

COLLEGE OF NURSING UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Bachelor of Nursing (BN) Program:

#1 - I would like to apply to the Bachelor of Nursing program, what are the admission requirements?

- We do not admit students directly from high school (direct entry).
- All students must complete the same entrance requirements and apply.
- Applications are submitted for a specific intake. Consideration to a subsequent intake requires a separate application.

For entrance requirements and important deadlines, see the **Applicant Information Bulletin**

The First Year Planning Guide is also a useful tool.

I already have a degree. Do I still need to complete the required coursework?

- <u>Yes</u>, all students who wish to be considered for the Nursing program must hold all the required coursework (see applicant information bulletin link in FAQ #8)
- The College of Nursing will only accept courses that have been completed in the past 10 years.
- #2 What are the timelines for coursework completion, when does the application open, what is the deadline to apply? *New dates for international applicants*

Winnipeg (Fort Garry Campus):						
Admission Term	International applicant deadline	Domestic application deadline	Finish course requirements by:			
Fall (September)	February 1	April 1	End of Winter Term prior			
Winter (January)	June 1	August 1	End of Summer Term prior			
Summer (May)	October 1	December 1	End of Fall Term prior			

The Pas and Thompson Campus (University College of the North/UM program):						
Admission Term	International applicant deadline	Application Deadline	Course Completion Deadline			
Fall (September)	February 1	April 1	Winter Term prior			

#3 - Tell me about the agreement with University College of the North/UM program for nursing.

• Students complete University of Manitoba Bachelor of Nursing program through the campus facilities in Thompson and The Pas, Manitoba.



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#4 - How many seats are available each intake?

<u>Fort Garry Campus:</u> a total of 360 students are admitted annually: 120 students in each of the following Terms: **Fall**, **Winter**, **Summer**

University College of the North: 20 seats Thompson campus and 20 seats The Pas campus

#5 - If I do not receive an offer of admission, is there a wait list?

- Each applications cycle, a short waitlist (ranked by AGPA) is created from the applicant pool after all spaces have been filled, in the event an offer is declined.
- Students should be checking their email on a regular basis. When an offer is made, it is time sensitive.

#6 - What were the past AGPA cutoffs for previous nursing intakes, in the general category?

Note: The AGPA cutoff varies from intake to intake, alongside the applicant pool

Term	AGPA
Winter 2024	2.613
Fall 2023	3.2730
Summer 2023	2.83

#7 - How do I know if my courses from another institution will meet the admission requirements?

Check out the Transfer Credit Resource tool.

#8 - I am not admitted into the Bachelor of Nursing program yet, can I work ahead on Year 2 nursing courses?

 Nursing courses (NURS) within the Bachelor of Nursing program are typically available only to students who have been admitted.

Bachelor of Midwifery (BMid) Program:

#9 - I would like to apply to the Bachelor of Midwifery program, what are the admission requirements?

- Students are not admitted directly from high school (direct entry).
- Midwifery is a professional program with limited seats, and a competitive admissions process. All students must complete the same entrance requirements and apply to a specific intake.
- The CASPer test is required. https://acuityinsights.app/casper/
- Canadian citizens and permanent residents are eligible to apply.



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#10 - What are the timelines for coursework completion, when does the application open, what is the deadline to apply?

Winnipeg (Fort Garry Campus):						
Application Opens	Application Deadline	Course Completion deadline				
Early November	April 1	Winter Term prior				
	Application Opens	Application Application Opens Deadline				

- #11 How many seats are available each intake and, how competitive is admission into the program?
 - Eight (8) seats are available each intake.
 - Up to four (4) seats are reserved for Indigenous applicants.
 - The average AGPA of admitted students in Fall 2022 was 3.75, and 3.95 for Fall 2023
- #12 I was accepted into Midwifery, but unable to attend. May I defer my admission to the next intake?
 - No, if you are unable to attend, you must decline your offer of admission. Consideration to a subsequent intake requires a separate application.
- #13 Is the Midwifery program offered part-time?
 - The Midwifery program is offered on a full-time basis.

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