

University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Nursing – BSN@Home Curriculum Requirements (124 credits)

GENERAL EDUCATION (71 CREDITS)		NURSING REQUIREMENTS (53 CREDITS)	
	Credits		Credits
SCIENCES (22 CREDITS)		PRIOR LEARNING CREDITS (24-30 CREDITS#)	
Chemistry	3-5	N105 Health Care Systems: Interdisciplinary Approach	2
Microbiology	3	*N212 Human Responses to Health and Illness I	4
Anatomy	4	*N219 Clinical Nursing I	4
Physiology	4	*N310 Mental Health & Mental Illness: Implications for Nursing	3
*CNP 490 Topic: Clinical Pharmacology	3	*N312 Human Responses to Health and Illness II	4
*CNP 490 Topic: Pathophysiology	3	*N319 Nursing Care in the Inpatient Setting	4
Science Elective	0-2	*N332 Essentials Family-Centered Perinatal & Pediatric Nursing	3
		*Nursing Electives	0-6
SOCIAL STUDIES/HUMANITIES (22 CREDITS)		BSN@HOME NURSING COURSEWORK (27 CREDITS)	
Psychology	3	*CNP 306 Transitions: Practice, Professional, Personal (first class)	3
Sociology	3	*NUR 433 Gerontology^^	3
Growth & Development	3	*CNP 407 Foundations of Professional Nursing Practice	3
*Humanities	6	*CNP 441 Chronic Care Management	3
*Social Studies or Humanities	7	*CNP 446 Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	3
COMMUNICATION PART A (English Composition)		*CNP 447 Leadership & Management	3
	3	*CNP 453 Information & Health Technology	3
COLLEGE ALGEBRA/QUANTITATIVE REASONING A		*CNP 454 Community Health Nursing	3
	3	*CNP 519 Capstone Clinical (last class)	3
QUANTITATIVE REASONING B (Statistics is typical)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Note: Almost all BSN@Home coursework is offered exclusively online. CNP 306 and CNP 519 require some full-days of campus-based meetings. # Students who earned their ADN from a WI Tech College (1996 or after) receive 30 Prior Learning Credits. All other students receive 24. ^^Can be challenged with an exam: 'Foundations of Gerontology' through Excelsior College. Must earn 'C' or higher. 	
	3		
*ETHNIC STUDIES			
	3		
*NON-NURSING ELECTIVES			
	15		
TOTAL CREDITS	71		53

Total Needed to Complete B.S. Nursing Degree: 71 + 53 = 124 CREDITS (*75 must be Intermediate/Advanced Level)

Blue	24-30 credits	Prior Learning Credits awarded in recognition of the ADN or Nursing Diploma
Green	20 credits	General Education courses <i>typically</i> completed through ADN or Nursing Diploma program
Orange	39 credits	General Education courses <i>not typically</i> completed through ADN or Nursing Diploma. Student must complete these prior to or after admission to the UW-Madison BSN@Home program. Courses may be completed through a different UW school (ex: UW-Colleges Online), then transferred to UW-Madison. Select courses using Transfer Information System (TIS) Course Wizards: http://tis.uwsa.edu/wizards/
Purple	33-35 credits	Required BSN@Home coursework