



Collaborative Nursing Program

FACULTY OF NURSING



Who We Are

The mission of the University of Windsor's nursing program, in collaboration with its partners St. Clair College and Lambton College, is to prepare graduates who will practise in partnership with clients, families, communities, groups and service providers to facilitate the promotion, achievement, and maintenance of optimal levels of health.

*the degree
that works*

Why Windsor

The Right Choice

Quality programs. Exceptional faculty members. A friendly, supportive campus. These are just a few of the reasons why Windsor is the right choice for you. We provide "the degree that works," an innovative, student-focused approach that combines learner-centred teaching with practical experiences to prepare its students for the challenges of tomorrow.

Vibrant and Dynamic

Windsor (www.city.windsor.on.ca/home) is a friendly community of 200,000. We're known for our exciting arts and entertainment scene, hundreds of restaurants, and abundant shopping. Outdoor enthusiasts can enjoy our moderate climate, many major waterways and countless parks. And, our strategic, international border location means Michigan is just across the river with concerts, world-class museums and four major league sports teams.

The Windsor advantage

Picture Yourself Here

We think there are clear advantages to choosing the University of Windsor Collaborative Nursing Degree. We offer a superior program, highly qualified faculty, and a choice of campuses:

- Chatham - St. Clair College campus
- Sarnia - Lambton College campus
- Windsor - St. Clair College campus
- Windsor - University of Windsor campus

The Collaborative Advantage

The partners have made a commitment to excellence. The University of Windsor, Faculty of Nursing was one of the first nursing programs in Canada to receive national accreditation status from the Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing Board of Accreditation. This is a guarantee of excellence.

Our students

We offer a student-focused approach. The university and its college partners' campuses are small enough to provide individualized faculty and staff attention, yet large enough to offer plenty of opportunities to pursue your own unique interests.

Providing valuable experience

Clinical experiences begin in Year One and continue throughout the four years of your program and include hospital and community settings. Independent learning laboratories, simulated activities, hands-on experiences and individual conferences lay the foundation for professional nursing. BScN students earn the requirements to write the registration exams of

the College of Nurses of Ontario to become Registered Nurses and pursue graduate studies.

Why a Degree in Nursing?

With a BScN degree, you will have the skills and knowledge to obtain entry-level positions in all areas of health care. Settings in which you may practise the science and art of nursing encompass areas from health promotion in the community, to the "high-tech" environment of hospital trauma nursing.

Baccalaureate Nursing Degree

The BScN program is four years in length and is designed for individuals who are seeking to prepare for a career in nursing. The curriculum is based on the premise that professional nursing is multidisciplinary in nature, applying nursing, biological and social sciences, as well as the arts, to the care of individuals, families and communities.

The collaborative partnership prides itself on a flexible, quality program. You can realize the best return on your education and enhance your professional skills by:

- becoming part of a team;
- working with an expert nurse preceptor and a faculty advisor to prepare you for professional practice;
- becoming a member of one of the most politically and professionally active nursing student bodies in Canada. Our students are active participants in the Canadian Nursing Students' Association, an organization that has been in the front and centre in initiating change;
- becoming active in the Nursing Society which entitles you to sit on the Faculty of Nursing committees. Care/dare to shape your

Faculty of Nursing for the next generation of students; and

- broadening your international horizons through getting to know students from other countries.

Admission Requirements Four-Year Collaborative Honours BScN Program

Six U or M courses including Grade 12 U English 1, 12 U Chemistry, and 12 U Biology. One Grade 12 U Mathematics is recommended. A minimum average of 70 per cent is expected in Biology and Chemistry. Recommended immunizations and tests listed on the health form are also required. Successful applicants must complete a certified First Aid and Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation course and an extended Police Clearance. These must be renewed as required and are the financial responsibility of the student.

Nursing Degrees and Programs Available at the University of Windsor

- BScN
- Post-Diploma BScN
- Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner Certificate
- Master of Science Degree in Nursing
- Master of Nursing Degree

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