

ATB 1.0

The option for students to begin university courses in their first year of nursing at CCBC.



ATB ASSOCIATE TO BACHELOR'S NURSING DEGREE OPTION

A COOPERATIVE VENTURE BETWEEN
Community College of Baltimore County and Notre Dame of Maryland University

General Information for this Face to Face Option*

(*several NDMU nursing courses are online or hybrid; some general education courses are offered online)

I. General Program Information

This dual enrollment option is available to eligible students once they are accepted to the CCBC Nursing Program. Admission is competitive and based on completed courses and grade point average (GPA). Students will be enrolled as degree students at CCBC and NDMU and begin to take NDMU courses during the Nursing Program at CCBC. Once the Associate of Science (A. S.) Degree is awarded at CCBC, students must take and pass the nursing licensure exam, the NCLEX-RN, and then continue coursework at NDMU to complete the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Degree.

Program length is 9 terms, including summer and winter sessions, and it takes approximately 3 years to complete.

CCBC courses will be held at the CCBC Essex or Catonsville campuses; Notre Dame of Maryland University (NDMU) courses will be taken at the NDMU campus. Two degrees will be awarded: Associate of Science from CCBC and Bachelor of Science in Nursing from NDMU (where a minimum of 31 nursing credits will be required from NDMU to graduate with the BSN).

Advisors will be available from both CCBC and NDMU.

Financial aid will be arranged through the NDMU Office of Financial Aid.

II. Program Admission Requirements

- A. Admission to the CCBC Nursing Program
- B. Selective process based on courses completed, GPA, and TEAS score
- C. GPA of 3.0 or higher in CCBC required admission courses
- D. Additional required courses (completed by the start of the first nursing course) with a C or better:
 - Statistics (CCBC = MATH 153) 3-4 credits

III. ATB Program Progression

Students must be successful in all required courses to continue in the ATB option.

Students are expected to complete the sequence of study as outlined in the CCBC - NDMU ATB curriculum plan.

Students must successfully pass the NCLEX-RN in order to progress to and complete the final NDMU Term 9.

IV. General Application Procedures

Note: Students applying to the NDMU ATB Option must also apply to the CCBC A.S. Degree Nursing Program. Admission to the NDMU Option is contingent upon admission to CCBC's Nursing Program.

All applications, fees and transcripts must be received by NDMU by the deadline of January 31 for a fall start OR by August 31 for spring start.

1. Apply to the College of Adult Undergraduate Studies online or download application at <http://www.ndm.edu/admissions/college-of-adult-undergraduate/apply-for-admission/>
2. Have official, sealed transcripts for all colleges/universities that you have attended sent to:
Admissions, College of Adult Undergraduate Studies - ATB
Notre Dame of Maryland University
4701 North Charles Street
Baltimore, MD 21210
3. The CCBC NDMU Collaborative ATB Committee will review applications for admission.
4. Student will be notified by email with admission decision.

V. Tuition and Fees

Important Note: CCBC Nursing Students who are in the ATB Option are offered a 20% discount on NDMU's tuition. Discount does not apply to fees. Tuition and fees can change from one academic year to the next. For most up to date tuition/fee information go to: <http://www.ndm.edu/admissions/college-of-adult-undergraduate/tuition-and-fees/>

VI. Non-Nursing Course Requirements

Requirements for CCBC Associate Degree RN Program	Additional Requirements for Admission to the NDMU Associate to Bachelor's Option	*Additional Non-Nursing NDMU Requirements to Award the Bachelor of Science in Nursing
ENGL 101 College Composition I 3 BIOL 110 Biology 4 BIOL 220 A&P I 4 BIOL 221 A&P II 4 BIOL 230 Microbiology 4 MATH 125 Finite Math* 3 PSYC 101 Intro to Psychology 3 PSYC 103 Hum Growth & Dev 3 CMNS 101 Fund of Communication 3 ELECTIVE Humanities/Arts 3 * Students are encouraged to take MATH 153 Statistics (which is needed for ATB and RN-BSN programs) instead of MATH 125	MATH 153 Statistics 3-4 credits Note: Course in this column can be taken at CCBC.	ENGL Any Literature (CCBC) 3 PHIL 101 Intro to Philosophy (CCBC) 3 History Any HIST (CCBC) 3 RST 201 Biblical Studies (NDMU) 3 RST 390 Contemporary Spirituality or RST 311 World Religions (NDMU) 3 PHIL 155 Biomedical Ethics (CCBC) OR Medical Ethics (NDMU) 3 BIOL 251 Genetics (CCBC) OR Genetics (NDMU) 3 Any SOCL (sociology course at CCBC) 3
	Note: Courses designated as CCBC can be taken at CCBC and can be taken <u>before</u> nursing coursework; NDMU NUR courses are taken <u>during</u> the ATB program of study. Students should check with their NDMU advisor for acceptable CCBC courses.	
Totals: 34 credits	3-4 credits	24 credits

VI. For more information:

For CCBC related questions/course advising, contact an ATB Coordinator at atbnursing@ccbcmd.edu 443-840-2820 or 443-840-4136. For NDMU related questions/course advising, contact Dr. Deborah Naccarini, Associate Dean for the ATB program, dnaccarini@ndm.edu

CCBC – Notre Dame of Maryland University ATB Nursing Curriculum Plan** Spring Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional non-nursing ND required courses before beginning nursing sequence.
Once accepted to ATB, it is highly recommended students take NUR 306 prior to starting Term 1.)

Term 1 Spring 2019	Term 2 Summer 2019	Term 4 Fall 2019	Term 4 Winter 2020	Term 5 Spring 2020
<p><u>CCBC NURN 153</u> Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts 6 credits/ 14 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 129</u> Professional Nursing Role 1 cr/14 wks</p> <p><u>+++NDMU NUR 319</u> Holistic Health and Nutrition Across the Lifespan for Professional Nurses 5 credits/16 wks</p> <p>+++Must be taken in concurrently with CCBC NURN 153. This course replaces CCBC NURN 155 Health Assessment Note: Students are exempt from NURN 155 ONLY IF they take NUR 319 in this term in order to meet A.S. degree requirements</p>	<p><u>NDMU NUR 306</u> Writing for Professionals 1 credit/ 6 wks online</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p> <p>Electives:</p> <p>*<u>NDMU NUR 315</u> Advocacy, Power, and Politics 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>OR</p> <p>*<u>NDMU NUR 316</u> Spirituality in Nursing Practice 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>*(elective – one required)</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 160</u> Nursing Concepts I 6 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 218</u> Maternal Newborn Concepts 3 credits/6wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 300</u> Foundation of Caring Science 1 credits/ 8 wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 302</u> Caring Approach to Practice 3 credits/ 8 wks</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p>Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 217</u> Mental Health Concepts 3 credits/ 6 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 234</u> Nursing Concepts II 5 credits/7 wks</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p> <p><u>+++NDMU NUR 440</u> Caring Nursing Leadership for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p>+++Must be taken to graduate from CCBC. Replaces CCBC NURN NURN 227</p> <p>Note: Students are exempt from NURN 227 ONLY IF they take NUR 440 in this term in order to meet A.S. degree requirements</p>
12 credits	1-7 credits	13-16 credits	3-6 credits	11-14 credits
Term 6 Summer 2020	Term 7 Fall 2020	Term 8 Winter 2021	Term 9 Spring 2021	
<p>*<u>NDMU NUR 315</u> Advocacy, Power, and Politics 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>OR</p> <p>*<u>NDMU NUR 316</u> Spirituality in Nursing Practice 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>*(elective – one required)</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 222</u> Pediatric Nursing Concepts 3 credits/6 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 236</u> Nursing Concepts III 6 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 411</u> Healthy Aging for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 400</u> Informatics Systems for Caring Practice 3 credits/8 wks A.S. Degree Awarded</p>	<p><u>NCLEX – RN Licensure Exam</u></p>	<p><u>NDMU NUR 420</u> Nursing Research for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 412</u> Population Health through a Caring Lens 4 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>NDMU NUR 450</u> Capstone Experience 2 credit/8 wks</p> <p>BSN Degree Awarded upon completion of NDMU requirements</p>	
3-6 credits	12-15 credits	3 credits	9 credits	

**Faculty at both CCBC and NDMU reserve the right to update curriculum plans in response to criteria set forth by accreditation bodies, best practices in nursing education and the evolving needs of the health care system.

CCBC – Notre Dame of Maryland University ATB Nursing Curriculum Plan** Fall Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional non-nursing ND required courses before beginning nursing sequence.
Once accepted to ATB, it is highly recommended students take NUR 306 in SUM session prior to starting Term 1.)

Term 1 Fall 2019	Term 2 Winter 2020	Term 3 Spring 2020	Term 4 Summer 2020	Term 5 Fall 2020
<p>CCBC NURN 153 Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts 6 credits/ 14 wks</p> <p>CCBC NURN 129 Professional Nursing Role 1 credit/14 wks</p> <p>***NDMU NUR 319 Holistic Health and Nutrition for Professional Nurses 5 credits/16 wks</p> <p>***Must be taken in concurrently with CCBC NURN 153. This course replaces CCBC NURN 155 Health Assessment</p> <p>Note: Students are exempt from NURN 155 ONLY IF they take NUR 319 in this term in order to meet A.S. degree requirements.</p>	<p>NDMU NUR 306 Writing for Professionals 1 credit/3 wks</p> <p>* Plus Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p>CCBC NURN 160 Nursing Concepts I 6 credits/8 wks</p> <p>CCBC NURN 218 Maternal Newborn Concepts 3 credits/6wks</p> <p>* Plus Non nursing requirements</p> <p>NDMU NUR 300 Foundation of Caring Science 1 credit/8wks</p> <p>NDMU NUR 302 Caring Approach to Practice 3 credits/ 8 wks</p>	<p>***NDMU NUR 315 Advocacy, Power, and Politics 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>OR</p> <p>***NDMU NUR 316 Spirituality in Nursing Practice 3 credits/6 wks online</p> <p>***(elective – one required. Recommend taking in Summer Term 4 or Summer Term 8)</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p>CCBC NURN 217 Mental Health Concepts 3 credits/ 6 wks</p> <p>CCBC NURN 234 Nursing Concepts II 5 credits/7 wks</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p> <p>+++NDMU NUR 440 Caring Nursing Leadership for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p>+++Must be taken to graduate from CCBC. Replaces CCBC NURN 227</p> <p>Note: Students are exempt from NURN 227 ONLY IF they take NUR 440 in this term in order to meet A.S. degree requirements.</p>
12 credits	3–4 credits	13-16 credits	6 credits	11 -14 credits
Term 6 Winter 2021	Term 7 Spring 2021	Term 8 Summer 2021	Term 9 Fall 2021	
<p>Non Nursing requirements</p>	<p>CCBC NURN 222 Pediatric Nursing Concepts 3 credits/6 wks</p> <p>CCBC NURN 236 Nursing Concepts III 6 credits/8 wks</p> <p>NDMU NUR 411 Healthy Aging for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p>NDMU NUR 400 Informatics Systems for Caring Practice 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p>A.S. Degree Awarded</p>	<p>NCLEX – RN Licensure Exam</p> <p>*Plus Non Nursing requirements</p> <p>NDMU NUR 420 Nursing Research for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks</p>	<p>NDMU NUR 412 Population Health Through a Caring Lens 4 credits/8 wks (need an active nursing license before taking this course)</p> <p>NDMU NUR 450 Capstone Experience 2 credit/8 wks</p> <p>BSN Degree Awarded upon completion of NDMU requirements</p>	
3 -6 credits	12-15 credits	3 – 6 credits	6 credits	

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Please note: individual student schedules will be created according to courses taken and transferred in. This is just a sample schedule. 2nd Bachelor Degree students will be exempted from some of the general education courses.