



Methodist College
UnityPoint Health



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING - SECOND DEGREE

Admission Process:

- Apply and submit application fee at www.MethodistCol.edu/apply
- Submit official transcripts from all colleges attended.

Minimum Admission Requirements:

- 2.0/4.0 cumulative college GPA.
- Earned bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university.

Methodist College offers the Bachelor of Science in Nursing - Second Degree, an online and weekend program for those who have earned a bachelor's degree in a field other than nursing and wish to become a registered nurse. Upon completion of this degree, graduates are eligible to take the NCLEX-RN exam to be licensed as registered nurses.

The only one of its type in the greater Peoria area, this program requires five consecutive semesters, including summer sessions. The required courses and clinical experiences are only scheduled online and weekends, blending online and classroom learning for coursework, which allows busy, working adult students flexibility in their schedules. It is also the only program of its kind that includes an onsite, hands-on internship, providing the student with real-life learning.

The faculty at Methodist College are committed to teaching students to develop critical thinking, clinical decision making, and professional nursing values in an increasingly complex healthcare system. The undergraduate curriculum prepares graduates for entry-level professional practice in a broad range of healthcare settings.

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The Bachelor of Science in Nursing - Second Degree is very intensive, however, part-time enrollment is possible, but may extend time to degree completion. Each student must personally determine whether his or her personal situation and abilities would permit full-time employment during enrollment.

Depending on a student's first bachelor's degree, a student may need to complete the following science courses before enrolling in some upper division nursing courses:

CREDITS / COURSE

4 ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY I WITH LAB

4 ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY II WITH LAB

4 MICROBIOLOGY WITH LAB

For additional program information, visit: www.MethodistCol.edu/second-degree-bsn

NEW! MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING PRELICENSURE

Methodist College offers the Master of Science in Nursing - Prelicensure, an innovative graduate program that allows individuals with an earned non-nursing bachelor's degree to earn a Master of Science in Nursing degree and be eligible to sit for the NCLEX national licensing exam to become a registered nurse.

The program consists of 70 credit hours and can be completed in five semesters on a full-time basis. The length of time to degree completion may be impacted if semester credit hours are completed on a reduced or part-time basis. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher in undergraduate work and have completed prerequisite science courses with a grade of B or better.

For additional program information, visit: www.MethodistCol.edu/msn-prelicensure

STUDENT HOUSING

The Prairie Sky Apartments at Methodist College provide student housing convenient to the campus. Located directly behind the college, the furnished apartments offer students a community to make new friends and get support from other students who are focused on the same goals.

For more information, visit:
www.PrairieSkyApartmentsPeoria.com

STUDENT LIFE

Methodist College offers opportunities for students to get involved in leadership through groups such as the Student Government Association and the Multicultural Student Association. Students can also participate in a variety of activities including the annual Multicultural Fair, community service projects, ping-pong tournaments, the EDGE Run, and social opportunities.