



### Program Overview

The RN-BSN is a degree completion program that develops leadership skills and an understanding of the dynamic health care environment to ensure that graduates can recommend constructive change and assimilate ethical, moral, spiritual, and professional concepts into their nursing practice. This is accomplished through a carefully designed sequence of learning strategies, including classroom instruction, research, practicum, and projects. Learners thrive upon the previous learning and professional experiences shared by each of the RN students in discussions. Individual and team skills develop as learners apply their studies in their practice setting and explore the attributes of other roles and settings as well.

### Course Transfer Guidelines

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### GENERAL ADMISSION CRITERIA

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### Delivery

ONU courses are offered to students:

- Fully Online
- 6-week courses

### Advising Notes

It is recommended that potential applicants meet with an advisor to review the degree, course schedule, and have any questions answered. Meeting with an ONU advisor prior to the selection of general education or elective course work may reduce the chance of completing a course that will not apply toward the selected degree. Once admitted, students must continue to meet with an advisor as they work toward graduation.

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### Disclaimer

*This is a guide for students who plan to transfer to Olivet Nazarene University. This guide is not intended to be a contract with ONU. The information on this guide is subject to change. Students should contact their community college or ONU to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student. Please refer to the effective and/or revised date on the bottom of this guide.*

