

**University of Illinois at Chicago**  
**NURSING**  
TRANSFER GUIDE  
2017-2018

Tuition: \$19,126 per year  
Room & Board: \$10,500 per year  
Enrollment: 26,000

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**THIS TRANSFER GUIDE CONTAINS IMPORTANT TRANSFER INFORMATION THAT CAN IMPACT A STUDENT'S ABILITY TO TRANSFER AND COMPLETE THEIR STUDIES IN A TIMELY MANNER.**

*The information on this sheet is subject to frequent change; students should contact the four-year school to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student.*

### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS**

#### **Minimum Transfer Requirements**

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 (recommended GPA is 3.2 or higher)
- Minimum natural science GPA of 2.50 (sciences courses must be completed within 7 years)
- Effective for Fall 2016, an applicant must have all BSN prerequisite courses completed by the end of the Spring semester before the start of the program. 3 of the 5 prerequisite science courses must be completed by the application deadline.
- 57 semester hours must be completed upon entry to the University. One upper-division course (3 sem. hrs.) in General Education will be completed at UIC after the student has been admitted.

#### **Prerequisite Coursework**

Majority of the coursework should be completed at the time of application. 3 of the 5 prerequisite science courses must be completed by the application deadline. All must be completed before starting classes at UIC.

- ENG 101 and 102 – Composition I and II
- BIO 160 and 161 - Human Anatomy and Physiology (8 semester hours)
- BIO 130 - Microbiology (3 semester hours)
- CHM 121 and 201 or 125 - General Chemistry and Organic Biochemistry (8 semester hours)
- PSY 101
- PSY 228
- SOC 101
- DIT 101
- MTH 165
- One Understanding the Creative Arts course
- One Understanding the Past course
- One Exploring World Cultures course

Admission to UIC's College of Nursing is competitive. The average GPA for admitted students was 3.40 to 3.80. Nursing admits students to the Fall semester only. Supplemental application materials, including letters of recommendation, are required. A link to the supplemental application material will be emailed to the student once the general UIC transfer application has been submitted.

Students not eligible for admission into the College of Nursing may apply to the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences as pre-Nursing provided the student meets that college's admission requirements.

Students who hold an active RN license and have completed all the prerequisite course work should apply for the RN/BSN Completion Program through the U of I Global Campus. The program is entirely online.

\*\*Please note that once students are admitted to nursing at UIC they will take an advanced level nursing statistics course at UIC. Math is not required for admission to UIC nursing, however if students want to take a statistics course at Harper to better prepare for the nursing statistics at UIC, such as MTH 165, they can, but the course will transfer as an elective and is not required for admission.

### **LOCATION**

The Nursing program is offered at UIC, at the University of Illinois at Springfield and at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. All three programs are run through UIC's College of Nursing. Students must choose which location they would like to apply to. The supplemental application is sent directly to either Chicago, Springfield or Urbana-Champaign.

### **PROSPECTIVE STUDENT APPOINTMENTS**

The College of Nursing offers information sessions for prospective students at 845 S. Damen. For more information go to: <https://www.nursing.uic.edu/academics-admissions/prospective-students#information-sessions> or call 312-996-7800.

### **ADDITION INFORMATION FOR BUSINESS, ENGINEERING, NURSING AND EDUCATION MAJORS**

Students planning on majoring in Business, Engineering, Nursing or Education should consult the Business Packet or the Engineering Packet or the Nursing Packet or the Education Packet found at [www.harpercollege.edu/transfer](http://www.harpercollege.edu/transfer) for additional transfer requirements.

### **TRANSFEROLOGY**

Students interested in transferring to UIC should utilize Transferology to see how their courses will transfer and also to plan any future courses accordingly. Transferology can be accessed at [www.transferology.com](http://www.transferology.com). If you need assistance using Transferology please stop by Academic Advising and Counseling in Building I, Room 117 or call 847-925-6393.

### **TRANSFER CREDITS**

Transfer credit is awarded on a course-by-course basis. A maximum of 57 semester hours from a community college will be applied toward the Nursing degree.

UIC is a participant in the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI). Students who complete the AA degree prior to transfer or who complete the IAI GECC should make sure to inform their advisor at UIC.

### **CALCULATION OF ADMISSION GRADE POINT AVERAGE**

Grades for all baccalaureate-oriented course work attempted is used in computing the transfer GPA. However, a particular school or college may not accept all courses toward a degree and may delete credits and grades for such courses.

### **APPLICATION**

Effective with the Fall 2013 application UIC has begun to use the Common Application: <https://www.commonapp.org/>

Transfer students have the option to complete the Common Application or the UIC Web Application:

[http://www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply\\_transfer.html](http://www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply_transfer.html)

For the Common Application the only materials that need to be submitted are:

- application
- UIC supplement (accessed through the Common Application)
- all college transcripts
- application fee

Some specific majors may require letters of recommendation but those will be submitted separately and not through the Common Application. No Common Application Supplemental Forms are required.

### **APPLICATION DEADLINES**

Fall entry only: January 15<sup>th</sup>

RN-BSN (Online only) January 15<sup>th</sup>

### **TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS**

*PHI THETA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP*

Each fall and spring the Honors College awards the Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship, a one-time, one-semester tuition waiver, to new Honors College transfer students. Transfer students to the college who are members of Phi Theta Kappa, the community college honor society, have a minimum of a 3.5 transfer GPA, and are enrolled for at least 12 credit hours during the fall term are eligible to apply. This scholarship is competitive and not all eligible students will receive an award.

## *TRANSFER MERIT TUITION AWARD*

The UIC Transfer Merit Tuition Awards are given on a competitive basis to new transfer students each fall and spring. Applicants must be enrolled in a baccalaureate degree program, have a minimum transfer GPA of 3.25 on a minimum of 45 transfer credits, and be enrolled for at least 12 credit hours. A written statement outlining your educational and career goals and how you have financed your education thus far and a copy of financial aid awards statement should be submitted along with a completed application.

## **HOW TO USE THIS TRANSFER GUIDE**

The following page lists course work for the College of Nursing at the University of Illinois at Chicago. Included are areas of study, number of courses required in each, and Harper courses that will transfer to UIC and meet these various requirements.

## **ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE**

For assistance with the transfer process, contact:

- Academic Advising and Counseling Center in I-117 (847-925-6393)
- Center for Multicultural Learning in A-347 (847-925-6522)
- Career Development Center in A-347 (847-925-6220)

**Below are the general education requirements for the College of Nursing (SAMPLE ONLY)**  
**Final verification needs to be made using Transferology ([www.transferology.com](http://www.transferology.com))**

AREA	SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED	EQUIVALENT HARPER COURSE
English Composition	6	ENG 101, 102
Analyzing the Natural World	20	BIO 130, 160, 161; CHM 121 and 201 or CHM 121 and 125. (Be sure to check math prerequisites for chemistry courses.) <b>(Natural sciences must have been completed within the last seven years.)</b>
Statistics	4	MTH 165
Nutrition	3	DIT 101
Life Span Human Growth & Development	3	PSY 228
Exploring World Cultures	3	ANT 202, 206, 208; ART 133; FRN 210; GEG 100, 101, 103, 104, 210; GER 210, 230; HST 121, 231, 232, 241, 242, 245; HUM 103, 104, 106, 107, 125; LIT 208, 215; PHI 160, 205, 231, 232; PSC 250, 270, 260, 280; SPA 210
Understanding the Creative Arts	3	ART 105, 114, 130, 131, 132, 133; FRN 210; GER 210; HUM 101, 102, 103, 104, 110, 125; LIT 105, 110, 112, 115, 206, 207, 208, 210, 215, 216, 217, 221, 222, 223, 224, 231, 241; MUS 101, 103, 104, 106, 107, 120; SPA 210; THE 111
Understanding the Individual and Society	3	PSY 101
Understanding U.S. Society	3	SOC 101
Understanding the Past	3	ANT 101, 206; HST 105 or HUM 105, HST 111, 112, 121, 141, 142, 151, 152, 153, 210, 212, 214, 219, 231, 232, 241, 242, 243, 245, 261, 270, 281, 282; HUM 101, 102, 120, 125; LIT 206, 207, 210; MUS 106; THE 111
Electives	to total 57 semester hours	ART 105, 114, 130, 131, 132; FRN 210; GER 210; HST 121, 141, 142, 151, 152, 153, 243; HUM 101, 102, 110, 120; LIT 105, 110, 112, 115, 206, 207, 208, 210, 216, 217, 221, 222, 223, 224, 231, 232, 241; LNG 105; MUS 101, 103, 104; PHI 105, 115, 120, 160, 210, 231, 232; SPA 210; SPE 111; ANT 101, 202, 203, 206; CRJ 101, 203; ECO 211, 212; GEG 101, 108, 210; HST 111, 112, 210, 214; PSC 101, 250, 270; PSY 101, 225, 230; SOC 101, 120, 205, 210, 215, 230; AST 101; BIO 110, 120 or 220, 140 or 240, 150, 151, 152; CHM 121 and 122 OR CHM 131 and 132; GEO 101, 102; PHS 111, 112; PHY 121 and 122 or 201 and 202

**If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.**

## PROGRAMS OF STUDY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO

### **College of Applied Health Sciences**

Health Information Management  
Nutrition  
Kinesiology

### **College of Architecture, Design and the Arts**

Architecture  
Architectural Studies  
Art Education  
Electronic Visualization  
Graphic Design  
Industrial Design  
Moving Image  
Photography  
Studio Arts—Painting and Sculpture  
Art History  
Music  
Theatre  
Performance

### **College of Business Administration**

Accounting  
Finance  
Information and Decision Sciences  
Entrepreneurship  
Management  
Marketing

### **College of Education**

Elementary Education

### **College of Engineering**

Bioengineering  
Chemical Engineering  
Civil Engineering  
Computer Science  
Electrical Engineering  
Computer Engineering  
Engineering Physics  
Mechanical Engineering  
Industrial Engineering  
Engineering Management

### **College of Liberal Arts and Sciences**

African American Studies  
Anthropology  
Biochemistry  
Biological Sciences  
Chemistry  
Teaching of Chemistry  
Classical Civilization  
Communication  
Criminology, Law, and Justice  
Earth and Environmental Sciences  
Economics  
English  
Teaching of English  
Gender and Women's Studies  
Germanic Studies  
Teaching of German  
History  
History  
Latin American and Latino Studies  
Mathematics  
Teaching of Mathematics  
Mathematics and Computer Science  
Neuroscience  
Philosophy  
Physics  
Teaching of Physics  
Physics  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Russian  
Polish  
Sociology  
Spanish  
Spanish-Economics  
Teaching of Spanish  
French  
Teaching of French  
Italian  
Statistics and Operations Research

### **College of Nursing**

Nursing

### **College of Pharmacy**

Pharmacy

### **College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs**

Urban and Public Affairs