



University of Bridgeport School of Nursing 2023-2024 Admissions Guide

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program

In addition to this packet, BSN Program information can be found through the University of Bridgeport website: www.bridgeport.edu/bsn.

The BSN Program is designed to prepare a graduate nurse for entry-level practice in a variety of healthcare settings, to provide the foundation for graduate education and/or continued education as a life-long learner, and to contribute to quality patient outcomes. At this time, international students are not eligible to apply to the BSN program.

University of Bridgeport School of Nursing Mission:

The mission of the University of Bridgeport School of Nursing (UBSN) is congruent with the mission of the University of Bridgeport. The mission of the School of Nursing is to prepare evidence-based, innovative nurse leaders and practitioners who are committed to the promotion of health equity, and social justice through excellence in educational practice and service.

Program Highlights:

- Apply the nursing process to provide patient-centered, evidence-based, clinically competent, contemporary professional nursing care.
- Promote healthy lifestyles through health education, health promotion strategies and population-focused interventions.
- Comprehend system-based practice and its impact on safe, quality patient care within the scope of professional nursing practice.
- Practice within the values, ethics, and legal standards of professional nursing.

Program Structure:

Pre-Nursing Curriculum

Students begin their journey towards a BSN in freshman year. Students enroll in general education courses including the pre-requisites required in the nursing program and therefore follow a pre-nursing curriculum. Between October 2023 to February 1st 2024, UB Students interested in pursuing a BSN must apply to the School of Nursing and submit all necessary documents. Students admitted to the BSN program will begin core courses in the fall of their sophomore year. New transfer students may be eligible to enter directly into the sophomore year.

Introduction to Nursing and Clinical Preparation

The nursing curriculum begins in sophomore year with an emphasis on patient safety. In UB's Nursing Skills and Simulation Center, students will learn and practice nursing competencies prior to providing direct patient care.

Clinical Experience and Education

Nursing students begin clinical experiences in the second semester of their sophomore year. Clinical sites vary depending on course objectives and content. Sites include local hospitals, such as Bridgeport Hospital, schools, medical offices, and more. Clinical hours include laboratory and simulation experiences in all nursing clinical courses.

Graduation Requirements and Outcome

In order to graduate from the BSN program, students must complete 55 credits in general education and 65 credits in nursing, totaling 120 credits. All students will complete the Nursing Capstone. Along with a solid foundation in nursing, graduates of the program will be eligible to sit for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-RN® Exam).



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Nursing: 65 Credits
General Education: 55 Credits
Total Credits: 120

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program Curriculum

Pre-Nursing (Non-Degree) Curriculum			
Fall Semester –		Spring Semester –	
ENGL 101 English Composition	3	BIOL 114 Anatomy & Physiology II	4
BIOL 113 Anatomy & Physiology I	4	Elective	3
PSYC 103 General Psychology	3	SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3
FYS 101 Freshman Seminar / Liberal Arts Elective	3	CHEM 113 Introductory to Chemistry	4
MATH 103 Introduction to College Algebra and Statistics	3	PSYC 205 Lifespan Development	3
Total – 16 Credits		Total – 17 Credits	

Year II			
Fall Semester –		Spring Semester –	
BIOL 106 Microbiology	4	NURS 206 Health Maintenance & Restoration I <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	6
NURS 201 Intro to Professional Nursing	2	NURS 208 Pharmacology	3
NURS 202 Fundamentals of Professional Nursing <i>(lecture plus lab)</i>	4	MATH 203 Elementary Statistics	3
NURS 204 Health Promotion I: Health Assessment <i>(lecture plus lab)</i>	3	Humanities	3
Fine Arts	3		
Total – 16 Credits		Total – 15 Credits	

Year III			
Fall Semester –		Spring Semester –	
NURS 314 The Research Process in Nursing	3	NURS 324 Nursing Care of the Childbearing family <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	3
NURS 316 Health Maintenance & Restoration II <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	6	NURS 325 Nursing Care of the Childrearing Family <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	3
NURS 318 Essentials of Psych/Mental Health Nursing <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	4	NURS 328 Health Policy & Health Systems	3
HSCI 230 Nutrition	3	Humanities	3
		General education elective	3
Total – 16 Credits		Total – 15 Credits	

Year IV			
Fall Semester –		Spring Semester –	
NURS 344 Health Promotion II: The Community <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	5	NURS 357 Current Issues & Trends in Nursing	3
NURS 345 Leadership & Management Roles in Nursing	3	NURS 358 Transition to Prof. Practice: Sr. Practicum <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	5
NURS 326 Health Maintenance & Restoration III <i>(lecture plus clinical)</i>	6	NURS 393 Nursing Capstone II	3
Total – 14 Credits		Total – 11 Credits	



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Admission to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program through the University of Bridgeport School of Nursing (UBSN) is highly competitive. In addition to the general requirements as listed below, candidates are also expected to have completed a rigorous curriculum of general education, math, and science foundation coursework, as listed in the Program Prerequisites below, to be eligible to apply. Relevant admissions information can be found below for each applicant student type.

Assessment Technologies Institute Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS VII) examination scores will be used in the evaluation of candidates for the BSN Program. The national average for the TEAS exam is a 70.

For additional information about BSN Program admission requirements and curriculum, visit the program website at: www.bridgeport.edu/bsn. Additionally, candidates are encouraged to attend a UBSN Information Session or Open House. To view upcoming events, please visit www.bridgeport.edu/events.

Admission to the Nursing Program is highly competitive. Meeting the following minimum criteria does not guarantee admission.

General Admission Requirements:

- Students may apply to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program beginning August 1st and should submit all required documents by February 1st to be considered for admission into the BSN program.
- Applicants must achieve a “C+” or better in all Math and Science courses (including but not limited to Anatomy & Physiology I & II, Chemistry, and Algebra) and a minimum cumulative Quality Point Ratio (QPR) of 3.0 in order to apply to the BSN Program.
- Math and science coursework must be completed within seven years prior to applying to the BSN Program.
- ATI TEAS VII Examination official score report sent from ATI directly with scores taken no earlier than 2 years prior to date of application.

Students can have prerequisite coursework in progress after February 1st, however Anatomy & Physiology I, must be completed prior to the February 1st deadline. All additional prerequisite coursework must be completed prior to matriculation that starts fall of sophomore year.

BSN Program Prerequisites

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| • Anatomy & Physiology I | 4 credits | • Introduction to Psychology | 3 credits |
| • Anatomy & Physiology II | 4 credits | • Lifespan Development | 3 credits |
| • Introductory Chemistry | 4 credits | • Principles of Sociology | 3 credits |
| • English Composition | 3 credits | • Freshman Seminar / Liberal Arts Elective* | 3 credits |
| • Introduction to College Algebra and Statistics | 3 credits | | |



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Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program Applicant Information

New transfer students (defined as having attempted 12 or more college/university level credits at a regionally accredited institution) applying to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing major must submit all required materials as listed below by **February 1st** of the prior academic year. Students will be notified of their admission decision by **April 1st**. Transfer students are encouraged to visit the general Transfer Admissions webpage for additional details and information regarding the transfer admission process: www.bridgeport.edu/transfer.

Please use this checklist to help guide you through the application process. An electronic version of this checklist will be available to you upon completion of the online application. Once all materials have been received by Admissions, your application will be ready for review. Review of BSN applications will begin after the February 1st deadline.

New Applicant Required Material Checklist:

- Completed University of Bridgeport Application*** (www.bridgeport.edu/apply)
- Official High School/GED Transcripts**
- Transcripts from ALL Colleges/Universities Previously Attended**
- School of Nursing Supplemental Application Form**
- ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS VII) Examination Score Results** (Sent directly from ATI)
- Two Completed Professional Recommendation Forms**
Please review the Recommendation Form for specifics. Each recommendation form must be placed in a sealed envelope with the referrer's signature across the closure OR emailed by the recommender to admit@bridgeport.edu
- Personal Essay of Approximately 500 Words**
The personal essay helps us become acquainted with you as a person and will demonstrate your ability to organize and express your thoughts. Please answer the question: Caring, Excellence, Integrity, and Diversity are the core values of UBSN. Describe a situation in which you demonstrated one of these values.

You may attach additional details of circumstances or qualifications not reflected in the application especially when a previous semester's GPA or nursing coursework is not satisfactory. Please explain why you should be admitted and what is different now since your previous academic record. The candidate should include their name, date, and signature on the statement.

** Current UB students will submit materials through the School of Nursing and hand them in to Administrative Assistant, Monica Dennis in the Health Science Center, Room 734.*

**External Applicants to the BSN Program should apply using the University of Bridgeport Online Application, and upload all supplemental items through their online account, including unofficial transcripts. If accepted, any outstanding final, official transcripts will be required, and should be sent to:*

Office of Undergraduate Admissions
University of Bridgeport
126 Park Avenue
Bridgeport, CT 06604



University of Bridgeport School of Nursing Frequently Asked Questions

What are you looking for from applicants to the School of Nursing?

Admission to the School of Nursing is highly competitive and selective. Our faculty are involved in the process from the very beginning. We are looking for students who have developed an interest in healthcare as a career and who have an interest in the type of curriculum we are offering. The review committee, comprised of faculty from the School of Nursing and the Office of Admissions, will review applications. Interviews are not required, but may be requested on a case-by-case basis.

The review committee considers all aspects of the application. We are looking for motivated individuals who have taken their academic preparation seriously. An applicant's motivation for a career as a Nurse is very important in our selection process. UB freshmen applicants are reviewed relative to high school cumulative GPA, math, science, and English GPA, and SAT/ACT scores. Transfer applicants to the Nursing Program are reviewed relative to undergraduate cumulative math, science, and English GPA. In addition to the previously listed documents, BSN Program applicants will also be reviewed based upon completion of the ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS) Examination, School of Nursing Supplemental Application, personal statement, and School of Nursing Recommendation Forms. Due to the competitive nature of the program, most successful candidates will have met more than just minimum requirements. For further information regarding the application process to the School of Nursing, please visit www.bridgeport.edu/nursing.

How many students are accepted into the BSN Program?

Each Fall semester, a total of 60-70 BSN students are accepted into the School of Nursing. These students are a combination of new freshmen and UB pre-nursing curriculum students, transfer applicants, and current UB students who are changing their major to Nursing.

When should I apply? Is there an application deadline?

UB BSN applicants are expected to complete their full application for admission to the BSN Program by February 1st. Applications are considered complete once all documents, as listed on page 4 of this packet, have been submitted. New transfer applicants will work directly with Admissions to complete this process. University of Bridgeport students in the pre-nursing curriculum and internal change of major students will work directly with the School of Nursing to complete this process.

How can I assess my eligibility for admission?

All candidates are eligible to apply to the BSN program, but eligibility for admission will only be assessed by the UB School of Nursing after February 1st for those who have met the admission deadline. Using the documents contained in this guide, especially the Supplemental Application, candidates should self-identify their eligibility for entry into the BSN program. Candidates may apply while prerequisite coursework is in-progress, as long as the progression of prerequisite coursework will allow completion of all prerequisites prior to the start of the BSN program.

Do you offer a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) to Registered Nurse (RN) bridge program?

We do not offer an LPN to RN bridge program. However, LPNs are encouraged to apply to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing as new transfer applicants. LPNs will be reviewed according to all transfer standards as listed in the BSN Admissions page linked above. Transfer credit may be awarded for general education coursework that meets basic transfer criteria and will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. However, credit will not be awarded for practical nursing coursework or experience.

Is experience in the healthcare field required for admission to the School of Nursing?

While experience is not required, applicants to the School of Nursing may find it beneficial to volunteer within the healthcare field. Additionally, Bachelor of Science in Nursing candidates may receive further admissions consideration based on relevant work and volunteer experience within healthcare.

Is the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program offered entirely online, in the evening, or on weekends?

Courses within the curriculum of the BSN Program are generally available Monday through Friday between the hours of 8am and 5pm. Labs and clinical may be scheduled during evening hours. Additionally, students should expect to be enrolled on a full-time basis, meaning enrolled in 12 or more credit hours per semester. However, general education and pre-requisite coursework within the Pre-Nursing Curriculum may be available in alternate formats, such as online, evening, or weekend offerings. Important Note: In order to maintain scholarship eligibility, students must enter UB with full-time status, and maintain full-time status throughout the entirety of their enrollment with the University.

Can I tour campus and visit the Nursing Skills and Simulation Center site before being accepted?

Yes, it is strongly encouraged that all prospective students tour campus. Candidates are strongly encouraged to attend an Open House or School of Nursing Information Session. To view upcoming UBSN and Admissions events, please visit <https://www.bridgeport.edu/visit/>.



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Is there an entrance examination required for admission to the School of Nursing?

The SAT or ACT examination is required for admission to the UB for freshman candidates only. All students applying to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing are also required to take the ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS) Examination no earlier than 2 years prior to date of application, and the score must be submitted by February 1st. Registration for TEAS testing dates at UB can be made at www.atitesting.com. All scores are accepted at this time, however, the higher the score, the stronger the candidate. The national average for the TEAS test is a 70.

Do you accept transfer students from other nursing programs?

Each candidate will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. To determine eligibility, all candidates must complete an application for admission to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program by February 1st to receive consideration.

When will I know if I am accepted or not?

Bachelor of Science in Nursing candidates must complete their full application process by February 1st; applications received and completed after this date *will not* receive consideration. Review of completed applications will commence after February 1st, and all decision letters will be issued via mail by April 1st of each year. At the discretion of the School of Nursing, students may be placed on a waitlist.

How long will it take me to complete the BSN program?

Students should expect to complete a three-year curriculum in the BSN program. Candidates are encouraged to consult page 2 of this packet to view the program outline and course progression. Though the maximum number of transfer credits accepted into the BSN is 60, the progression of clinical work is expected to take 6 full-time semesters, or 3 academic years.

Are there scholarships available for UB School of Nursing students?

All School of Nursing candidates will be considered for academic scholarships simply by applying to the University. Freshmen are eligible for up to \$25,000 in merit-based scholarship per academic year, and transfer students are eligible for up to \$23,000 in merit-based scholarship per academic year. All candidates should complete their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for additional financial aid opportunities and considerations. For additional information on tuition, financial aid, and scholarships, visit www.bridgeport.edu/finaid/.

Will I be required to travel off campus to complete clinical hours if I am accepted into the BSN Program?

UBSN's affiliation with Bridgeport Hospital provides extensive clinical opportunities for students and is the School's primary site for clinical experience. Additionally, a variety of outside clinical facilities are selected to provide students with a wide range of learning experiences in nursing. Personal transportation is required to travel to the off-campus clinical sites.

What is required of me once I am accepted?

Once a student has been accepted and has committed, they will be required to submit UB Health and Immunization Records. It is the student's responsibility to complete and comply with all requirements and any costs associated with them. All required forms and accompanying information will be sent to students via mail and email. If accepted into the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program, additional requirements—which include annual physical, immunizations, background checks and drug testing—will be required. For additional admissions information, please visit www.bridgeport.edu/bsn.

Is your Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program licensed and accredited?

The traditional Bachelor of Science in Nursing program is approved by the Connecticut Board of Examiners for Nursing and licensed by the Connecticut Office of Higher Education. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree at the University of Bridgeport is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), 655 K Street NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, 202-887-6791.

What is the job placement/salary outlook for Nursing?

The School of Nursing has a strong clinical outreach program. Student educational experiences are rich in both lecture content and clinical application of knowledge. Job placement and salary outlook have been outstanding in both a strong and weak economy. Increasingly, graduates of BSN programs are the preferred candidates for employment. For further industry information, visit: <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/registered-nurses.htm>.



**University of Bridgeport School of Nursing
Supplemental Application for Admissions**

Application Deadline: February 1, 2024 4:00PM. Students must submit ALL documents by this date.
Consideration will NOT be given to applications completed after February 1.

Personal Data:

Name: _____ Former Name (if applicable): _____

Student ID (UB students only): _____

Email (will be used throughout the application process): _____

Preferred Phone: () _____ Alternate Phone: () _____

Street Address: _____ Apt #: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ I hereby agree that, if

accepted, I will submit to and comply with drug testing and a confidential background check.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Have you been charged with or convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor since your sixteenth birthday? YES NO
If yes, please attach a separate page that includes date for each incident, explains the circumstances, and reflects on what you have learned from the experiences.

Academic Data: First Time Application Reapplication Internal Transfer External Transfer

Previous College/University Information: (Official transcripts from ALL schools are required for an admissions decision.)

Name of College(s)	Major	Dates

Required Coursework (Transfer Students Only): Please list below the college/university attended, completion dates, and grade earned for each of the following School of Nursing admission requirements. Provide a mid-semester grade if applicable.

Please Note: Grades earned must be a C+ or better for all math and science courses taken within seven years of application, and the Cumulative GPA must be 3.0 or above to satisfy minimum admission requirements. If a course is taken three or more times, the average of the courses will be used. If a course is taken once or twice, the highest grade will be used.

Course Title (Minimum Credits)	College/University Attended	Year Completed	Grade Earned
Anatomy & Physiology I (4 cr)			
Anatomy & Physiology II (4 cr)			
Life Span Development (3 cr)			
English Composition (3 cr)			
Freshman Seminar/Liberal Arts Elective (3 cr)			
General Psychology (3 cr)			
Intermediate/College Algebra (3 or 4 cr)			
Introductory Chemistry (4 cr)			
Principles of Sociology (3 cr)			



University of Bridgeport School of Nursing Supplemental Application for Admissions

Application Deadline: February 1, 2024 4:00PM. Students must submit ALL documents by this date.
Consideration will NOT be given to applications completed after February 1.

Recommendation Information: Two (2) professional/work references from a professor/teacher/instructor or an employer/supervisor are required for an admissions decision. Letters of recommendation are not required but will be accepted as addendums to the required recommendation forms. Please see attached documents for official Recommendation Forms.

Name of Referrer	Title	Relationship

Personal Statement: A typed personal statement of 500 words will help us become acquainted with you and demonstrates your ability to organize and process your thoughts as well as express yourself. Include your name, date, and signature on the essay. **Please answer the question: Caring, Excellence, integrity, and diversity are the core values of UBSN. Describe a situation in which you demonstrated one of these values.**

**Please submit Recommendation Forms and Personal Statement together with this Supplemental Application.*

Healthcare and/or Volunteer Work: If applicable, describe any related healthcare or volunteer work/experience: (Use a separate sheet if more space is needed)

I hereby apply for admission to the University of Bridgeport and agree to abide by its regulations. Drug testing and a security background check are required prior to or at the start of classes. UBSN will deny a student’s admission if drug testing is positive. The School of Nursing may revoke admission if Cumulative GPA drops below 3.0 or a C+ in the math and science courses is not attained.

To the best of my knowledge, the information I have provided is accurate and complete. I understand that any falsification of information will result in dismissal from the School of Nursing at the University of Bridgeport. The undersigned agrees that the information furnished on the Application for Admission, together with all information and materials of any kind received by the Office of Admissions from any source, or prepared by anyone at its request, “...shall become part of the applicant’s educational records, if accepted as a student, and will be dealt with as to confidentiality and/or disclosure or inspection by the student or third parties, in accordance with the provisions of the status laws of the United States entitled “Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA)’.”

I am confirming my ability to meet qualifications for entrance into the School of Nursing program.

Are you an LPN? ____ yes ____ no

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

(If applicant is under 18, the applicant and a parent or guardian must sign.)

The University of Bridgeport admits students regardless of sex, race, color, creed, or national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accepted or made available to students of the University. The University of Bridgeport does not discriminate on the basis of gender, sexual orientation, race, color, national or ethnic origin, creed, political affiliation, or handicap in the administration of its education policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic or other University administered programs. The University of Bridgeport is an Equal Opportunity Employer. The University of Bridgeport is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) and by the Board of Governors of the Connecticut Department of Higher Education.



University of Bridgeport School of Nursing Recommendation Form

To the Applicant: You will need two completed recommendation forms. They may be from a professor/teacher/instructor, and/or an employer/supervisor. Provide this form to the Referrer. Please print your name on the line below.

Applicant's Name _____

Check one of the following statements, and sign your name below:

- I **waive** my right of access to this recommendation/evaluation and recognize that it will remain confidential.
- I **do not** waive my right of access to this recommendation/evaluation and will be able to see my evaluation.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

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To the Referrer: The Applicant is applying to the University of Bridgeport School of Nursing. Please complete this form (print or type) and return it to Admissions in a sealed envelope with your signature written across the closure OR email it to admit@bridgeport.edu. Thank you for your assistance.

Referrer's Name/Degree(s) _____ Position/Title _____

Knowledge of the Applicant: (Please check (✓) all that apply.)

I have known the Applicant for _____	Year(s)	_____	Month(s)	_____
I know the Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/> Very well	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderately well	<input type="checkbox"/> Slightly	
Nature of my contact with the Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/> Academic	<input type="checkbox"/> Employment	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

Evaluation of the Applicant:

	Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	No Basis for Comment
Judgment/Analytical Ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Organizational Skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reliability/Responsibility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Integrity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interpersonal Skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scholarship Potential	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teamwork	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Empathy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Overall Endorsement of the Applicant:

- Highly recommend
- Recommend
- Recommend with reservation

Additional Comments: (If necessary, please use an additional sheet of paper.)

Referrer's Signature _____ Date _____

**New Applicants
Return to:**

Office of Admissions
126 Park Avenue
Bridgeport, CT 06604

P: 203-576-4552 F: 203-576-4941

**Current Students
Return to:**

School of Nursing
Monica Dennis
60 Lafayette Street, Room 734
Bridgeport, CT 06604

P: 203-576-2345 F: 203-576-2380



University of Bridgeport School of Nursing
Recommendation For

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Applicant's Name

Check one of the following statements, and sign your name below:

- I waive my right of access to this recommendation/evaluation and recognize that it will remain confidential.
I do not waive my right of access to this recommendation/evaluation and will be able to see my evaluation.

Applicant's Signature

Date

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Referrer's Name/Degree(s)

Position/Title

Knowledge of the Applicant: (Please check (v) all that apply.)

I have known the Applicant for Year(s) Month(s)
I know the Applicant Very well Moderately well Slightly
Nature of my contact with the Applicant Academic Employment Other

Evaluation of the Applicant:

Table with 6 columns: Excellent, Good, Average, Below Average, No Basis for Comment. Rows include Judgment/Analytical Ability, Organizational Skills, Reliability/Responsibility, Integrity, Interpersonal Skills, Scholarship Potential, Initiative, Motivation, Teamwork, Empathy.

Overall Endorsement of the Applicant:

- Highly recommend Recommend Recommend with reservation

Additional Comments: (If necessary, please use an additional sheet of paper.)

Referrer's Signature

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