

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville  
School of Nursing  
Undergraduate Curriculum Guide  
Carbondale Option ("E-Track")

**DEADLINE TO APPLY IS MARCH 1**

**(Take HESI A2 Test)#**  
**(Application Available 9/15)**

<u>Freshman Level – Fall</u>		
▶ ENG 101	English Composition I	3
▶ SPCM 262	Interpersonal Communication	3
▶ CHEM 140a	General & Organic Chemistry (Math 108 prereq)	4
▶ PSYC 102	Introduction to Psychology	3
▶ ZOOL 118	Principles of Animal Biology	<u>4</u>
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Sophomore Level – Fall    **(Enter Nursing Program)**

NURS 230	Terminology, Inquiry & Writing in Nursing	2
NURS 233	Professionalism in Nursing	3
NURS 234	Human Development-Life Span	3
PHSL 240b	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
PHIL 105	Critical Thinking (Logic)	3
STAT 107	Concepts of Statistics (online)	<u>3</u>
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Junior Level – Fall

NURS 352	Care of Young & Middle Age Adults	5
NURS 353	Care of Older Age Adults	5
Social Science Distribution Course +		3
PHIL 104	Ethics	<u>3</u>
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Senior Level – Fall

NURS 472	Nursing Research	3
NURS 474	Care of Person w/ Mental Health Needs	5
NURS 475	Care of Populations	5
NURS 479	Senior Assignment	<u>1</u>
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<u>Freshman Level – Spring</u>		
▶ ENG 102	English Composition II	3
▶ CHEM140b	Organic & Biochemistry	4
▶ Intro to Social Science ▷		3
▶ MICRO 201	Elementary Microbiology	4
▶ PHSL 240a	Anatomy & Physiology I	<u>4</u>
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Sophomore Level – Spring

NURS 240	Pathophysiology	4
NURS 241	Pharmacology/Nutrition	4
NURS 242	Pharmacology/Nutrition Lab	1
NURS 243	Foundations of Professional Practice	3
NURS 244	Health Assessment	3
NURS 245	Foundations & Physical Assessment Lab	<u>2</u>
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Junior Level – Spring

NURS 354	Care of Women & Childbearing Families	5
NURS 355	Care of Children & Adolescents	5
IS 3XX	Any Interdisciplinary Course (Jr. status) +	3
Intro Fine Arts & Humanities +		<u>3</u>
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Senior Level – Spring

NURS 481	Nursing Leadership & Management	3
NURS 482	Transition to Professional Practice Roll	4
NURS 476	Care of Person w/Complex Health Needs	5
NURS 489	Senior Assignment	<u>2</u>
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▶ Prerequisite courses must be completed by the end of the spring semester of the freshman year (**effective beginning with Fall 2011 freshmen**). Prerequisite GPA must meet or exceed 2.7 on 4.0 scale with a C or better in each course. Cumulative GPA (including all college courses) must meet or exceed 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. **It is strongly recommended that students take Math 108 and ENG 101 or PSYC 102 the summer before their freshman year to lighten their course loads, especially their science course load in the spring. (Also, this locks in a lower tuition rate.)**

▷ **Intro to Social Science Requirement** – choose from **ANTH 104, ECON 241, HIST 205A or 205B, SOC 108 or POLS 205**

+ Courses that meet the University's Intro Fine Arts & Humanities, Social Science Distribution, Interdisciplinary Studies (IS) and International (II or IC) requirements can be viewed at [www.siu.edu/registrar/genedguides.shtml](http://www.siu.edu/registrar/genedguides.shtml) (required for graduation). For equivalent courses at SIUC, please visit <http://www.siu.edu/transfer/transfer-credit-equivalency-guides.shtml> and click on the course equivalency guides button.

# HESI A2 test information is available at <http://careerservices.siu.edu/testing/html/testschedule.htm> on the Carbondale Campus (618- 453-6003) and also at the Edwardsville Campus at <http://www.siu.edu/is/test/nursing.shtml>.