

## **First-Year College and Transfer Students Interested in the Lander Nursing Major (Students Admitted to the Nursing Major Fall 2019 and Beyond)**

### **My letter from Lander Admissions says I am a Nursing major. What does this mean?**

You have been accepted as a nursing major at Lander. Progression through the nursing program occurs in two stages: Lower Level (Freshman and Sophomore Year) and Upper Level (Junior and Senior Year). Program specific requirements must be met before students move from Lower level to Upper Level.

### **Are my SAT or ACT scores considered?**

Yes. The Academic Success Center uses the students SAT or ACT score to determine the curriculum sequencing.

### **Are there additional requirements as a Nursing Major?**

Yes. Additional requirements for progression are:

- In order to progress to Upper Level, students must meet the following requirements: Earn at least a 2.8 GPA on the nine (9) required prerequisites: ENGL 101 and ENGL 102; MATH 121 or MATH 123 or MATH 141; MATH 211, CHEM 105 or CHEM 111; CHEM 106 or CHEM 112; BIOL 202 (Human Anatomy), BIOL 203 (Human Physiology), and BIOL 204 (Microbiology). This includes courses taken at any institution of higher education. Students must also earn a "C" or better in the nine required course and in three Lower Level nursing course (NURS 165, NURS 235, and 304). Students must also complete all general education requirements before entering Upper Level nursing classes.
- Students must earn a "C" or higher on all NURS courses.
- See the current Student Policy and Procedure Manual for additional requirements.

### **What are the Lander University and School of Nursing admission and progression requirements for Transfer Students?**

Upon admission to the University, transfer students must make an appointment with the Dean of Nursing or the Assistant Dean of Nursing to determine their eligibility and degree plan. Transfer students must complete 30 credit hours with 12 credit hours taken at Lander. Transfer students must have completed their required prerequisite science and math courses within 7 years prior to progressing to Upper Level nursing courses. Students must earn a GPA of at least a 2.8 in the nine (9) required prerequisites: ENGL 101 and ENGL 102; MATH 121 or MATH 123 or MATH 141; MATH 211, CHEM 105 or CHEM 111; CHEM 106 or CHEM 112; BIOL 202 (Human Anatomy), BIOL 203 (Human Physiology) and BIOL 204 (Microbiology). This includes courses taken at any institution of higher education. Students must all earn a "C" or better in the nine required courses and in the three Lower Level nursing course (NURS 165, NURS 235, and 304). Students must also complete all general education requirements before entering Upper Level nursing classes.

### **Where can I find more information about the Lander nursing program?**

Visit <https://www.lander.edu/academics/colleges-schools/school-nursing/nursing> for more information.