

**University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing**  
**Baccalaureate Program in Nursing Curriculum - Honors Curriculum (Class of 2026)**

**TOTAL CREDITS: 126.5 – 130.5**

First Year			
<b>FALL</b>		<b>SPRING</b>	
CHEM 0910 Chemical Principals for the Health Professions	4.0	NUR 0031 Microbiology	3.0
NUR 0012 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1	3.0	NUR 0032 Microbiology Laboratory	1.0
NUR 0002 Nursing Anatomy and Physiology 1 Laboratory	1.0	NUR 0013 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2	3.0
ENGCOMP 0200 Seminar in Composition	3.0	NUR 0003 Nursing Anatomy and Physiology 2 Laboratory	1.0
PSY 0010 Introduction to Psychology	3.0	NUR 0088 Introduction to Basic Statistics for Evidence-Based Practice	3.0
NUR 0051 Introduction to Professional Nursing	3.0	A Liberal Arts Requirement	3.0
NUR 0005 Honors Freshman Seminar	1.0	NUR 0053 Introduction to Inclusion, Equity, and Diversity in Health Care	1.0
		Honors Designated Elective	3
Subtotal = 18.0		Subtotal = 18.0	
Second Year			
<b>FALL</b>		<b>SPRING</b>	
NUR 0020 Pathophysiologic Foundations of Nursing Care	4.0	NUR 0081 Foundations of Nursing Practice 2	2.0
NUR 0080 Foundations of Nursing Practice 1	3.5	NUR 0082 Nursing Management of Adult with Acute/Chronic Problems	3.0
NUR 0090 Foundations of Nursing Practice 1 Clinical	1.0	NUR 0092 Nursing Management of Adult with Acute/Chronic Problems Clinical	3.5
A Liberal Arts Requirement	3.0	*NUR 0067 Nursing Research: An Introduction to Critical Appraisal and Evidence-Based Practice	3.0
*NUR 1680 Introduction to Genetics and Molecular Therapeutics	3.0	NUR 0087 Pharmacology and Therapeutics Across the Lifespan	3.0
NUR 0086 Nursing Informatics	2.0	NUR 0066 Nutrition for Clinical Practice	3.0
Subtotal = 16.5		Subtotal = 17.5	
Third Year			
<b>FALL</b>		<b>SPRING</b>	
NUR 1050 Nursing Care of Mothers, Newborns and Families	2.5	NUR 1060 Nursing Care of Clients with Psychiatric Mental Health Problems	2.5
*NUR 1057 Nursing Care of Mothers, Newborns and Families Clinical	2.0	NUR 1066 Nursing Care of Clients with Psychiatric Mental Health Problems Clinical	2.0
NUR 1052 Nursing Care of Children and Their Families	2.5	NUR 1120 Advanced Nursing Management Adult Acute/Complex Health Problems	2.5
*NUR 1042 Nursing Care of Children and Families Clinical	2.0	NUR 1020 Advanced Nursing Management of the Adult with Acute/Complex Health Problems Clinical	2.0
A Liberal Arts Requirement	3.0	NUR 1054 Nursing Care of Older Adults	2.0
NUR 1085 Ethics in Nursing and Health Care	3.0	COMMRC 0520 Public Speaking	3.0
		NUR 1091 Nursing Honors Capstone 1 or Honors Designated Elective or NUR 1061 Independent Study	1-2
Subtotal = 15.0		Subtotal = 15.0–16.0	
Fourth Year			
<b>FALL</b>		<b>SPRING</b>	
NUR 1128 Community Health Nursing	2.5	NUR 1134 Transition into Professional Nursing Practice	2.0
*NUR 1138 Community Health Nursing Clinical	2.0	NUR 1135 Transition into Professional Nursing Practice Clinical	4.5
NUR 1121 Advanced Clinical Problem Solving	3.0	Directed Electives	3.0–4.0
NUR 1121C Advanced Clinical Problem Solving Clinical	2.0	NUR 1990 Senior Seminar	1.0
Senior Special Topics Elective	3–4	Honors Designated Elective	2.0
NUR 1212 Introduction to Healthcare Finance and Policy	0.5		
NUR 1092 Nursing Honors Capstone 2 or Honors Designated Elective or NUR 1061 Independent Study	1-2		
Subtotal = 14.0–16.0		Subtotal = 12.5–13.5	
Honors credits are highlighted. Refer to BSN-HC Requirements for School of Nursing Students Pursuing the Curriculum Pathway. *Courses for which an Honors course enhancement contract might be considered (note that <i>any</i> course may have an enhancement contract with permission of course instructor, and students are encouraged to pursue enhancement contracts in areas of their interest; course enhancement contract Honors credits are generally allotted as the same number of credits as the course)			