



**NORTHEASTERN  
STATE UNIVERSITY**

*College of Science & Health Professions*

**Pre-Nursing at UCO, 2010 – 2011**

The Pre-nursing program is designed to meet the requirements of the University Central Oklahoma Nursing Program. The applicant must have completed a **minimum of 70 hours** with a minimum C grade in each required course and a minimum GPA of 2.5.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

		<b>Hours</b>	<b>Completed</b>
English 1113	Freshmen Composition I	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
English 1213	Freshmen Composition II	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Speech 1113	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
HFS 1653	Basic Nutrition	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
HED 1113	Personal Fitness & Wellness	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political Science 1113	American Federal Government	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Psychology 1113	General Psychology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Psychology 2023	Life Span Development	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sociology 1113	Introduction to Sociology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Psychology 3553	Psychological Statistics	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics 1513	College Algebra	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biology 1123/1131	Evolution & Diversity/Investigative Lab	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biology 2224	Microbiology	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biology 2154	Human Anatomy	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biology 3314	Human Physiology	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chemistry 1123, 1131	General Chemistry I (Lecture & Lab)	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PHIL 1013 or 1023	Introduction to Philosophy or Logic	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
History 1113 <b>OR</b> 1213	Early Western Civilization <b>OR</b> Modern	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Humanities	Any course listed as a humanities	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cultural Analysis	See reverse	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
NURS 1221	Introduction to Nursing*	1	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Electives: make up the balance of hours needed to equal 70 hours.**

\*Taken at UCO prior to junior year.

**For additional information contact**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS**  
**Dr. Joyce Van Nostrand, Department Chair of Nursing**  
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## Additional Information

### Admission Requirements

1. All university core and pre-professional courses must be successfully completed prior to beginning upper-division nursing courses.
2. Minimum overall GPA (retentive) of 2.50 in all course work completed at the time of application. \*Admission to the Nursing program is competitive. For the recently admitted class, the average retention GPA was 3.40, science GPA was 3.34.
3. A minimum of "C" in the following courses: Biology, Chemistry, Microbiology, Anatomy, Physiology, Introduction to Nursing, and Individual and Family Development. \*\*
4. Three satisfactory references.
5. Criminal background check.
6. Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS).
7. Application packets are available from the UCO Nursing.
8. TOEFL score of 530 or greater required for international students.

**Class Size:** 60 students.

### Application Deadline

Last Monday of January for fall admission. Second Monday of September for spring admission.

\*Science GPA (required courses) will be considered equally important as overall retentive GPA, if 2.50 minimum met.

\*\*A minimum of 2 of the 5 required sciences must be completed by the application deadline.

**Students transferring** to the University of Central Oklahoma from other institutions are expected to fulfill all requirements specified for regularly enrolled students. The lower division-nursing courses (NURS 1221 - Introduction to nursing) must be completed at UCO before the first semester of the junior year of nursing. Call the Department of Nursing for detailed information.

**To obtain an application packet: Call:** 405-974-5000 **E-mail:** [vaddison@ucok.edu](mailto:vaddison@ucok.edu)

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ART 1153 Survey of Art History I  
ART 2403 Survey of Art History II  
FMKT 2323 Global Diversity and Protocol  
GEO 2303 Regional Geography of the World  
HIST 1273 E Asian Civilization to 1500  
HIST 1283 E Asian Civilization from 1500  
HIST 1333 History of African Americans  
HUM 2243 Literature and Culture  
HUM 2273 Art and Culture  
HUM 2303 Music and Culture  
HUM 2333 Philosophy and Culture  
MUS 2123 Music Appreciation  
MUS 2633 Jazz History  
MUS 2623 Music History Survey I  
POL 2713 Introduction to Comparative Politics  
THRT 1313 Intro to Theatre

**For more information about Nurses and Nursing programs:** <http://allnurses.com/>.

**For nursing information from the University of Central Oklahoma contact:** Dr. Linda Rider, R.N., Department of Nursing, University of Central Oklahoma, 100 N. University, Edmond, OK 73034-5209. (405) 974-5000.

**UCO Nursing Site:** <http://www.uco.edu/nursing/index.shtml>

