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<td>Program Begins</td>
<td>After completion of nursing prerequisites, Mason Core, &amp; 10 electives</td>
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<td>Program Length</td>
<td>Two years (Fall, Spring)</td>
<td>12-months (Fall, Spring, Summer)</td>
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<td>Completion of Mason Core Courses and Electives¹</td>
<td>Must be complete by end of Mason’s spring semester (May 20)</td>
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²May be satisfied by prior Bachelor’s degree ³or by GAA waiver ²
## Eligibility Requirements

### Traditional, Accelerated Second Degree, and Accelerated Veteran LPN to BSN

- **Anatomy and Physiology I**
- **Anatomy and Physiology II**
- **Microbiology**
  - Two of three courses above complete at time of application AND
  - Course may not be more than five years old at time program begins
  - Complete by the end of Mason’s spring semester (May 20)
  - C or better in each course
  - 3.0 prerequisite GPA

### RN to BSN, Co-enrollment Program (Veteran & Non-Veteran)

- **Anatomy and Physiology I**
- **Anatomy and Physiology II**
- **Microbiology**

**RN to BSN:** Complete by the end of Mason’s
- Spring semester (May 20) for fall admission OR
- Fall semester (December 15) for spring admission

**Co-enrollment:** Complete by the end of the AAS-Nursing program.

## Nursing Science Prerequisites

### Biomedical Ethics

**Human Lifespan Development**

**Nutrition**

**Statistics**

- Complete by end of Mason’s spring semester (May 20)
- C or better in each course
- 3.0 prerequisite GPA

### RN to BSN

- Complete by the end of Mason’s
  - Spring semester (May 20) for fall admission OR
  - Fall semester (December 15) for spring admission

**Co-enrollment:** Complete by the end of the AAS-Nursing program.

### Additional Nursing Prerequisite Courses

- **Biomedical Ethics**
- **Statistics**

**RN to BSN:**
- Complete by the end of Mason’s
  - Spring semester (May 20) for fall admission OR
  - Fall semester (December 15) for spring admission

**Co-enrollment:** Complete by the end of the AAS-Nursing program.

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**Notes:**

1. For a list of Mason Core courses go to: [https://masoncore.gmu.edu](https://masoncore.gmu.edu)

2. BSN applicants admitted to Mason under the terms of the Guaranteed Admission Agreement (GAA) may earn a waiver for the Mason Core courses. Only the Mason Office of Admissions awards the GAA waiver. Please go to [https://www2.gmu.edu/admissions-aid/how-apply/transfer/virginia-guaranteed-admission-agreements](https://www2.gmu.edu/admissions-aid/how-apply/transfer/virginia-guaranteed-admission-agreements) for more information about the GAA waiver.

3. Prior bachelor’s degrees earned in the U.S. must come from a regionally accredited institution. A prior bachelor’s degree earned internationally must be equivalent to a four-year, U.S. bachelor’s degree.

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### Contact Information

#### BSN Program

- **College of Health and Human Services**
- **Office of Student Affairs**
- **Peterson Hall 1000**
- George Mason University
- 4400 University Drive, MS 6C4
- Fairfax, VA 22030

- Phone: 703-993-1901
- Fax: 703-993-3606
- Web: chhs.gmu.edu/nursing

#### University Admissions

- **Office of Undergraduate Admissions**
- **Johnson Center 213**
- George Mason University
- 4400 University Drive, MS 3A4
- Fairfax, VA 22030

- Phone: 703-993-2400
- Fax: 703-993-4622
- Web: admissions.gmu.edu

#### Financial Aid

- **Office of Student Financial Aid**
- **Student Union I**
- George Mason University
- 4400 University Drive, MS 3B5
- Fairfax, VA 22030

- Phone: 703-993-2353
- Fax: 703-993-2350
- Web: financialaid.gmu.edu

The above information is based on the 2019-2020 University Catalog. Please refer to the catalog for full course descriptions, department information, and university policy governing undergraduate degree programs at [https://catalog.gmu.edu/](https://catalog.gmu.edu/).

For program details, eligibility guidelines, or to register for a BSN Information Session, please visit the BSN Admissions website at [https://nursing.gmu.edu/admissions/bsn-admissions](https://nursing.gmu.edu/admissions/bsn-admissions).

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