits minimum are required to complete the degree program. Courses are offered in a mixed format of:

- On-campus
- Online via synchronous learning

## Questions?



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