

# School of Nursing

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The School of Nursing offers a traditional BS, an accelerated BS, and a direct entry (BSN) to master's (MSN) for second-degree students in nursing designed to prepare students to become professional nurses by providing them with the knowledge, skills, and professional values needed for successful practice in a variety of healthcare settings. The school aims to provide all students—including those with diverse backgrounds and changing career goals—with a broad-based education that will foster ongoing personal and professional growth.

The mission of the School of Nursing is to make significant contributions to health and the discipline of nursing by advancing science; demonstrating leadership and innovation in practice excellence; and embracing the values of diversity, inclusion, and equity.

The Bouvé College School of Nursing prepares students through personalized, problem-solving learning experiences in and out of the classroom. Scientific inquiry meets a caring environment where students become leaders, nurse scientists, educators, advocates, and clinicians—providing equitable and culturally competent healthcare to individual patients, families, communities, and populations locally and globally.

## **CLINICAL SETTINGS**

Clinical settings require student criminal background checks. Additionally, international students require curricular practical training clearance to meet federal requirements for all clinical and co-op experiences. Please see Requirements for Clinical, Internships, and Practicum Courses (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/graduate/health-sciences/academic-policies-procedures/practicum-internship-policies/>) and Background Checks (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/graduate/health-sciences/academic-policies-procedures/background-checks/>) in this catalog for further details.

## **ACCREDITATION**

The baccalaureate degree program in nursing at Northeastern University is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, 655 K Street, NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, 202-887-6791, and is approved by the Board of Registration in Nursing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the state of North Carolina. Accreditation and approval indicate that the program meets educational standards for faculty, curriculum design, student quality, and overall university support.

## **Programs**

### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)**

- Nursing (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/health-sciences/nursing/bsn/>)
- Nursing—Accelerated Program for Second-Degree Students (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/health-sciences/nursing/accelerated-second-degree-students-bsn/>)
- Nursing—Transfer Track (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/health-sciences/nursing/nursing-bsn-transfer-track/>)

### **Minor**

- Wellness Studies (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/health-sciences/nursing/wellness-minor/>)