# **Transfer Guide**



Quincy College A.S. Nursing to Excelsior College RN to BS Nursing

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This program plan outlines how students may transfer credits from the **Quincy College A.S. Nursing** degree program to the **Excelsior College RN to BS Nursing** degree program. Upon completion of your nursing degree and validation of your current, unencumbered RN license, the following credits may apply for students enrolling in the **RN to BS Nursing** program.

This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior College reviews every student individually. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers and the application date with Excelsior.

Quincy College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
ENG 101: English Composition I	3	Written English Requirement	3
MAT 103: College Algebra (or MATH 100 or higher)	3	Arts & Sciences Requirement	3
BIO 111: General Biology I w/ Lab	4	Arts & Sciences Requirement	4
BIO 131: Anatomy & Physiology I w/ Lab	4	Human Anatomy & Physiology Core AND Sciences Supportive of Nursing Core	4
BIO 132: Anatomy & Physiology II w/ Lab	4	Human Anatomy & Physiology Core AND Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement	4
PSY 101: General Psychology	3	Psychology Core	3
ENG 102: English Composition II	3	Written English Requirement	3
PSY 216: Human Growth & Development	3	Social Sciences/History Elective	3
BIO 151: Microbiology and BIO 152: Lab	4	Microbiology Core <u>AND</u> Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement	4
US History or Government Elective	3	Social Sciences/History Elective	3
Total Credits Required for Associate	34	Total Credits Accepted from Associate	34

Credits Beyond The Associate That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior				
Quincy College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements		
Humanities Electives	9	Humanities Requirement		
PHL 108: Ethics **	3	Ethics Core		
Sociology	3	Sociology Core		
MAT 107: Statistics ***	3	Statistics Core		
Arts & Sciences Electives	5	Arts & Sciences Requirement		
Total Additional Credits	23			

<sup>\*</sup> The Written English requirement is a prerequisite to all nursing courses except NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses. The first 3 credits in Written English must be completed within the first 13 Excelsior College credits attempted.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Statistics is required and is a pre-/corequisite for Excelsior College's NUR 430: Research in Nursing.

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior College				
Excelsior College Requirements				
INL 102: Information Literacy (MUST be completed with Excelsior)	1			
IND 101: Cornerstone A (Foundations) OR IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways) (MUST be completed with Excelsior)				
PHASE I: NUR 336: The Profession of Nursing: Becoming Influential				
NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses	2			
NUR 342: Holistic Health Care Across the Life Span	4			

<sup>\*\*</sup> Ethics is required and is a prerequisite for Excelsior College's NUR 462: Nursing Capstone.

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<sup>\*</sup> Students are eligible for this requirement when the ethics core requirement is complete, when they have no more than 6 credits in general education still needed, and when all other nursing courses are complete. The nursing elective is the only nursing requirement that can be taken along with the capstone course.

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	34
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree *	23
30 semester hours of lower level Nursing credit granted for prior learning validated by nursing education and successful completion of the NCLEX-RN examination.	
Credits from Excelsior **	34
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	121

<sup>\*</sup> Students can take these courses at Excelsior College or another degree granting institution. Students should contact Excelsior College for approval before registering to ensure the transferability of this credit.

## What are Arts and Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.

#### Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication

### Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:

Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology

#### Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics

<sup>\*\*</sup> Students are required to take a minimum of 12.00 online course credits from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.