

# Nursing Pathway

## Requirements

Each year up to three Honors College students who meet all College of Nursing requirements are guaranteed an interview for the highly selective College of Nursing's Accelerated BSN program. The College of Nursing's accelerated program is specifically designed for the student with a baccalaureate degree in another field who wants to become a registered nurse. HC students must notify the Associate Dean of the Honors College of their intention to apply for the Accelerated BSN. Students pursuing the pathway should consult the College of Nursing's [Accelerated BSN webpage](#), which indicates the courses they must take while at the Honors College to prepare them for the BSN. To take advantage of the nursing pathway students must have been full-time Wilkes Honors College students for a minimum of six semesters (Fall/Spring semesters) and complete the Honors College Core and Concentration in the Wilkes Honors College. Students must have completed their Nursing prerequisites prior to applying to the Accelerated BSN program. HC students doing this pathway are exempt from the requirement that the bachelor's degree must be in hand prior to *applying* for the Accelerated BSN program but must have their HC Bachelor's degree in hand before *beginning* the Accelerated BSN program.

## Program details

The accelerated BSN program is an intensive four semesters of full-time academic study at FAU's nationally acclaimed College of Nursing. Honors College students choosing the Nursing Pathway must plan to complete their Honors College degree requirements prior to starting the Nursing program. For further information see the [College of Nursing's Accelerated BSN webpage](#), or contact the Associate Dean of the Honors College.

For further information from the College of Nursing, phone 561-297-3263.