

# 2018 NURSING PROGRAMS IN OHIO

Only schools of nursing which have elected to participate in this Ohio League for Nursing publication are listed.

SCHOOL:	PERTINENT FACTS:	COSTS:
<b>DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE (DNP)</b>		
<b>ASHLAND UNIVERSITY</b> <b>Dwight Schar College of Nursing and Health Sciences</b> 1020 S. Trimble Rd., Mansfield, Ohio 44906 1-800-882-1548 Ext. 5688 (419) 289-5688 Email: <a href="mailto:enrollme@ashland.edu">enrollme@ashland.edu</a> <a href="http://www.ashland.edu/nursing.html">www.ashland.edu/nursing.html</a>	Doctorate of Nursing Practice with a specialization as a Family Nurse Practitioner. This practice-focused Doctorate in Nursing degree emphasizes evidence-based practice, leadership, cultural competence, organizational analysis and policy. Cohort starts each summer semester. BSN-DNP or MS-DNP options available. Specialty tracks include: Family Nurse Practitioner, Health System Leadership and Advanced Practice Nurse. Visit us at <a href="http://www.ashland.edu/conhs/">http://www.ashland.edu/conhs/</a>	The cost of tuition, housing and additional fees are available upon request and may be found at <a href="http://www.ashland.edu">www.ashland.edu</a> . Financial Aid is available.
Region 4		
<b>CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>THE FRANCES PAYNE BOLTON SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-4904 (216) 368-2529 1-800-825-2540 x2529 Email: <a href="mailto:admissionsfpb@case.edu">admissionsfpb@case.edu</a> <a href="https://nursing.case.edu/dnp">https://nursing.case.edu/dnp</a>	Home to the nation's first DNP program, Case Western Reserve's Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing is the foremost leader in DNP education. Our current program emerged out of the faculty's desire to create a doctoral program that would facilitate a return to school for nurse leaders working full time. The executive format includes weekend or weeklong intensive classes held on campus during three sessions (January, May, and August) or offsite in partnership with other institutions. Three courses are also offered online. DNP students choose one of two elective sequences that expand the focus of their leadership in practice or education.	For current information on our tuition and fees, visit <a href="http://nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/">nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/</a> . Financial aid is available. <a href="https://nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/">https://nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/</a> <a href="http://www.msj.edu/admission/how-to-apply/graduate-students/">http://www.msj.edu/admission/how-to-apply/graduate-students/</a>
Region 2		
<b>INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY</b> Cincinnati 9286 Schulze Dr West Chester OH 45069 (513) 881-3601 • (866) 498-4968 <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Admissions/Adult-Graduate/Academic-Programs/">http://www.indwes.edu/Admissions/Adult-Graduate/Academic-Programs/</a>	The Doctor of Nursing Practice degree capitalizes on the student's understanding of the research process as the student learns the critical next step of translating research findings into best practices. The program therefore emphasizes the development of the student's capacity to impact the clinical setting as a leader and to utilize research to improve and transform health care.	The cost of tuition, books, and fees is available upon request. Financial aid is available.
Region 3		
<b>KENT STATE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Henderson Hall - 113 P.O. Box 5190ak Kent, Ohio 44242-0001 (330) 672-7930 <a href="http://www.kent.edu/nursing">www.kent.edu/nursing</a>	The Doctor of Nursing Practice degree from Kent State University is available 100% online and prepares the graduate to function at the highest level in an increasingly complex healthcare environment. Students gain the necessary knowledge and skills to integrate evidence based practice, theory, technology, and advanced clinical expertise to serve as leaders in healthcare systems with the goal of improving the health status of patients and populations. There are two entry pathways to the DNP program: students who have a BSN and those who possess APRN national certification.	For more information, visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/nursing/programs/dnp">http://www.kent.edu/nursing/programs/dnp</a> or call (330) 672-8826 <a href="https://www.kent.edu/nursing">https://www.kent.edu/nursing</a>
Region 2		
<b>MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> 127 S. Davis Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43222 (614) 234-5800 <a href="http://www.mccn.edu">www.mccn.edu</a>	The Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree is offered as a 35-semester hour online program with an on-campus presentation of the final scholarly project. Application is available to those with a master's degree in nursing or with master's degree in a relevant field (BSN degree required). The DNP curriculum prepares students to become innovative leaders in implementing evidence-based practice with outcome accountability at the complex systems level.	Please visit our website for information about the cost of the DNP program <a href="http://www.mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/doctor-of-nursing-practice">http://www.mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/doctor-of-nursing-practice</a>
Region 4		
<b>MOUNT ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY</b> 570 Delhi Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45233 800-654-9314 <a href="mailto:graduateadmission@msj.edu">graduateadmission@msj.edu</a> <a href="http://www.msj.edu/grad">www.msj.edu/grad</a>	The Mount's Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program in Health Systems Leadership provides the terminal academic preparation for patient-focused, advanced nursing practice. The curriculum includes courses in evidence-based practice, global health care policy, leadership theory, epidemiology and nursing informatics. The part-time blended-course format enables students to work full time while earning a degree. Students enroll in two concurrent ten-week courses which meet twice on campus during the semester with the rest of the courses held online. Approval and accreditation: Ohio Board of Regents (OBR), Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	The cost of tuition for 2018-2019 is \$650/credit hour plus fees. Visit <a href="http://www.msj.edu/costs">www.msj.edu/costs</a> for the latest information.
Region 3		
<b>THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Newton Hall 1585 Neil Avenue Columbus, OH 43210 (614) 292-4041 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing@osu.edu">nursing@osu.edu</a> <a href="http://nursing.osu.edu">nursing.osu.edu</a>	The online Doctor of Nursing Practice at Ohio State will prepare you to become a leader of the nursing profession. Through customized learning opportunities in core coursework, electives and clinical immersion experiences you will develop the skills to become an expert evidence-based practitioner or healthcare administrator. We offer a BSN to DNP or post-master's pathway. You can select from two tracks: clinical expert or nurse executive.	Enroll in our online program and pay in-state tuition no matter where you live. For more information on tuition & fees, visit: <a href="https://online.osu.edu/tuition-and-fees/119">https://online.osu.edu/tuition-and-fees/119</a>
Region 4		
<b>OTTERBEIN UNIVERSITY</b> <b>GRADUATE SCHOOL</b> 1 South Grove Street Westerville, OH 43081 1-614-823-3210 <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu/graduatenursing">www.otterbein.edu/graduatenursing</a>	Graduates of Otterbein University's College of Nursing Postmaster's DNP program are prepared to be leaders in advanced practice and administrative settings. The program is six semesters in length. May be completed in two yrs taking two courses per term or at a slower pace. Courses are online. There are three required on-campus meetings – orientation, project proposal and final project presentation. The program culminates with a practice based project in the student's area of interest. Starts every summer semester.	Please refer to the business office website - <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu">www.otterbein.edu</a>
Region 4		
<b>UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> P.O. Box 210038, Procter Hall Cincinnati, OH 45221-0038 (513) 558-3600 Fax (513) 558-7523 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing1@uc.edu">nursing1@uc.edu</a> <a href="http://www.nursing.uc.edu">www.nursing.uc.edu</a>	The UC College of Nursing offers a Post MSN DNP for those who focus on providing evidence-based quality care and leadership in nursing practice. This hybrid program may be completed in four FT or 6 PT semesters. We also offer hybrid and onsite BSN to DNP specialties, including FNP, AGPC, PNP, ACPNP, CRNA, Nursing Administration, and PMHNP. CCNE accredited. A Research-focused PhD program is also offered.	Tuition and fees can be found at: <a href="http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html">http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html</a> .
Region 3		
<b>URSULINE COLLEGE</b> <b>THE BREEN SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2550 Lander Road Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124 (440) 449-4200 <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu">www.ursuline.edu</a>	The Breen School of Nursing, Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program emphasizes development of nurse leaders who use evidence-based practice for optimizing health care delivery through effective systems transformation. The curriculum for the DNP degree includes advanced practice, leadership and application of clinical research. Graduates with this terminal practice degree will be prepared for roles in direct care or indirect, systems-focused care. The program is approved by the Ohio Board of Regents and accredited by both the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Accrediting and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	For current tuition rates, financial aid information, and to apply: <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu/Admission/Financial_Aid/Graduate/index">http://www.ursuline.edu/Admission/Financial_Aid/Graduate/index</a> .
Region 2		

SCHOOL:	PERTINENT FACTS:	COSTS:
<b>MASTERS OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (MSN)</b>		
<b>CAPITAL UNIVERSITY</b> <b>DEPARTMENT OF NURSING</b> 1 College and Main Columbus, Ohio 43209 (614) 236-6703 1-800-289-6289 <a href="http://www.capital.edu">www.capital.edu</a>	MSN program designed to meet the needs of the working professional with majority of class offerings in the evenings and/or hybrid format. MSN with concentrates in Nursing Administration, Nursing Education, Legal Studies and Adult-Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) with a focus on palliative and end-of-life care. Post Masters Certificate program available in Nursing Education and CNS. Dual degree options in Business Administration (MBA) and Law (JD). The Department of Nursing is fully accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). In addition, all programs are endorsed by the American Holistic Nurses Certification Corporation. ONAM participant.	For the current tuition and fees structure, please go to <a href="http://www.capital.edu">www.capital.edu</a> . Fees depend on the type of program requested.
<b>CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>THE FRANCES PAYNE BOLTON</b> <b>SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-4904 (216) 368-2529 1-800-825-2540 x2529 Email: <a href="mailto:admissionsfpb@case.edu">admissionsfpb@case.edu</a> <a href="https://nursing.case.edu/msn">https://nursing.case.edu/msn</a>	Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing gives you a choice of in-demand MSN specialties, plus subspecialties. Many courses are offered in nontraditional formats including intensive in-class or web-based programs. Majors include: Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner • Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner • Education with Population Focus • Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) • Family Systems Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing • Neonatal Nurse Practitioner (NNP) • Nurse Anesthesia • Nurse Midwifery • Pediatric Nurse Practitioner (PNP) – Primary Care • Pediatric Nurse Practitioner – Acute Care • Women's Health Nurse Practitioner (WHNP) A Palliative Care subspecialty can be done with most MSN majors. Flight Nursing subspecialty can be added to Acute Care majors.	For current information on our tuition and fees, visit <a href="http://nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/">nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/</a> . Financial aid is available.
<b>CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2121 Euclid Avenue, JH 238 Cleveland, Ohio 44115-2214 (216) 687-3598 <a href="http://www.csuohio.edu/nursing">www.csuohio.edu/nursing</a>	The MSN degree is CCNE accredited and ranked 45th nationally by US News & World Reports. The degree is designed for working professionals and recent college graduates seeking to enhance their career, earning potential as well as employment opportunities. The SON offers specializations in the following areas: Nursing Education, Specialized Populations, Forensic Nursing and Clinical Nurse Leader. The School of Nursing has partnered with renowned healthcare institutions and outstanding community agencies to offer unparalleled clinical placements. Courses are offered in a fully online or a blended delivery format in flexible full-time or part-time options.	For tuition and fees, please go to <a href="http://www.csuohio.edu/treasury-services/tuition-and-fees">http://www.csuohio.edu/treasury-services/tuition-and-fees</a>
<b>FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY</b> 201 S. Grant Ave. Columbus, OH 43215 Local: (614) 797-4700 or Toll free: 1-877-341-6300 <a href="mailto:graduate.admissions@franklin.edu">graduate.admissions@franklin.edu</a> <a href="https://www.franklin.edu/degrees/masters/nursing">https://www.franklin.edu/degrees/masters/nursing</a>	Franklin University's M.S. in Nursing (MSN) features online courses along with a 12-week practicum on-site in a healthcare setting. With Franklin's CCNE-accredited program, you will be better prepared to meet the demand for quality patient care and advanced leadership in healthcare. Finish the program in as few as 24 months or transfer in up to 12 hours of previously earned MSN credit and complete your degree sooner. No GMAT/GRE is required for applicants with a GPA above 2.75.	For the most current tuition and financial aid information, please visit <a href="https://www.franklin.edu/tuition-financial-aid">https://www.franklin.edu/tuition-financial-aid</a> . If you'd like to speak with a financial aid representative, please call toll free 1-877-341-6300. There is a \$30 application fee.
<b>INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY OHIO</b> Cincinnati 9286 Schulze Dr West Chester OH 45069 (513) 881-3601 • (866) 498-4968 <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Admissions/Adult-Graduate/Academic-Programs/">http://www.indwes.edu/Admissions/Adult-Graduate/Academic-Programs/</a>	The purpose of our programs is to enhance the professional practice of Registered Nurses (RNs). Students have the opportunity to pursue advanced levels of nursing practice in a challenging program that leads to new heights in both professional and personal development. Whether you are seeking opportunities in nursing administration, nursing education or direct patient care, IWU's School of Nursing will equip you to make a difference in these invaluable professions.	The cost of tuition, books, and fees is available upon request. Financial aid is available.
<b>KENT STATE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Henderson Hall - 113 P.O. Box 5190 Kent, Ohio 44242-0001 (330) 672-7930 <a href="http://www.kent.edu/nursing">www.kent.edu/nursing</a>	Kent State University (KSU) offers many specialties in our master's and post-master's certificate programs. These programs offer educational preparation for certifications as Clinical Nurse Specialists (Adult-Gerontology) and Nurse Practitioners (Adult-Gerontology Acute Care, Adult-Gerontology Primary Care, Family, Pediatric Primary Care, Psychiatric Mental Health, and Women's Health). Master's degrees in Nurse Educator and Nursing & Healthcare Management, and a MSN/MBA dual degree are also available. With a widely respected program, highly qualified faculty, and successful graduates, KSU's College of Nursing is the #1 choice in Northeast Ohio for registered nurses who are interested in furthering their careers.	For more for more information, please visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/nursing/programs/masters">http://www.kent.edu/nursing/programs/masters</a>
<b>MALONE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>SCHOOL OF NURSING &amp; HEALTH SCIENCES</b> 2600 Cleveland Ave. NW Canton, OH 44709 1-800-521-1146 330-471-8145 <a href="mailto:Admissions@malone.edu">Admissions@malone.edu</a> <a href="http://www.malone.edu">www.malone.edu</a>	<b>MSN Program:</b> If you seek to grow in your professional and spiritual life then consider Malone University. The 2-year MSN program is offered through an innovative hybrid delivery format. Within the context of face-to-face instruction and convenient online course work, professors and students form valuable connections that foster a transformational learning experience. Qualified students are admitted annually each fall semester. We offer two practice tracks: FNP or AGACNP. Graduates are eligible to sit for the AANP Certification Exam for their respective practice focus.	MSN Program - For current tuition and fee information, visit <a href="https://www.malone.edu/admissions-aid/graduate">https://www.malone.edu/admissions-aid/graduate</a>
<b>MOUNT CARMEL</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> 127 S. Davis Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43222 (614) 234-5800 <a href="http://www.mccn.edu">www.mccn.edu</a>	Master of Science Degree in Nursing Program tracks include: Nursing Education, Nursing Administration, Adult Gerontological Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, and Family Nurse Practitioner. Core classes are delivered online. Specialty track courses are offered hybrid or face to face. Graduate classes are offered one day/week. The Nursing Education track is in a totally online format.	Please visit the MCCN Admissions website @ <a href="http://www.mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/masters-tuition-a-fees">http://www.mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/masters-tuition-a-fees</a>
<b>MOUNT ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY</b> 570 Delhi Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45233 800-654-9314 <a href="mailto:graduateadmission@msj.edu">graduateadmission@msj.edu</a>	With the Mount's Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) program, you choose the specialized program track that best meets your interests: nursing administration, nursing education or clinical nurse leader. The MSN program combines the highest quality academic courses in your program track with course work in evidence-based practice, global health care policy, leadership and nursing informatics. The final phase of the program includes a practicum experience and integrative project related to your chosen area of specialty. Approval and accreditation: Ohio Board of Regents (OBR), Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	The cost of tuition for 2018-2019 is \$635/ credit hour plus clinical fees. Visit <a href="http://www.msj.edu/costs">www.msj.edu/costs</a> for the latest information.
<b>MOUNT ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY</b> 570 Delhi Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45233 800-654-9314 <a href="mailto:graduateadmission@msj.edu">graduateadmission@msj.edu</a> <a href="http://www.msj.edu/grad">www.msj.edu/grad</a>	The Mount's MSN-MAGELIN is an innovative, pre-licensure degree program for those with a bachelor's degree in a non-nursing discipline who are interested in becoming a registered nurse in a short amount of time. The program spans four consecutive semesters and students enroll in 15-17 credit hours each semester. MSN-MAGELIN students take a variety of courses related to clinical content, clinical practice, research, theory, leadership, and health care policy. Upon graduation, students will be prepared to take the national nursing licensure examination (NCLEX-RN). Approval and accreditation: Ohio Board of Regents (OBR), Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	The cost of tuition for 2018-2019 is \$635/credit hour plus clinical fees. Visit <a href="http://www.msj.edu/costs">www.msj.edu/costs</a> for the latest information.
<b>NOTRE DAME COLLEGE</b> 4545 College Rd. South Euclid, OH 44121 1-877-NDC-OHIO ext. 5385 (toll free), or (216) 381-1680 ext. 5385 <a href="http://www.NotreDameCollege.edu">www.NotreDameCollege.edu</a>	Notre Dame College offers a Master of Science in Nursing Education that builds upon the student's professional knowledge and skills. The program prepares graduates for the nurse educator role in clinical and academic settings while developing leadership and advocacy skills for the 21st century learning environment. Course work is offered on-line in two 8 week sessions per semester. Students complete this 39 credit hour program that includes a practicum in a selected specialty area.	For Program Information visit: <a href="http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions/graduate">http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions/graduate</a> For current tuition rates and financial aid information, call us at 877-NDC-OHIO or visit: <a href="http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions/financial-information/tuition-and-fees">http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions/financial-information/tuition-and-fees</a>
<b>THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY</b> <b>COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Newton Hall 1585 Neil Avenue Columbus, OH 43210 (614) 292-4041 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing@osu.edu">nursing@osu.edu</a> <a href="http://nursing.osu.edu">nursing.osu.edu</a>	The Ohio State University offers three different degree options at the master's level. <b>The master's program</b> in nursing at Ohio State provides a broad range of clinical and classroom-based education with a strong emphasis on evidence-based practice. We offer a traditional and graduate entry option with several unique specializations to choose from. <b>The Master of Healthcare Innovation program</b> prepares students to lead change and innovate solutions within any healthcare organization. Upon graduation, students are prepared to become a leader in the fields of healthcare administration, healthcare technologies and patient care. <b>The Master of Applied Clinical and Preclinical Research</b> prepares graduates to excel as effective administrators, regulatory compliance specialists and research team members in clinical and preclinical research. The program offers a multidisciplinary curriculum covering the theory and practice of research methods and statistics, the business of research operations and management and more.	Enroll in our online program and pay in-state tuition no matter where you live. For more information on tuition & fees, visit: <a href="https://www.nursing.osu.edu/sections/student-affairs/tuition-and-fees.html">https://www.nursing.osu.edu/sections/student-affairs/tuition-and-fees.html</a>
<b>OTTERBEIN UNIVERSITY</b> 1 South Grove Street Westerville, OH 43081 (614) 823-3272 <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu/public/TheGraduateSchool/GraduateNursingPrograms.aspx">http://www.otterbein.edu/public/TheGraduateSchool/GraduateNursingPrograms.aspx</a> Recruiter: <a href="mailto:dcridlerfleming@otterbein.edu">dcridlerfleming@otterbein.edu</a>	MSN programs offered include: Nurse Anesthesia (full time only format) and Family Nurse Practitioner (part time format, includes both online and in classroom courses). An ADN to MSN program is also available for the Family Nurse Practitioner. Post master's certificates for Nurse Anesthesia, Family Nurse Practitioner, and Advanced Nurse Educator. <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu/public/TheGraduateSchool/GraduateNursingPrograms.aspx">http://www.otterbein.edu/public/TheGraduateSchool/GraduateNursingPrograms.aspx</a>	Please refer to the business office website - <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu">www.otterbein.edu</a>

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<b>MASTERS OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (MSN)</b> <i>continued</i>		
<b>THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> Mary Gladwin Hall 209 Carroll Street, Akron, Ohio 44325-3701 1-888-477-7887 1-330-972-7555 <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/nursing">www.uakron.edu/nursing</a>	The Nurse Anesthesia Program produces graduates who are highly qualified, competent and safe in the administration of anesthesia. Graduate Program offerings include Nurse Practitioner in Primary Care for Adult/Gero, Child and Adolescent Acute and Primary, and Family Psychiatric Mental Health. As well as other certificate programs including a Family Nurse Practitioner certificate.	For information on tuition cost/fees: <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/student-accounts/costs/">http://www.uakron.edu/student-accounts/costs/</a> Financial aid available. <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/nursing/">http://www.uakron.edu/nursing/</a>
<b>UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> P.O. Box 210038 Procter Hall, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0038 (513) 558-3600 • Fax (513) 558-7523 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing1@uc.edu">nursing1@uc.edu</a> <a href="http://www.nursing.uc.edu">www.nursing.uc.edu</a>	The UC College of Nursing offers on-site, online and hybrid options for many MSN and post-MSN certificate specialties. As part of the UC Academic Health Center, the college's esteemed faculty are partners in progressive research, interprofessional education, advanced technology, and clinical partnerships. CCNE accredited. Programs offered: AGAC, AGPC, FNP, WH, NMW, PMHNP, NNP, and Occ Health. CCNE accredited.	Tuition and fees can be found at: <a href="http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html">http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html</a> .
<b>URSULINE COLLEGE THE BREEN SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2550 Lander Road Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124 (440) 449-4200 <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu">www.ursuline.edu</a>	The Breen School of Nursing at Ursuline College offers a Master of Science degree in Nursing that affords students the opportunity to become leaders in the nursing field. The program's mission is to transform the health of the community through reflection and healing interaction with individuals and organizations. Nurses may select from the following areas of study: Adult Nurse Practitioner Program, Family Nurse Practitioner, Adult-Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist, Palliative Care Subspecialty, Concentration Nursing Education, and Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner track.	For current tuition rates, financial aid information, and to apply: <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu/Admission/Financial_Aid/Graduate/index.html">http://www.ursuline.edu/Admission/Financial_Aid/Graduate/index.html</a>
<b>WALSH UNIVERSITY BYERS SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2020 E. Maple St. North Canton, Ohio 44720 (330) 490-7251 Toll Free (800) 362-9846 <a href="http://www.walsh.edu">www.walsh.edu</a>	Walsh University is a private, Catholic University offering nursing programs designed to prepare students with the essential knowledge, values, and professional behaviors expected for nursing practice in a complex and diverse health care arena. The MSN program offers three tracts: Nurse Educator (39 credit hours), Family Nurse Practitioner (61 credit hours) Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (45 credits). The hybrid online e-learning format for the Nurse Educator and Adult Gero tracks and the online format for the Family Nurse Practitioner track allows students to complete the degree requirements with relative ease and on their own schedule.	Graduate tuition for the MSN and programs is \$665.00 per credit hour. There is a 25% discount for Walsh alumni and a 50% discount for full time employees of the diocese.
<b>WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND NURSING</b> 3640 Colonel Glenn Highway Dayton, Ohio 45435 (937) 775-3131 <a href="https://nursing.wright.edu/">https://nursing.wright.edu/</a>	Wright State College of Nursing and Health offers an MS in nursing that is accredited by the commission on collegiate nursing education, with several concentrations of study. The graduate program has an outstanding reputation in the community, with many graduates securing job offers during their last semester of study. Program offerings include family nurse practitioner, adult-gerontology acute care nurse practitioner, neonatal nurse practitioner, acute and primary pediatric nurse practitioner, psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner, nursing and health administration, school nurse certificate and nursing education. Many programs are offered in an online format, while others use hybrid learning methods. The national nurse practitioner certification first time pass rate has consistently been 100% over the last several years. Students appreciate the assistance of a full time site coordinator who helps them secure clinical site placements.	Graduate tuition (in state) 1-10.5 hours \$640/hour 11-18 hours \$6940
<b>YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY</b> Department of Nursing One University Plaza Youngstown, Ohio 44555 (330) 941-3293 <a href="http://www.yosu.edu">www.yosu.edu</a>	Youngstown State University Department of Nursing is proud to offer four CCNE and ACEN accredited MSN program options and post-graduate certificates including Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Family Nurse Practitioner, Nurse Anesthesia, and Nursing Education. Post-graduate certificates are offered for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Family Nurse Practitioner and Nursing Education. A post-baccalaureate School Nurse Licensure Certificate program is available. Partnerships with major health care facilities offer excellent clinical placements. ONAM participant.	For current information on our tuition and fees, visit <a href="http://www.yosu.edu/content/office-financial-aid-and-scholarships">http://www.yosu.edu/content/office-financial-aid-and-scholarships</a> . Financial aid is available.
<b>BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN)</b>		
<b>ASHLAND UNIVERSITY Dwight Schar College of Nursing and Health Sciences</b> 1020 S. Trimble Rd., Mansfield, Ohio 44906 1-800-982-1548 Ext. 5052 (419) 299-5052 Email: <a href="mailto:enrollme@ashland.edu">enrollme@ashland.edu</a> <a href="http://www.ashland.edu/nursing.html">www.ashland.edu/nursing.html</a>	Fully-accredited Bachelors of Science in Nursing (BSN) Programs. Choose from Traditional, Accelerated, Advanced Entry, or online RN to BSN options. Accelerated Second Degree Program (15 months) begin in summer and fall semesters. Advanced Entry Transfer (4 semesters) programs begin fall semester. RN to BSN programs begin twice each semester. Direct admission with no waiting list for clinical placements. Award winning state-of-the-art simulation center. OBN approved, CCNE, and HLC accredited. Full or part-time study available. Graduate School Nurse Licensure program available with start dates each semester, including summer. Visit us at <a href="http://www.ashland.edu/conhs/">http://www.ashland.edu/conhs/</a>	The cost of tuition, housing and additional fees are available upon request and may be found at <a href="http://www.ashland.edu">www.ashland.edu</a> . Financial Aid is available
<b>AULTMAN COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES</b> 2600 Sixth Street, SW Canton, Ohio 44710 (330) 363-6347 Fax: (330) 580-6654 <a href="http://www.aultmancollege.edu">www.aultmancollege.edu</a>	Aultman College offers both an accredited BSN pre-licensure and a BSN Completion Program. The BSN pre-licensure program is a 4-year degree, incorporating classroom instruction, lab and simulation experiences, and clinical placements in acute and long-term settings. The BSN-C program is designed for working nurses -- students can complete their degree in as few as 5 semesters and take hybrid courses, which blend in-class and online learning. A trusted institution graduating top nurses for more than 125 years, Aultman College has the longest-running nursing education program in northeast Ohio. Located on the campus of Aultman Hospital, we provide a unique, rigorous education for students interested in health care careers. Transfer credit options, financial aid, and scholarships are available for those who qualify.	Visit <a href="http://www.aultmancollege.edu">www.aultmancollege.edu</a> for additional information and to apply.
<b>BALDWIN WALLACE UNIVERSITY</b> 275 Eastland Road Berea, Ohio 44017-2088 (440) 826-8012 Email: <a href="mailto:Nursing@bw.edu">Nursing@bw.edu</a> Website: <a href="http://www.bw.edu/academics/nursing">www.bw.edu/academics/nursing</a>	Baldwin Wallace University offers an Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSN) program for individuals possessing a bachelor's degree or higher in a non-nursing field. Students are admitted for the Fall or Spring cohort and beginning Fall, 2018, the program transitions to 15 months. This intensive program offers a concept-based curriculum with a strong foundation in teaching and learning that includes over 700 hours of small group clinical instruction at some of the finest medical centers in the nation. Additionally, all Baldwin Wallace Nursing students complete certification in Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) as part of the curriculum. BW nursing graduates are prepared to enter into practice with a focus on the provision of the highest quality nursing care and excellence in leadership. Graduates achieved greater than a 97% on average first time pass rate on the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) in 2017. The Baldwin Wallace University ABSN program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) and has full approval from the Ohio Board of Nursing.	For tuition information, please visit the University website: <a href="http://www.bw.edu/academics/nursing/">http://www.bw.edu/academics/nursing/</a> costs. Comprehensive cost package includes tuition, books, uniform, stethoscope, skills lab practice set, RN licensure review course & practice examination. BW Alumni & their children qualify for a special award. BW is a Veteran Yellow Ribbon University.
<b>BRYANT AND STRATTON COLLEGE</b> 12955 Snow Road Parma, Ohio 44130 (216) 265-3151 <a href="http://www.bryantstratton.edu">www.bryantstratton.edu</a>	Bryant and Stratton College offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree program through two main pathways: first is the pre-licensure pathway that offers two options: (1) first degree option for qualified high school graduates and (2) a second degree option for those with a minimum of a baccalaureate degree in another field seeking to become nurses. Admission in Winter, Spring and Fall. Admission requirements: high school grad, place into college-level English and Math, and a qualifying score on TEAS entrance exam. Clinical experiences will be in various community and major medical institutions (The Cleveland Clinic, Lake Health System, Visiting Nurses Association) as well as extended care facilities. The second pathway is the RN-BSN for practicing RNs who are interested in obtaining a BSN that can be completed in four semesters. Faculty is highly qualified and experienced. Enjoy small classes and a personalized environment. No waiting list.	Please refer to our website for current tuition and fees at <a href="http://www.bryantstratton.edu">www.bryantstratton.edu</a> . Financial Aid available.
<b>CAPITAL UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF NURSING</b> 1 College and Main Columbus, Ohio 43209 (614) 236-6703 1-800-289-6289 <a href="http://www.capital.edu">www.capital.edu</a>	BSN pre-licensure program for qualified high school graduates and transfers from other colleges/universities. Accelerated pre-licensure program for those with completed BS or BA in another field. Hybrid second-degree accelerated pre-licensure program designed to meet the needs of the working professional. Study abroad options available. The Department of Nursing is fully approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing to offer pre-licensure BSN programs. The BSN programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). In addition, all programs are endorsed by the American Holistic Nurses Certification Corporation. ONAM participant.	For the current tuition and fees structure, please go to <a href="http://www.capital.edu">www.capital.edu</a> . Fees depend on the type of program requested.
<b>CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY THE FRANCES PAYNE BOLTON SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-4904 (216) 368-2529 1-800-825-2540 x2529 Email: <a href="mailto:admissionsfpb@case.edu">admissionsfpb@case.edu</a> <a href="https://nursing.case.edu/bsn/">https://nursing.case.edu/bsn/</a>	Students in the BSN program start nursing courses and clinical experiences in their first semester as freshmen, receiving hours of clinicals in the program. The curriculum provides opportunities to spend a semester nationally, regionally and locally to practice nursing in a community setting, to participate in research with faculty, and have clinical experiences in world class institutions. Students may begin graduate coursework during their senior year and continue in one of our many advanced nursing specialties. ONAM participant.	For current information on our tuition and fees, visit <a href="http://nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/">nursing.case.edu/admissions/tuition/</a> . Financial aid is available.



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<b>CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2121 Euclid Avenue, JH 238 Cleveland, Ohio 44115-2214 (216) 687-3598 <a href="http://www.csuohio.edu/nursing">www.csuohio.edu/nursing</a> Region 2	Cleveland State University School of Nursing is OBN fully approved and CCNE accredited. Prepare to take a leading role in the changing health care environment with one of our undergraduate BSN track options: 1) Traditional (day or evening/weekend); freshman entry pathway; for exceptional high school seniors. 2) Accelerated (second degree) - four consecutive full-time semesters; 3) RN TO BSN with the options of 100% online or blended format of the major classes. With the reduced tuition of \$215 per credit hour, (lowest in the state of Ohio), the RN-BSN track offers the flexibility of completing coursework in as little as three semesters full-time or at a slower part-time option. CSU has partnered with renowned healthcare institutions and community settings to offer unparalleled clinical placements while embracing Engaged Learning, which combines higher education with hands-on, real-world experience.	Please see the CSU School of Nursing website for application forms and scholarship information <a href="http://www.csuohio.edu/nursing">www.csuohio.edu/nursing</a> For the most current tuition and fees, please go to <a href="http://www.csuohio.edu/treasury-services/tuition-and-fees">www.csuohio.edu/treasury-services/tuition-and-fees</a>
<b>FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY OF STEUBENVILLE</b> Department of Nursing 1235 University Blvd. Steubenville, Ohio 43952-1763 (740) 283-6324 <a href="http://www.franciscan.edu/">www.franciscan.edu/</a> Region 4	Accredited four-year BSN degree program emphasizes family centered care. Accept high school graduates, RN's, LPN's and transfer students. Freshmen admitted as pre-nursing; admitted formally to program summer before sophomore level. Clinical experiences are in primary, secondary and tertiary health care facilities in the Tri-State Area of Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. MSN program available with specialization in Family Nurse Practitioner. Post MSN certificate available for FNP.	For tuition and fees visit the website at <a href="http://www.franciscan.edu">www.franciscan.edu</a>
<b>FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY</b> 201 S. Grant Ave., Columbus, OH 43215 Local: (614) 797-4700 or Toll free: 1-877-341-6300 <a href="mailto:admissions@franklin.edu">admissions@franklin.edu</a> <a href="https://www.franklin.edu/degrees/bachelors/nursing-rn-bsn">https://www.franklin.edu/degrees/bachelors/nursing-rn-bsn</a> Region 4	Designed exclusively for registered nurses with an associate degree or diploma in nursing, Franklin University's B.S. in Nursing (RN-BSN) is offered 100% online with no clinical requirements in order to meet the needs of the busy, working RN. Franklin's CCNE-accredited program provides a quality nursing education that enables RNs to refine their patient assessment skills, clinical performance and critical analysis in preparation for advancement. Building on previously earned credit, the BSN can be completed in 12-16 months with multiple start dates throughout the year. Applications are free and there is no minimum GPA needed to apply.	For the most current tuition and financial aid information, please visit <a href="https://www.franklin.edu/tuition-financial-aid">https://www.franklin.edu/tuition-financial-aid</a> . If you'd like to speak with a financial aid representative, please call toll free 1-877-341-6300. There is no fee to apply.
<b>GALEN COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> 100 E Business Way Cincinnati, OH 45241 (513) 475-3600 (877) 223-7040 <a href="http://Galencollege.edu">Galencollege.edu</a> Region 3	At Galen College of Nursing, nursing is all we teach. Our Online RN to BSN offers Enrollment Counselors who walk you through every step to getting started. Student Support Liaisons who are dedicated to your success, keeping an eye on you throughout your program, and faculty who are accessible, quick to respond, and really make the difference. With engaging, interactive courses and stellar student support, you can finish in as few as 12 months with credit transfer or take more time if life demands. Visit <a href="http://galencollege.edu">galencollege.edu</a> for more information.	Tuition is charged per semester credit hour. For current tuition information, call (513) 475-3600, (877) 223-7040, or visit <a href="http://galencollege.edu">galencollege.edu</a>
<b>HIRAM COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING</b> Teachout-Price Second Floor, P.O. Box 67 Hiram, Ohio 44234 (330) 569-6186 <a href="http://www.hiram.edu/nursing">www.hiram.edu/nursing</a> Region 2	A unique, fully accredited and academically rigorous generic BSN Program distinctly embedded in the liberal arts and the discipline of nursing preparing clinically competent, ethically grounded, socially and culturally responsible professional nurses with skills necessary to be critical thinkers, caring and capable leaders in the profession. Students participate in Hiram's mobile initiative that integrates innovative learning technology with liberal arts and nursing. Clinical experiences are provided in healthcare facilities throughout northeast Ohio. Unique aspects of the program include an applied (evidence-based) research experience, opportunity to minor in biomedical humanities or other related area, and a global health course with opportunity for study abroad. Students applying for admission to Hiram College, and who meet the admission requirements for nursing, are afforded the opportunity to be admitted directly into the nursing major in their first year. *The baccalaureate degree in nursing is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education ( <a href="http://www.aacn.nche.edu/ccne-accreditation">http://www.aacn.nche.edu/ccne-accreditation</a> ).	Admission decisions at Hiram are made without regard to family financial circumstances, a policy commonly referred to as "need-blind admission." Students admitted to Hiram, are considered for all the financial assistance for which they are eligible to receive. In addition, Hiram believes academic achievement and promise should be honored and rewarded. This year the College will award over \$15 million in merit scholarships and need-based grants. There are many resources available that can help make Hiram College affordable. Visit us at <a href="http://www.hiram.edu/finaid/">http://www.hiram.edu/finaid/</a> for additional information.
<b>HONDROS COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Westerville Campus 4140 Executive Pkwy 1-855-90-NURSE / 1-855-906-8773 <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a> Region 3	Hondros College of Nursing offers an RN-BSN Online Completion Program designed for busy registered nurses. The program can be completed in as few as 24 months (8 quarters or 88 weeks) if attending full-time and general education requirements have been met. In order to begin the RN-BSN program, the applicant must be an RN with an unencumbered RN license in the state in which the practicum will be completed (as approved by Hondros College of Nursing) or have graduated from the ADN program at Hondros College of Nursing immediately prior to enrolling. Other admissions requirements apply. The baccalaureate degree in nursing program at Hondros College of Nursing is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, One Dupont Circle, NW, Suite 530, Washington, DC 20036, (202) 887-6791. The RN-BSN Online Completion Program is approved and offered through the Westerville main campus. Classes begin quarterly in January, April, July, and October.	Please visit <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a> for a complete list of tuition and fees. Financial aid is available to those who qualify.
<b>INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY</b> Cincinnati 9286 Schulze Dr. West Chester OH 45069 (513) 881-3601 • (866) 498-4968 <a href="http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/BS-Nursing/">http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/BS-Nursing/</a> Region 3	The IWU School of Nursing's Post-licensure RNBSN program is designed for practicing RNs to complete a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). Nurses join a cohort group taking all nursing core classes together, one course at a time. Ohio residents complete the 19-month blended program at one of our education centers in Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, or other sites, or entirely online. Our Marion, Indiana campus offers 4-year residential Pre-licensure BSN and 14-month accelerated Transition to Nursing programs. HLC and CCNE accredited.	The cost of tuition, books, and fees is available upon request. Financial aid is available.
<b>KENT STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Henderson Hall - 113, P.O. Box 5190 Kent, Ohio 44242-0001 (800) 433-5262 (937) 395-8601 <a href="http://www.kent.edu/nursing">www.kent.edu/nursing</a> Region 2	Kent State University's BSN program prepares students for clinical excellence and compassionate caregiving. Students in this program gain valuable clinical experience at renowned area hospitals and agencies. In addition, leading edge simulation technology is integrated in nearly every course. The program is offered in three tracks: 4-year BSN: For high school graduates. Offered at five Kent State campuses throughout northeast Ohio. Accelerated 15-month BSN: For bachelor's degree graduates. Offered in a weekday format, an evenings & weekend format (with clinicals at Summa Health facilities), and a weekend format (with classes and clinicals at University Hospitals facilities). 100% online RN-to-BSN: For RNs who have associates degrees or nursing diplomas.	Full-time tuition per academic year at the Kent Campus \$10,012 per year for an Ohio resident. Non-Ohio resident tuition is \$17,972 per year. Room and board is approximately \$9,908 per year. Books are approximately \$1,400 per year. Nursing fees vary from \$75 to \$120 per semester hour for many nursing courses. All fees are subject to change.
<b>KETTERING COLLEGE</b> 3737 Southern Blvd. Kettering, Ohio 45429 (800) 433-5262 (937) 395-8601 <a href="mailto:admissions@kc.edu">admissions@kc.edu</a> <a href="http://kc.edu/academics/nursing/">http://kc.edu/academics/nursing/</a> Region 2	Accelerated three-year Prelicensure BSN Degree: Year 1 includes all pre-requisite courses; years 2 and 3 include all nursing courses and arts/science/religion courses required for the BSN degree. LPN to BSN track is available. Fully accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). RN to BSN Degree: The online BSN completion degree is designed for Registered Nurses who have an associate degree, or its equivalent, in nursing. All required courses are available online. Students may enter the program any semester and may choose a full-time or part-time pace of study, completing in as little as 12 to 22 months. Fully accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). ONAM participant.	Tuition costs for 2017-2018: <a href="http://kc.edu/admissions/tuition-and-fees/">http://kc.edu/admissions/tuition-and-fees/</a> Books must be purchased in addition to tuition and program fees. Financial aid available.
<b>MALONE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING &amp; HEALTH SCIENCES</b> 2600 Cleveland Ave. NW, Canton, OH 44709 1-800-521-1146 330-471-8145 <a href="mailto:Admissions@malone.edu">Admissions@malone.edu</a> <a href="http://www.malone.edu">www.malone.edu</a> Region 2	<b>BSN Programs:</b> Caring for persons through professional competence and compassion is the foundation of Malone's BSN programs. Our pre-licensure program is direct-entry – eligible applicants begin nursing courses as a freshman; no wait list, no competitive enrollment. Sophomores begin clinicals in their fall semester. Our NCLEX pass rate is consistently above the required standard. Our 14-month RN-to-BSN degree-completion program is available as a hybrid format and as 100% online – choose your preferred format. Either way, our professors and students form valuable connections that foster a transformational learning experience.	<b>Costs:</b> BSN Program - For current tuition and fee information, visit <a href="https://www.malone.edu/academics/colleges-schools/nursing-health-sciences">https://www.malone.edu/academics/colleges-schools/nursing-health-sciences</a> Or apply at: <a href="https://www.malone.edu/admissions-aid/apply">https://www.malone.edu/admissions-aid/apply</a>
<b>MIAMI UNIVERSITY</b> 1601 University Blvd., Hamilton, OH 45011 (513) 785-7752 MIAMI UNIVERSITY 4200 University Blvd., Middletown, OH 45042 (513) 727-3266 MIAMI UNIVERSITY 501 E. High St, Oxford, OH 45056 Admissions: 513-529-2531 <a href="http://www.miamioh.edu/regionals/nsg">www.miamioh.edu/regionals/nsg</a> Region 3	Bachelor of Science in Nursing programs include traditional 4-year pre-licensure BSN and post-licensure online RN-BSN completion. Students may apply to Miami Regionals or Miami Oxford. High school students may be offered direct admission. CCNE accredited.	Please refer to Miami University's website: <a href="http://miamioh.edu/onestop/your-money">http://miamioh.edu/onestop/your-money</a> for Tuition and Fees. Financial Aid is available.
<b>MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> 127 S. Davis Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43222 (614) 234-5800 <a href="http://www.mccn.edu">www.mccn.edu</a> Region 4	Bachelors of Science in Nursing Degree Programs include: traditional 4-yr Pre-Licensure BSN, Advanced Placement BSN for eligible transfer students (5 semester program), Second Degree Accelerated BSN (13-month program), and the post-licensure fully Online RN-BSN Completion Program. Pre-licensure students have direct admission into the nursing program.	Please visit the MCCN Financial Services website pages below @: <a href="http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/pre-licensure-tuition-fees-summary">http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/pre-licensure-tuition-fees-summary</a> , <a href="http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/sdap-tuition-and-fees">http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/sdap-tuition-and-fees</a> , <a href="http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/online-rn-bsn-tuition">http://mccn.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/tuition-and-fees/online-rn-bsn-tuition</a>
<b>MOUNT ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY</b> 570 Delhi Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45233 (800) 654-9314 <a href="mailto:admission@msj.edu">admission@msj.edu</a> <a href="http://www.msj.edu">www.msj.edu</a> Region 3	<b>BSN Degree:</b> Built upon more than 90 years of experience in nursing, the Mount's BSN program is grounded in a liberal arts and sciences education. The BSN program prepares students as professional, ethical health care providers who support the dignity of others and promote holistic, evidence-based practice in a variety of settings. To become effective patient care givers, BSN students also participate in on-campus labs and off-campus clinical experiences. Approval and accreditation: Ohio Board of Regents (OBR), Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	The cost of full-time undergraduate tuition for 2018-2019 is \$29,100/year plus fees. Visit <a href="http://www.msj.edu/costs">www.msj.edu/costs</a> for the latest information.

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<b>MOUNT ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY</b> 570 Delhi Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45233 (800) 654-9314 <a href="mailto:admission@msj.edu">admission@msj.edu</a> <a href="http://www.msj.edu">www.msj.edu</a> Region 3	<b>RN to BSN Degree:</b> With nursing at the heart of the Mount's mission, the RN to BSN program proudly serves as one of the longest standing programs at the Mount. Courses build on previous nursing knowledge with an emphasis on leadership, management, evidence-based care and patient-centered nursing. The RN to BSN program offers RNs late afternoon or evening classes in an eight-week accelerated format. Students can expect intensive study, close working relationships with faculty and opportunities for self-directed learning. Approval and accreditation: Ohio Board of Regents (OBR), Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	The cost of full-time undergraduate tuition for 2018-2019 is \$29,100/year plus fees. Visit <a href="http://www.msj.edu/costs">www.msj.edu/costs</a> for the latest information.s
<b>MUSKINGUM UNIVERSITY</b> 163 Stormont Street New Concord, Ohio 43762 RN-to-BSN: call (740) 260-6967 Pre-licensure: call (740) 826-6149 <a href="http://www.muskingum.edu">www.muskingum.edu</a> Region 4	Earn your BSN at Muskingum University. Nationally accredited by CCNE, Muskingum offers two tracks: RN-to-BSN – this online program can be completed in as little as one year. It caters to working students, providing the flexibility to enroll in any term (sessions start every 10-weeks) and completed at the student's pace – part- or full-time. Pre-licensure – this 4-year program is offered on campus with courses available during the day in a traditional classroom format. Clinical experience is provided in the region. Our faculty and Advisors will be with you at every step. For more information call Joe Shaeffer, MSN at 740.260.6967 (RN-to-BSN) and Dr. Cindy Wilkins at 740.826.6149 (Pre-licensure) or visit <a href="http://www.muskingum.edu/academics/nursing">www.muskingum.edu/academics/nursing</a>	For current tuition and financial aid information call us or visit <a href="http://www.muskingum.edu">www.muskingum.edu</a> . To speak with Financial Aid call (740) 826-8139.
<b>NOTRE DAME COLLEGE</b> 4545 College Rd. South Euclid, OH 44121 1-877-NDC-OHIO ext. 5385 (toll free), or (216) 381-1680 ext. 5385 <a href="http://www.NotreDameCollege.edu">www.NotreDameCollege.edu</a> Region 2	Notre Dame College (NDC) Division of Nursing offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree through two tracks: a pre-licensure track and an online RN-BSN track. Students in the pre-licensure program complete prerequisite science and liberal studies courses in the first year of study. Students accepted into the pre-licensure program begin nursing coursework in the sophomore year which includes clinical experiences in internationally renowned healthcare facilities across Northeastern Ohio. The online RN-BSN program may be completed in as little as 16 months and accepted students may begin the program in any of the six 8-week sessions offered per year. As a Catholic College, the nursing program supports the personal and professional development of the student in mind, body and spirit. The NDC Division of Nursing is fully approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing and is accredited through the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). For additional information please visit us at: <a href="http://www.notredamecollege.edu/academics/academic-divisions/nursing">http://www.notredamecollege.edu/academics/academic-divisions/nursing</a>	For current tuition rates and financial aid information, call us at 877-NDC-OHIO or visit: <a href="http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions">http://www.notredamecollege.edu/admissions</a> Note – discounted tuition rate is offered for the RN-BSN program. Contact the Office of Admissions at NDC for further information 877-NDC-OHIO or <a href="mailto:admissions@ndc.edu">admissions@ndc.edu</a>
<b>OHIO CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY</b> College of Adult and Graduate Studies 1476 Lancaster Pike Circleville, OH 43113 1-877-496-8342 ext. 165 <a href="http://www.ohiochristian.edu">www.ohiochristian.edu</a> Region 4	Accredited by the HLC and CCNE, OCU prepares professional nurses to deliver holistic, Christ-centered patient care, based on Biblical values with a strong focus on academic excellence in a ministry-motivated environment. Critical thinking and clinical judgment characterize the entire nursing curriculum. Full time students take one course at a time to complete the program in as little as 14 months. Students have the option of hybrid courses at selected sites in Ohio or entirely on line. Courses have no required precepted clinical hours.	For current tuition and financial aid information, please visit <a href="http://www.ohiochristian.edu">http://www.ohiochristian.edu</a> . Financial advisors are available (1-877-496-8342). Books are conveniently shipped as students register for classes.
<b>OHIO NORTHERN UNIVERSITY</b> 525 South Main Street Ada, Ohio 45810 (419) 772-3944 <a href="http://www.onu.edu">www.onu.edu</a> Region 4	Nationally accredited four-year BSN degree program by CCNE. Options for both pre-licensure & RN students. RN-BSN Completion program is an accelerated program design completed in one calendar year. Nursing courses in the pre-licensure track begin freshman year. There is direct admission into the nursing major without separate application. Clinical experiences are in primary, secondary and tertiary health care facilities in the local region.	For tuition and fees visit the website at <a href="http://www.onu.edu">www.onu.edu</a>
<b>THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> Newton Hall 1585 Neil Avenue Columbus, OH 43210 (614) 292-4041 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing@osu.edu">nursing@osu.edu</a> <a href="http://nursing.osu.edu">nursing.osu.edu</a> Region 4	Join a top-ranked online bachelor's program with Ohio State's online RN to BSN program. This program can be completed in 15 months if attending part-time or 12-months if attending full-time. Our world-renowned faculty provide personalized instruction with a focus on evidence-based practice. Wellness is integrated throughout the curriculum because we care about your health and success as a student.	Enroll in our online program and pay in-state tuition no matter where you live. Also, we have no textbook costs for this program. For more information on tuition & fees, visit: <a href="https://online.osu.edu/tuition-and-fees/115">https://online.osu.edu/tuition-and-fees/115</a>
<b>OTTERBEIN UNIVERSITY</b> 1 South Grove Street Westerville, Ohio 43081-2006 (614) 823-1614 <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu/nursing/">www.otterbein.edu/nursing/</a> Region 4	Offering a traditional undergraduate BSN program (3 yrs. of clinical courses and experiences). Classes are taught in the classroom during the daytime hours on a semester calendar. Features expert faculty and a skill's lab available to students 8am - 10pm for practice. Summers off, mission trips, active student nurses association and nursing honor society. Accreditations: Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education Accreditation, Board of Nursing, Higher Learning Commission. For undergraduate information or appointments with the Advisor to discuss your individual program needs, please call 1-614-823-1500.	Visit the website at <a href="http://www.otterbein.edu">www.otterbein.edu</a> - see the business office site.
<b>THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> Mary Gladwin Hall 209 Carroll Street, Akron, Ohio 44325-3701 1-888-477-7887 1-330-972-5103 <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/nursing">www.uakron.edu/nursing</a> Region 2	The University of Akron School of Nursing offers pre-licensure baccalaureate programs, as well as programs for RNs, transfer, and post-baccalaureate students. Programs include: Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) and the Accelerated BSN for post-baccalaureate students. RN Advancement options include the RN to BSN and the RN to BSN to MSN Bridge Programs. RN to BSN Program is available fully Online (multiple start dates, among the most affordable tuition in OH), in-class or via personalized distance learning at the Main Campus or one of five satellite campuses at Wayne College, Lorain County Community College, Holden University Center/Lakeland Community College, or the Medina County University Center. The LPN/BSN sequence is designed for nurses who wish to obtain a baccalaureate degree in nursing.	For information on tuition cost/fees: <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/tuition">http://www.uakron.edu/tuition</a> Financial aid available. <a href="http://www.uakron.edu/nursing/">http://www.uakron.edu/nursing/</a>
<b>UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> P.O. Box 210038 Procter Hall Cincinnati, OH 45221-0038 (513) 558-3600 Fax (513) 558-7523 Email: <a href="mailto:nursing1@uc.edu">nursing1@uc.edu</a> <a href="http://www.nursing.uc.edu">www.nursing.uc.edu</a> Region 3	The University of Cincinnati College of Nursing was the first in the U.S. to offer a BSN. The college also offers an online RN to BSN program; as well as, an accelerated program for individuals who hold a bachelor's degree or higher in an area outside of nursing and wish to become a registered nurse. As part of the UC Academic Health Center, the college's esteemed faculty are partners in, progressive research, advanced technology and extensive affiliations with major medical centers and programs. CCNE accredited.	Tuition and fees can be found at: <a href="http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html">http://www.uc.edu/bursar/fees.html</a> .
<b>UNIVERSITY OF MOUNT UNION</b> Department of Nursing Gallaher Hall 1972 Clark Avenue, Alliance, OH 44601 (330) 829-4142 <a href="mailto:nursing@mountunion.edu">nursing@mountunion.edu</a> <a href="http://www.mountunion.edu/nursing-major">http://www.mountunion.edu/nursing-major</a> Region 2	The University of Mount Union offers a direct-entry Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program. Student in the direct-entry BSN program pursues a rigorous curriculum and extensive hands-on clinical practicum. Practicum begins in sophomore year. Students will take advantage of the new medical science facility with new skills and simulation labs. The BSN program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).	For up-to-date information about tuition and fees please visit this website: <a href="http://www.mountunion.edu/tuition">http://www.mountunion.edu/tuition</a> Scholarships and financial aid are available.
<b>URSULINE COLLEGE THE BREEN SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2550 Lander Road Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124 (440) 449-4203 or 1-888-Ursuline <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu">www.ursuline.edu</a> Region 2	The Breen School of Nursing at Ursuline College offers the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree within a values-based learning environment, preparing nurses to be leaders in their field and highly skilled and technical workers at the bedside. Clinical experiences provide opportunity to rehearse for practice in the most dynamic specialties at the best healthcare institutions in the nation; culminating with a one on one precepted practicum for all students. The RN-to-BSN program is working-adult friendly, and an accelerated second degree, 15-month BSN program affords students with bachelor's degrees in another major the opportunity to pursue a nursing career. The BSN is fully approved and accredited by the Ohio Board of Nursing and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.	For current tuition rates, financial aid information, and to apply: <a href="http://www.ursuline.edu/Academics/Nursing/BSN_Degree/index.html">http://www.ursuline.edu/Academics/Nursing/BSN_Degree/index.html</a>
<b>WALSH UNIVERSITY BYERS SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 2020 East Maple St. North Canton, Ohio 44720 (330) 490-7251 (800) 362-9846 Toll Free <a href="http://www.walsh.edu">www.walsh.edu</a> Region 2	Walsh University is a private, Catholic University offering nursing programs designed to prepare students with the essential knowledge, values, and professional behaviors expected for nursing practice in a complex and diverse health care arena. Current academic programs offered include a prelicensure BSN program, an Accelerated BSN program, an RN-BSN Completion program, an RN to MSN program, MSN program and post-master's DNP program. The Accelerated program provides qualified applicants, who possess a baccalaureate degree in an area other than nursing, the opportunity to complete the BSN program in 15 months. The RN-BSN program is designed to meet the needs of the registered nurse.	Prelicensure option tuition. Full-time tuition \$27,220. Room and board \$10,000. RN-BSN option and Accelerated option tuition \$445.00 per credit hour. Fees, books, and insurance are additional. Financial aid available. Fees, books, and insurance are additional. Financial aid available. Scholarships are available for fulltime students which range from \$1,500 to full tuition.
<b>WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH</b> 3640 Colonel Glenn Hwy Dayton, Ohio 45432 (937) 775-3131 <a href="http://www.wright.edu/nursing">www.wright.edu/nursing</a> Region 3	WSU offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program fully accredited through CCNE and OBN approved. Depending on pre-requisite completion, admissions options include direct from high school, following completion of the freshman year, an alternative pathway for those with prior healthcare professions experience, or online RN to BSN. Students gain valuable clinical experiences through extensive placement opportunities within top rated health care agencies and excellent on-campus clinical simulation facilities. Our 2017 NCLEX pass rate was 92.81%, well above state (84.96%) and national (87.12%) averages.	For tuition and fee information, visit: <a href="https://www.wright.edu/raiderconnect/accounts-and-bills/tuition-and-fees">https://www.wright.edu/raiderconnect/accounts-and-bills/tuition-and-fees</a> . For financial aid information, visit: <a href="https://www.wright.edu/raiderconnect/financial-aid">https://www.wright.edu/raiderconnect/financial-aid</a> . Note: RN-to-BSN seeking students may be eligible for tuition support through their employer



SCHOOL:	PERTINENT FACTS:	COSTS:
<b>BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN)</b> <i>continued</i>		
<b>YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY</b> Department of Nursing One University Plaza Youngstown, Ohio 44555 (330) 941-3293 <a href="http://www.yzu.edu">www.yzu.edu</a>	We are proud to offer two CCNE and ACEN accredited BSN programs: 4-year Entry-level BSN and a fully RN-BSN Online Completion Program. The 4-year entry-level BSN program accepts qualified high school graduates, transfer students and LPNs. Classes for RNs in the RN-BSN Completion Program are held online in an asynchronous format. RNs are admitted directly into the program and an escrow credit mechanism is used for RN and LPNs. Additional program offerings include a School Nurse Licensure Certificate Program. ONAM participant.	2017-2018 Tuition for Entry-level BSN program In-State: \$8087 In-state; Affordable Tuition Advantage Area: \$8,847 Out of State: \$14087.28 per year. Fees are additional
<b>DIPLOMA</b>		
<b>FIRELANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER SCHOOL OF NURSING</b> 1912 Hayes Avenue Sandusky, Ohio 44870 (419) 557-7110 Fax: (419) 557-7116 email: <a href="mailto:fitzthd@firelands.com">fitzthd@firelands.com</a> <a href="http://www.firelands.com">www.firelands.com</a>	Requirements: High school graduate or GED; Algebra, Biology, and Chemistry. In 3 years the student will earn a diploma in nursing and an Associate of Science Degree. Excellent NCLEX-RN passage rate with a top ten ranking in the state of Ohio. State-of-the-art adult and maternal-child simulation labs available. A two-year LPN to RN program is also available.	Cost for 3 years is approximately \$23,000 which includes tuition and fees. The cost for the LPN to RN program is approximately \$16,000.
<b>ASSOCIATE DEGREE (AD)</b>		
<b>BECKFIELD COLLEGE</b> 225 Pictoria Drive, Suite 200 Cincinnati, OH 45246 (513) 671-1920 email: <a href="mailto:info@beckfield.edu">info@beckfield.edu</a> <a href="http://www.beckfield.edu">www.beckfield.edu</a>	Beckfield College offers an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing. Advanced standing for LPNs may be available. Competency-based QSEN model curriculum, clinicals built into program (no wait list), highly qualified faculty, and nursing labs including patient simulator offered through the program. More information available at <a href="http://www.beckfield.edu">www.beckfield.edu</a> . Start your nursing education right away, no pre-nursing classes or wait lists at Beckfield College. OH Reg #08-05-1857 T	Contact Financial Aid on campus for specific tuition information.
<b>BRYANT &amp; STRATTON COLLEGE</b> <b>Eastlake Campus</b> 440-510-1112 35350 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake, Ohio 44095 <b>Parma Campus</b> 216-265-3151 12955 Snow Road, Parma, Ohio 44130 <a href="http://www.bryantstratton.edu">www.bryantstratton.edu</a>	Five semester program leading to an Associate Degree in Applied Science in Nursing. Admission in Winter, Spring and Fall at both campuses. Evening-Weekend program available Fall at the Eastlake location and January at the Parma location. Admission requirements: HS graduate, place into college-level English and Math, and qualifying score on TEAS entrance exam. Competitive admission process. Advanced placement for LPNs. Clinical experience at various community and major medical institutions. Please visit <a href="http://www.bryantstratton.edu">www.bryantstratton.edu</a> for more information.	Please refer to our website for current tuition and fees at <a href="http://www.bryantstratton.edu">www.bryantstratton.edu</a> . Financial Aid available.
<b>CENTRAL OHIO TECHNICAL COLLEGE</b> 1179 University Drive Newark, Ohio 43055 (740) 366-9494 1-800-963-9275 ext. 9494 <a href="http://www.cotc.edu">www.cotc.edu</a>	Student-focused Associate Degree program preparing job ready nurses through diverse healthcare experiences. Two-year full-time ACEN accredited program. LPN to ADN Program on Newark, Coshocton and Knox County campuses. Students may take support courses prior to Nursing Program admission. New admissions accepted every session through a selective admissions process. No wait list. See Nursing Programs web site for plans of study, and other program information.	Tuition and fees (see <a href="http://www.cotc.edu">www.cotc.edu</a> ), plus books, uniforms, lab fees. Financial Aid available for those who qualify.
<b>CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADN PROGRAM</b> 2900 Community College Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44115 (216) 987-4067 <a href="http://www.tri-c.edu/nursing">www.tri-c.edu/nursing</a>	Four-semester (after pre-requisites completed) Associate Degree in Applied Science program. Pre-admission test required. Three tracks offered: Generic; LPN to RN; Accelerated. Day & Evening/Weekend programs on 3 campuses. Clinical experience is offered at a wide variety of hospitals ranging from small community hospitals to large research facilities. Selective admission process. NEONI participant.	Please refer to our website for tuition and fee schedule - <a href="http://www.tri-c.edu/paying-forcollege/Pages/TuitionPaymentSchedule.aspx">http://www.tri-c.edu/paying-forcollege/Pages/TuitionPaymentSchedule.aspx</a> . Additional costs for books, uniforms, insurance, background check and exit test. Financial Aid available.
<b>GALEN COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> 100 E Business Way Cincinnati, OH 45241 (513) 475-3600 (877) 223-7040 <a href="http://Galencollege.edu">Galencollege.edu</a>	At Galen College of Nursing, nursing is all we teach, and preparing confident, caring professionals for successful careers in nursing is why we are here. By offering modern classrooms and labs, along with hands-on education early in the curriculum, Galen can help you reach your nursing goals. Galen offers multiple pathways for those wishing to become a registered nurse: an Associate Degree in Nursing for new students and an Advanced Standing ADN Bridge for current LPNs. All students have the option to seamlessly transition to BSN studies upon ADN completion. (See the BSN listing).	Tuition is charged per quarter credit hour. For current tuition information, call (513) 475-3600, (877) 223-7040, or visit <a href="http://galencollege.edu">galencollege.edu</a> .
<b>HERZING UNIVERSITY - Akron Campus</b> 1600 Arlington Street, Suite 100 Akron, OH 44306 (330) 724-1600 <a href="http://www.herzing.edu/akron">www.herzing.edu/akron</a> <a href="mailto:akr-info@herzing.edu">akr-info@herzing.edu</a> OH REG # 04-01-170-4T	We accept students three times a year to our on-campus program that is offered in a full-time format only. The average length of time to complete this program is 20 months. Clinical facilities include Summa Health System, Children's Hospital of Akron, and more. The Herzing University - Akron Campus Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, is accredited by the ACEN and approved by the Ohio State Board of Nursing. Please visit <a href="http://www.herzing.edu">www.herzing.edu</a> for more information. For information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, visit <a href="http://info.herzing.edu">http://info.herzing.edu</a>	For current tuition rates, please call (330) 724-1600. Financial aid and scholarships available.
<b>HONDROS COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> West Chester Campus-7600 Tyler's Place Blvd., West Chester, OH 45069 Westerville Campus- 4140 Executive Pkwy, Westerville, OH 43081 Fairborn Campus- 1810 Successful Drive, Fairborn, OH 45324 Independence Campus-5005 Rockside Rd, Suite 130, Independence, OH 44131 Maumee Campus- 1684 Woodlands Dr., Maumee, OH 43537 1-855-90-NURSE / 1-855-906-8773 <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a>	Hondros College of Nursing offers an Associate Degree in Nursing program at four Ohio campuses near Columbus, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Dayton, and Toledo. Applicants must be an LPN with an active, unencumbered PN license in order to enroll, or have graduated from the PN program at Hondros College of Nursing no less than two quarters before enrolling in the ADN program. Other admissions requirements apply. Students will take classroom, online, and clinical courses for a total of five quarters (55 weeks). Classes begin quarterly in January, April, July, and October, and the program is approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing.	Please visit <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a> for a complete list of tuition and fees. Financial aid is available to those who qualify.
<b>JAMES A. RHODES STATE COLLEGE</b> Cook Hall 4240 Campus Drive Lima, OH 45804 <a href="mailto:mason.e@rhodesstate.edu">mason.e@rhodesstate.edu</a> <a href="http://www.rhodesstate.edu">www.rhodesstate.edu</a>	OBN fully approved and ACEN accredited Registered Nursing Associate Degree program admits nursing students each Fall & Spring Semester. Courses are offered in traditional, hybrid, & on-line format to meet diverse learning needs. Preceptorship experience is provided in the Capstone course. Please refer to the college catalog for admission requirements. Clinical experiences are provided in acute and long-term care facilities, schools, and community sites. Simulated scenarios include: NOELLE birthing simulator, Adult and Pediatric Simulators as well as IV simulator experiences. RSC also offers an LPN & STNA program, which features a spacious well equipped nursing laboratory for skills practice. Highly experienced qualified nursing faculty members are on staff to facilitate students to meet student learning outcomes. LPNs may apply for advanced standing via LPN to RN Transition Program. No waiting list. GPA 2.5 minimum for admission, along with basic computer skills. See college catalog for program of study. Support courses may be completed prior to beginning the clinical course sequence. Numerous articulation agreements, including on-line & area BSN completion programs are available. Articulation agreements include: The Ohio State University, Indiana Wesleyan, Wright State University and more.	Tuition: \$160.19 per credit hour. Financial aid and scholarships are available. Additional fees: lab fees, books, uniforms, health requirements, criminal background check, drug screen, etc. Costs are subject to change. Visit: <a href="http://www.rhodesstate.edu">www.rhodesstate.edu</a> for more information or call 419-995-8030 to speak with a nursing advisor.
<b>KENT STATE UNIVERSITY, AD PROGRAM</b> <b>Ashtabula Campus</b> • 3300 Lake Road West Ashtabula, Ohio 44004 • (440) 964-4231 <b>East Liverpool Campus</b> • 400 East 4th Street East Liverpool, Ohio 43920 • (330) 382-7510 <b>Tuscarawas Campus</b> • 330 University Drive, NE New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663 • (330) 308-7480 <b>Kent State University Regional Academic Center at Twinsburg</b> • 2745 Creekside Drive Twinsburg, Ohio 44087 • (330) 888-6400	ACEN accredited program offered at four campuses of the University. Applicants may complete arts and science courses at any campus of Kent State, but must choose one of the four sites to complete the 4 semester nursing sequence. Application deadline is February 1 of each year for admission for the following Fall and October 1 for Spring admission (Ashtabula Campus only). High school graduation or GED required. Persons considering this program are required to attend a nursing information session or meet with an ADN representative at one of the campuses and complete any developmental coursework prescribed by placement testing and complete high school or college-level courses in algebra, biology and chemistry. A cumulative GPA of 2.70 or higher is required for admission. Advanced placement for qualified LPNs and Paramedics. Good articulation to BSN completion programs.	Tuition is \$258.00 per credit hour. Additional costs include: course fees, uniforms, books and admission requirements. Financial aid is available.
<b>LAKELAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE</b> 7700 Clocktower Drive Kirtland, Ohio 44094 (440) 525-7100 <a href="http://www.lakelandcc.edu">www.lakelandcc.edu</a>	Two academic year, ACEN accredited, program leading to an AAS Degree. Fall and spring admission for day program and LPN to RN program. Fall admission for evening/weekend program. Students live at home. Admission criteria available on request from admissions and at <a href="http://www.lakelandcc.edu">www.lakelandcc.edu</a> in the online College catalog. Clinical sites include several University Hospital & Cleveland Clinic facilities, MetroHealth Medical Center, Lake Hospital System, along with a variety of extended care and community settings. Criminal background check and drug testing required. Perspective students must attend a mandatory information session. Call Counseling Center at (440) 525-7200 to reserve a space at the information session.	Tuition: \$97.75/cr hr (Lake County); \$126.05 (Out of county); Combined tuition and general fee: \$117.80/cr hr (Lake County); \$146.10/cr hr (Out of county). Additional fees include: lab fees, books, uniforms, medical insurance, required physical, immunizations and titters, assessment & remediation program, criminal background check and drug testing.

<b>SCHOOL:</b>	<b>PERTINENT FACTS:</b>	<b>COSTS:</b>
<b>PRACTICAL NURSING (PN)</b>		
<b>BECKFIELD COLLEGE</b> 225 Pictoria Drive, Suite 200 Cincinnati, OH 45246 (513) 671-1920 email: <a href="mailto:info@beckfield.edu">info@beckfield.edu</a> <a href="http://www.beckfield.edu">www.beckfield.edu</a> Region 3	Beckfield College offers a Practical Nursing Diploma program, complete with built in clinicals (no wait list), competency-based QSEN model curriculum, highly qualified faculty, and nursing labs including patient simulator. More information available at <a href="http://www.beckfield.edu">www.beckfield.edu</a> . Start your nursing education right away, no pre-nursing classes or wait lists at Beckfield College. OH Reg #08-05-1857 T	Contact Financial Aid on campus for specific tuition information.
<b>CENTRAL OHIO TECHNICAL COLLEGE</b> 1179 University Drive Newark, OH 43055 Phone: (740) 366-9494 1-800-963-9275 ext. 9494 <a href="http://www.cotc.edu">www.cotc.edu</a> Region 4	One year Practical Nursing Certificate program offered on Newark and Coshocton campuses. New classes admitted each Spring at both locations and every Autumn at Newark location. Selective admission process. No waitlist. Clinical experiences in variety of facilities. Approved by Ohio Board of Nursing.	Information at: <a href="http://newarkcampus.org/cotc/fees.asp">http://newarkcampus.org/cotc/fees.asp</a> <a href="http://newarkcampus.org/cotc">http://newarkcampus.org/cotc</a>
<b>CENTRAL SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING (CSPN)</b> 4700 Rockside Road, Summit 1, Suite 250 Independence, Ohio 44131 P (216) 901-4400 F (216) 901-4020 <a href="http://www.cspnOhio.edu">www.cspnOhio.edu</a> Region 2	CSPN is a private, non-profit, 46-week, full-time, day LPN program. The program consists of 2 clinical/lab days and 2 lecture days, totaling 1240 clock hours. Classes enroll twice per year in the Spring and Fall. A HS diploma, with an average GPA of 2.00, or GED is required. Pre-entrance testing is required with a minimum passing score of 67% on both reading and math. Financial aid, and scholarships are available to those who qualify. Individuals with military experience and training will have credentials assessed individually for awarding of advanced placement credit(s). We offer a variety of clinical experiences with facilities in Cleveland and surrounding suburbs. Ohio Board of Nursing (OBN) approved. CSPN is accredited by the Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools (ABHES).	Tuition \$16,200. Uniforms, textbooks, insurance, etc. are additional expenses.
<b>CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE PRACTICAL NURSE PROGRAM</b> 2900 Community College Ave. Cleveland, Ohio 44115 (216) 987-4067 <a href="http://www.tri-c.edu/programs/nursing">www.tri-c.edu/programs/nursing</a> Region 2	College Credit Bearing Program, HS Grad-GED required. Pre-admission test required. Admission fall semester only, two semesters and a ten-week summer session. Support courses may be taken prior to nursing course sequence. Graduates earn a "Certificate of Proficiency." Clinical experiences are provided in area hospitals, nursing homes, and community agencies. NEONI participant.	Please see our website for tuition and fee schedule - <a href="http://www.tri-c.edu/payingforcollege/Pages/TuitionPaymentSchedule.aspx">http://www.tri-c.edu/payingforcollege/Pages/TuitionPaymentSchedule.aspx</a> . Additional costs for books, uniforms, insurance, background check, electronic health record (EHR) and exit test. Financial aid available for those who qualify.
<b>HONDROS COLLEGE OF NURSING</b> West Chester Campus-7600 Tyler's Place Blvd., West Chester, OH 45069 Westerville Campus- 4140 Executive Pkwy, Westerville, OH 43081 Fairborn Campus- 1810 Successful Drive, Fairborn, OH 45324 Independence Campus-5005 Rockside Rd, Suite 130, Independence, OH 44131 Maumee Campus - 1684 Woodlands Dr., Maumee, OH 43537 1-855-90-NURSE / 1-855-906-8773 <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a> Region 3	Hondros College of Nursing offers a Practical Nursing Diploma program at five Ohio campuses near Columbus, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Dayton, and Toledo. Students can choose the daytime or evening/weekend schedule (evening/weekend schedule not available in Maumee). Students learn in a nursing simulation laboratory with interactive manikins. Other program features include IV therapy experience and licensure examination preparation throughout the program. The Practical Nursing Diploma program is designed to take 4 quarters (44 weeks) to complete and is approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing. Classes begin quarterly in January, April, July, and October.	Please visit <a href="http://hondros.edu">hondros.edu</a> for a complete list of tuition and fees. Financial aid is available to those who qualify.

**NOTE:** Region number refers to regions of state - see map on reverse side. The Ohio League for Nursing promotes and fosters nursing careers through public education and information programs. The League provides information for potential nursing students as well as those nurses seeking additional education Membership in the League is open to the general public as well as nurses.

[www.ohioleaguefornursing.org](http://www.ohioleaguefornursing.org)

## TO BECOME A NURSING STUDENT:

1. Applicant must be a high school graduate or have passed the Graduate Equivalence Examination (GED) given by the Board of Education.
2. Select several nursing programs with entrance requirements which you think you can meet — and contact them. RN programs generally require high school credits which include: 4 years English, 2-3 years social studies, 2-3 years math, 2-3 years science (including chemistry), 2-3 years foreign language (depending on the type of program). Requirements for PN programs may be different.
3. For those in high school it is suggested you inquire at one or more nursing programs not later than your junior year to prepare for any special courses and/or entrance tests that may be required.
4. The Nursing Programs will advise you:
  - a. About their own specific entrance requirements.
  - b. How to obtain a transcript of your high school academic record.
  - c. When and where to report for your pre-entrance test, if applicable, physical examination, and personal interview.
5. Take any required entrance test as early as possible in your senior year of high school.
6. Adults, post-baccalaureate students, and those persons considering a career change are encouraged to apply and generally considered on an individual basis.
7. Financial aid counseling is part of the admissions process. Be sure you discuss scholarships, grants and loans available if you will need financial aid.
8. Make an appointment to meet with the nursing program representative and visit the nursing programs of your choice.

## TYPES OF NURSING PROGRAMS:

### DNP (Doctor of Nursing Practice)

- Contact each program for more specific information.

### MSN (Master of Science in Nursing)

- Contact each program for more information.

### BSN (Bachelor of Science in Nursing)

- You are granted the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN).
- After passing NCLEX (Licensing Examination), You become a Registered Nurse (RN).

### RN to BSN

- Program designed for RNs seeking Bachelor of Science in Nursing

### Diploma

- You receive a Diploma.
- After passing NCLEX (Licensing Examination), You become a Registered Nurse (RN).

### AD (Associate Degree)

- You are granted the degree Associate in Applied Science (AAS).
- After passing NCLEX (Licensing Examination), You become a Registered Nurse (RN).

### PN

- You receive a Certificate.
- After passing NCLEX (Licensing Examination), You become a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN).

## TERMS:

**SAT** — Scholastic Aptitude Test.

**ACT** — American College Test.

**NLN** — National League for Nursing: pre-Nursing and Guidance Examination.

**GED** — General Education Certificate. A high school equivalence program test.

**NET** — Nurse Entrance Test

**Registered Nurse (RN)** — You must pass the NCLEX (Licensing Examination) to receive your license as a Registered Nurse (RN).

**Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)** — You must pass the NCLEX (Licensing Examination) to receive your license as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN).

**NLNAC** — National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.

**CCNE** — Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.

**ONAM participant** — (Ohio Nursing Articulation Model) Agreements among Ohio Nursing Schools that support: 1) educational mobility through recognition of prior nursing coursework; 2) advanced placement without testing or repetitive nursing coursework.

**ACEN** — Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing

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