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<b>Policy Name:</b>	<b>Admission Policy RN to BSN</b>
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Completed online applications received by July 1 will be considered for the following fall admission. Applications will be accepted once per calendar year.

Applications are accepted from licensed RN's from an accredited Associate Degree Program.

Prior to application, the following must be completed:

1. Admission to the University of North Dakota
2. All transcripts from other universities or colleges must be submitted to the University of North Dakota. Transfer course equivalency must be determined by official transcript. If transfer courses are not deemed equivalent on the official transcript, the student may submit a petition to review course work for course equivalency. This must be submitted prior to the application deadline.
3. Minimum 2.75 overall GPA
4. Submission of copy of a current, unencumbered RN license.
5. Completion of the following courses with a grade of "C" or better:
  - Statistics
6. The RN to BSN program may not be able to accommodate public health clinical experiences in some states due to specific state board of nursing regulations. Admission to the RN to BSN program is based on the state regulations regarding clinical placement and the programs ability to meet those requirements. Students are admitted based on their state of residency at the time of application. Any relocation, or changes to your state of residency, may impact your ability to progress in our program at UND. The RN to BSN Program Coordinator must be informed promptly about all relocations or potential moves while enrolled in nursing courses.

Important Deadlines:

- **July 1:** Applications for Fall Admission completed
- **July 1:** Petitions pertaining to Fall Admission to the College of Nursing and Professional Disciplines must be submitted in order to be considered.
- **Prior to beginning the nursing program:** Verifications must be completed and uploaded into verification tracker. Please refer to Undergraduate Nursing Student Handbook.

**Admission Acceptance Requirements:**

Upon notice of admission to the RN to BSN Nursing Program, students must submit the signed admission acceptance form and a non-refundable deposit towards the program fee by the date indicated on the Admission Acceptance form. Failure to return the acceptance form and deposit by deadline will result in loss of nursing placement. Current verifications and designated background check, with acceptable results, will be required and details are provided in admission letter.

**Admission of Nursing Students from other RN to BSN programs:**

Students transferring from another RN to BSN nursing program must meet admission criteria. Programs from which students transfer must be accredited. A letter of good standing from the nursing program must be provided with application.

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