

RN-BSN Admissions Checklist

MCHP's RN-BSN program requires the completion of 122 credits. Upon conclusion of the program, students will be awarded the Bachelor of Science in nursing degree. Matriculated students (students accepted into the program) will be awarded thirty-five credits as a RN and an additional twenty-seven credits for the general education courses required prior to entering the program (courses listed below). Applicants for the RN-BSN program must meet the following requirements by published admissions deadlines. Please review all requirements carefully.

Admissions Requirements:

- Online application- <http://www.mchp.edu/apply-now>
- Application Fee \$50.00- non-refundable
- Official, state approved, high school (or GED/HiSET) transcript sent directly to the College. *(High school transcripts are not required, if applicant has graduated from an associate's or bachelor's degree program from a regionally accredited institution at the time the application is submitted.)*
- Official college/university transcript(s) sent directly to MCHP. Transcripts from associate degree nursing programs must be from a CCNE or ACEN accredited college/university. Associate degree programs (RN) which are not accredited by CCNE or ACEN will not meet the requirement.
- A&P I with lab with a grade of "C" or higher
- A&P II with lab with a grade of "C" or higher
- Microbiology w/lab with a grade of "C" or higher
- College Writing with a grade of "C" or higher
- Introduction to Psychology with a grade of "C" or higher
- Developmental Psychology with a grade of "C" or higher

Arts/Humanities Elective with a grade of “C” or higher

Social Science Elective with a grade of “C” or higher

Please note: MCHP also requires that applicants hold and maintain an unrestricted and active RN license with the Maine State Board of Nursing. MCHP will review each applicant license using maine.gov. Applicants will not be considered for the program if their license is not current and in good standing. Students currently completing an A.D.N. program are eligible to apply for the program during their final semester of their A.D.N. program. They may be conditionally accepted into the RN-BSN program pending successful completion of the A.D.N. program and successful RN licensure.

Upon Acceptance Only: Matriculated students will be required to submit proof of MMR (measles, mumps, rubella)- 2 immunizations required. Positive antibody titers for measles, mumps, and rubella may be used in lieu of proof of vaccination, and Tdap—1 dose of Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis must have been received as an adult within the past 10 years.

MMR and TDAP immunizations. Information regarding this will be sent after acceptance into the program. Please do not send any immunization information until requested.

Additional immunizations and back ground check requirements will be required prior to the start of your clinical experience within the program. These requirements may be unique to your clinical location and will be determined as you progress through the program.