

Distance Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSBN)



Highlights

- **Accreditation:** Accredited by Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), Texas State Board of Nurse Examiners.
- **Clinical Placements:** Baylor is proud to offer Clinical Placement Support for online nursing students. Our Clinical Placement Specialists will do the heavy lifting of securing clinical sites and preceptors for all clinical rotations, so you can focus on coursework and developing new skills.
- **Recognition:** Louise Herrington School of Nursing was ranked #1 Best Accredited Nursing School in Texas in 2021 (nursingprocess.org). *U.S. News & World Report* ranked Baylor University in the Top 5% of Best Colleges in the Nation in 2021 and Baylor's DNP among the Top 10% of Best Grad Nursing Schools: DNP in 2022.
- **History of Excellence:** Baylor University is Texas' oldest continuously operating institution of higher learning. With more than 176 years of educational excellence, Baylor University is a nationally recognized and respected private research institution.
- **Alumni Network:** Join the more than 6,000 Louise Herrington School of Nursing graduates who are academically, spiritually, and personally prepared for leadership as a nurse.
- **NCLEX:** 94.55% first-time NCLEX pass rate in 2020.

Prerequisite Courses

Microbiology	Bible-based Religion
Anatomy & Physiology I	World Religion
Anatomy & Physiology II	History
Chemistry	Nutrition
English Composition I	Statistics
English Composition II	Intro to Psychology
English Literature	Developmental Psychology
Federal Government	Intro to Sociology

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Program Facts

- **Duration:** 12 months
- **Semesters:** 3 semesters
- **Total Credits:** 62 credits
- **Format:** Excluding clinicals and one on-campus immersion, coursework is 100% online
- **Immersion:** One 2-week on-site immersion (skill labs/assessments) on-campus in Dallas, TX, plus in-state clinical rotations
- **Practicum Requirement:** 720 hours
- **Intakes:** 2 per year, in Spring (January), and Fall (August)

Admissions Requirements

- Completed bachelor's degree in any non-nursing discipline
- 52 pre-req credits must be completed before starting program (see list below), 33 pre-req credits must be completed before applying with 8 being in science
- 3.0 GPA on pre-req courses, 2.75 GPA on science pre-req courses
- HESI A2 exam and Math & English Composite tests, you must receive an 80 in both sections

Tuition and Fees

- **Application Fee:** \$55
- **Student Fees:** \$480 per semester
- **Cost Per Semester:** \$22,272
- **Total Tuition:** \$66,834

Restrictions

- Students must reside in the state of Texas and live outside the DFW metro area to qualify
- Due to the academic rigor, ABSN students may not work while enrolled in this full-time program