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The profession of nursing is a creative and rewarding career for women and men.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Schools of Nursing: Approved/Accredited

The Massachusetts or the Rhode Island Board of Registration in Nursing has granted *approval* to all schools of nursing listed and described in this directory. In addition, a number of schools are *accredited* by professional accrediting agencies recognized as such by the United States Department of Education. The distinction between *approved* and *accredited* is as follows:

**Approved:** Minimum standards for nursing education are mandatory in every state and compliance with these standards constitutes state *approval*. In Massachusetts and Rhode Island, the Board of Registration in Nursing is required by law to establish rules and regulations governing the criteria for approval of schools for registered nurses and practical nurses. Criteria include qualification of faculty, requirements for student admission and standards for school teaching equipment.

Students must graduate from a school of nursing approved by the Board of Registration in Nursing and offer satisfactory proof of “good moral character” to be eligible to sit for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX). To receive a license to practice as a registered nurse (RN) or a licensed practical nurse (LPN), candidates must *successfully* pass the NCLEX exam.

**Accredited:** Program accreditation means the formal recognition of the nursing education program by a specialized professional accrediting agency recognized as such by the United States Department of Education. Two agencies commonly used by nursing programs for accreditation are: the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).

The law does not require school accreditation. A school, which has received accreditation, assures the student that its nursing program has met standards higher than the minimum required by law for nursing education programs.

Students wishing to pursue nursing to the Master’s Degree level should be aware of the fact that a majority of Master’s Degree nursing programs require graduation from an accredited Baccalaureate nursing program as a prerequisite for admission.

### **Admission Requirements**

The state Boards have established graduation from an accredited high school or equivalent education as demonstrated by a high school equivalency certificate as a minimum requirement for admission to any school of nursing. Many schools have admission requirements, such as entrance examinations, in addition to this minimum. Prospective students are urged to contact directly the school of their choice for more specific information.

### **Additional Costs**

Additional costs include fees, books, uniforms, insurance, supplies, meals, transportation, etc. that the tuition does not always cover. The actual costs vary from program to program and prospective students should contact each school directly for specific charges.

### **Financial**

Financial assistance is available through federal, state and private programs that offer scholarships, grants and loans. Contact the financial aid offices at all schools you are considering.

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS IN NURSING

Most Associate Degree Programs in Nursing are two years in length and are offered at colleges, universities, community colleges or junior colleges. A college preparatory program is recommended for admission; applicants should check the criteria of individual schools. The course of study includes a major emphasis on nursing theory and practice plus general education courses including sciences and social sciences. An Associate's Degree is granted at graduation. Graduates are eligible to sit for the NCLEX-RN exam.

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Prospective students should contact the school of their choice for  
specific information

Associate Degree

**Bay State College**

Boston

[www.baystate.edu](http://www.baystate.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC candidate status
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	Depends on eligible transfer credits
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years -5 semesters
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	NA
<b>Size of Class:</b>	32
<b>Tuition:</b>	Refer to school catalogue/website
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Refer to school catalogue
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Greater Boston clinical facilities
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Admission office and Nursing Program personal interview, program information meeting, placement testing, acceptable CORI results, current immunization
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	30
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Not yet
<b>Application Fee:</b>	Refer to school catalogue
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling admissions

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Associate Degree

**Becker College**

Worcester

[www.becker.edu](http://www.becker.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes NLN
<b>Full Time:</b>	days/afternoon/evenings
<b>Part Time:</b>	based upon transfer credit
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	60
<b>School Year:</b>	2 entry sessions JAN/SEPT
<b>Tuition:</b>	refer to school catalog
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	varies yearly
<b>Housing:</b>	yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes books uniform clinical acces.
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	varies yearly
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	SAT, TEAS
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	ALG, BIO and/or A&P w/labs
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes (1 less nursing course)
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$30.00
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	none

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Associate Degree

**Berkshire Community College**  
Pittsfield

[www.berkshirecc.edu](http://www.berkshirecc.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes- NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Days
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 Years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	56
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$11,937
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	N/A
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Hospitals: Berkshire Medical Center, Fairview & North Adams Regional
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	N/A
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	See 2011-2012 Catalog
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$10 MA residents, \$35 out-of-state
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	March 1st

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Associate Degree

**Bristol Community College**  
Fall River

[www.bristol.mass.edu](http://www.bristol.mass.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	n/a
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 Years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	96
<b>School Year:</b>	-
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$166/per credit – may be subject to change
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Instructional Support Fee
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Agencies in Southeastern Massachusetts
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS scores
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Prerequisites
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	34
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$10
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	February 1

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Associate Degree

**Cape Cod Community College**

West Barnstable

[www.capecod.edu](http://www.capecod.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes, NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	days
<b>Full Time:</b>	evenings
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	5 semesters
<b>Size of Class:</b>	64
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$161/credit - MA residents; \$367/credit non-MA residents
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes - \$200 nursing fee per semester
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Cape Cod Hospital, Jordan Hospital, Falmouth Hospital and others
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	None
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Chemistry, Anatomy and Physiology.I, Pharmacology Calculations
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	none
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	5-Jan

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Associate Degree

**Greenfield Community College**  
Greenfield

[www.gcc.mass.edu/departments/nursing/](http://www.gcc.mass.edu/departments/nursing/)

**Accredited:** Yes - NLNAC  
**Full Time:** Days  
**Part Time:** Yes, with faculty permission  
**Length of Program/Full Time:** 2 years  
**Length of Program/Part Time:** 3 years  
**Size of Class:** 42 – First year; 48 – Second year  
**School Year:** Sept-May  
**Tuition: and fees per year** \$4637. (in-state); \$5027. (NEBHE-RSP);  
\$12,287.(out of state)  
**Financial Aid Available:** Yes  
**Housing:** No  
**Additional Costs:** Yes - school will specify  
**Clinical Education Sites:** Multiple: Baystate Franklin Medical Ctr, Cooley Dickinson Hosp, Holyoke Medical Ctr., Brattleboro Memorial Hosp, Brattleboro Retreat, a variety of extended care facilities  
**Required Entrance Exams:** none  
**Other Admissions Criteria:** Algebra 1, 10 credits including one of the sciences; Essay; English Composition I  
**Transfer Credits Accepted:** yes  
**Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:** yes  
**Application Fee:** \$10.00  
**Application Deadline:** 2/20/2012

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Associate Degree

**Labouré College**

Boston

[www.laboure.edu/](http://www.laboure.edu/)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes-NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days and Weekend/evenings
<b>Part Time:</b>	Days and Weekend/evenings
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	Varies
<b>School Year:</b>	Sept. – May Professional Courses General Ed. Offered Spring &Summer
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$650 per credit for Gen Ed \$805 per credit for Professional Courses
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Steward Health Care facilities and other acute care facilities within the geographic area.
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Algebra 1, Algebra 2 and/or Geometry; Biology and/or Chemistry with Lab
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$25 (\$125 for International Students)
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	None

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Associate Degree

**Lawrence Memorial/Regis College**  
**Nursing and Medical Radiography Programs**  
Medford

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

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC Accredited
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Days, Evening/Weekend
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years (Days only)
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2 ½ to 3 years (Days/Evening Weekends)
<b>Size of Class:</b>	35
<b>School Year:</b>	August to May
<b>Tuition:</b>	Nursing Courses \$650 per credit; Non-Nursing Courses \$1,165 per 3 or 4 credit course
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes, limited \$6400 per semester, double occupancy on Weston campus
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes (school will specify)
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Over 30 clinical sites including Hallmark Health System hospitals, Cambridge Hospital, Mount Auburn Hospital, Shriners Hospitals for Children, Boston; Lahey Clinic
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	SAT (High School graduates within past 5 years); TOEFL (required if completed any grades 1-12 outside of the United States)
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High School diploma or GED in addition to Algebra, Biology and Chemistry either in High School or College
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes; maximum of 6 courses
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling Admissions
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Associate Degree

**Massasoit Community College**  
Brockton

[www.massasoit.mass.edu](http://www.massasoit.mass.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	BORN, NLN
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evening and Weekend
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	4 Semesters
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	6 Semesters for generic evening cohort in 2014 3 Semesters for LPN to AD evening cohort
<b>Size of Class:</b>	56
<b>School Year:</b>	September-June
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$155 per credit, or per catalog Evening program additional \$123 per credit
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books, uniforms, travel expenses
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Brockton Hospital, South Shore Hospital, Jordan Hospital, Good Samaritan, New England Sinai
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Prerequisites in catalog
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	
<b>Application Fee:</b>	None
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	1-Feb

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Associate Degree

**MassBay Community College**  
Framingham

[www.massbay.edu/](http://www.massbay.edu/)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes-NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Day
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evening
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	3 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	Day 60 Evening 54
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Tuition:</b>	Day \$151/credit Evening \$255/credit
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Urban & Suburban Boston
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	Yes
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	GPA and Pre-requisite Science Courses
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$20
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	1-Feb

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Associate Degree

**Middlesex Community College**

Lowell

[www.middlesex.mass.edu](http://www.middlesex.mass.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	yes
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2 years, 9 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30 full time (2x/year), 32 part time (1x/year)
<b>School Year:</b>	Sept-May full time, Sept to Aug part time
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$160.00 per credit full time, \$318.00 per credit part time
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Emerson Hospital, Lahey Clinic, Lowell General, Saints Memorial
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Algebra, Biology, Chemistry
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling Admissions

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<b>FAX:</b>	978-441-1749



Associate Degree

**Mt. Wachusett Community College**  
Gardner

<http://www.mwcc.edu/default.html>

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes-NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	days/evenings
<b>Part Time:</b>	N/A
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	N/A
<b>Size of Class:</b>	60 day/40 evening
<b>School Year:</b>	September -May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$235/credit days/\$274 credit eves
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	North Central Mass area
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS as of Sept. 2009
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Sciences, Math w/C+ or better (coll Algebra)
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	none
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	1-Feb

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Associate Degree

**North Shore Community College**  
Danvers

[www.northshore.edu](http://www.northshore.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	day/some evening clinical experiences
<b>Part Time:</b>	no
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	n/a
<b>Size of Class:</b>	60
<b>School Year:</b>	September -May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$162/credit MA residents
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Several North Shore Health Care Facilities
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Highschool diploma, GED and highschool Algebra, Biology & Chemistry with a C or better
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	none
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Feb 14

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Associate Degree

**Roxbury Community College**  
Boston

[www.rcc.mass.edu/nursing](http://www.rcc.mass.edu/nursing)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC to 2012
<b>Full Time:</b>	Either days or late aft/even
<b>Part Time:</b>	No
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	4 semesters
<b>Size of Class:</b>	Day 40; evenings 32
<b>School Year:</b>	days- Sept to May; even- Jan-Dec
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$158 per credit (for MA residents)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Bost.Med.Ctr, Brigh/Women's Hospital;Radius; Mt Auburn; Sancta Maria Youville, Arbour, Shattuck, Hebrew Rehab, community sites
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Math 099 eligible, English Composition I ENG 101, General Psychology SSI 122, Anatomy and Physiology I SCI 201
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Advanced placement into second semester for eligible LPN
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$10 application processing fee for in-state residents* \$35 for out-of-state residents \$135 for international students
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Mid March; Mid October. See <a href="http://www.rcc.mass.edu/nursing">http://www.rcc.mass.edu/nursing</a> for exact dates and details each year

**For Further Information, contact:**

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Associate Degree

**Springfield Technical Community College**  
**Springfield**

[www.stcc.edu](http://www.stcc.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes-NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	days
<b>Part Time:</b>	days
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	102 day students per class – 200 total
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Tuition:</b>	Approximately \$3000/semester
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Baystate Medical Ctr., Mercy Medical Ctr, Holyoke Medical Center, Genesis, local health agencies
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS 5
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Algebra 2 (B- or >), within 5 years of admission
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$10 in-state, \$35 out-of-state
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	March of application year

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## **BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS IN NURSING**

Baccalaureate Degree Programs in Nursing are four to five years in length and are offered at colleges or universities. A college preparatory program is recommended for admission including mathematics and science; applicants should check the criteria of individual schools. The program includes general courses in sciences, the arts and humanities, with a major in nursing including theory and clinical practice. A bachelor of Science Degree (BS) is granted at graduation. Graduates are eligible to sit for the NCLEX-RN exam.

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specific information

Baccalaureate

**Anna Maria College**

Paxton

[www.annamaria.edu](http://www.annamaria.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	Four Years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	Maximum - 50
<b>School Year:</b>	Sept - May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$13,572 per semester
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Student fees-\$1,358 per semester (does not include room/board)
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Great Worcester, MA area healthcare facilities
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	SAT, ACT (optional), TOEFL (International students only)
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Essay; letter of recommendation
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Not at this time
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40; waived if apply online
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling Admissions

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Baccalaureate

**Curry College**  
Milton

[www.curry.edu/Academics/Majors+Minors+and+Departments/Nursing/default.htm](http://www.curry.edu/Academics/Majors+Minors+and+Departments/Nursing/default.htm)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes-CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Fall and Spring
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	4 Years
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$30,700
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	\$6,895
<b>Board</b>	\$5,390
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	\$1,835
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	All area hospitals
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	SAT TOEFL
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	April 1st preferred

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**CURRY  
COLLEGE**

Baccalaureate

**Endicott College**  
Beverly

[www.endicott.edu](http://www.endicott.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes – NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes – days only
<b>Part Time:</b>	No
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	4 Years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	n/a
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30 per year
<b>School Year:</b>	September – May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$24,130
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books, Uniforms, Medical Equipment, and Clinical fee of \$350/semester
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Local Beverly, MA; downtown Boston
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	SAT or ACT
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	2 yrs. Algebra, 1 yr. Chemistry, 1 yr Biology or Anatomy & Physiology with lab
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	no LPN program
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling admission until February 15

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Baccalaureate

**Regis College**  
Weston

[www.regiscollege.edu](http://www.regiscollege.edu)

**Accredited:** Yes – NLNAC  
**Full Time:** Days, some evening classes  
**Part Time:** Evenings and weekends  
**Length of Program/Full Time:** 4 Years  
**Length of Program/Part Time:** 3 Years  
**Size of Class:** 60  
**School Year:** 9 months  
**Tuition:** \$13,000/semester  
**Financial Aid Available:** Yes  
**Housing:** Full time  
**Additional Costs:** PDA's, standardized testing  
**Clinical Education Sites:** Major greater Boston Medical centers and teaching community hospitals  
**Required Entrance Exams:** SAT ACT  
**Other Admissions Criteria:** Varies by program

**Transfer Credits Accepted:** Yes  
**Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:** No  
**Application Fee:** \$50  
**Application Deadline:** Rolling

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Baccalaureate

**Salem State University**  
Salem

[www.salemstate.edu](http://www.salemstate.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes - NLNAC and CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	N/A
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	4 years
<b>School Year:</b>	September – May
<b>Tuition:</b>	Undergrad: \$7,730 In state. \$13,970 Out of State
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Multi
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	see specific program
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	see college admissions policies
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	see specific program
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40 Nov 1-Spring, Feb 1-Fall
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	rolling admissions

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## **DIPLOMA PROGRAMS IN NURSING**

Diploma/Hospital School Programs in Nursing are two to three years in length and are offered at hospitals. A college preparatory program is recommended for admission, including mathematics and science courses; applicants should check the criteria of individual schools. The course of study includes nursing theory and practice along with general education courses including biological, social and physical sciences. The programs offer early patient contact with a wide range of clinical experience. A Diploma is granted at graduation. Graduates are eligible to sit for the NCLEX-RN exam.

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R.N. Diploma

**Signature Healthcare**  
**Brockton Hospital School of Nursing**  
Brockton

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

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes-NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evenings and Weekends
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	2 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	4 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	90 full time 60 part time
<b>School Year:</b>	August to July
<b>Tuition:</b>	Full Time: Year 1: \$20,067 Year 2:\$20,423 Part Time: Year 1: \$11,283 Year 2:\$ 13,493 Year 3: \$11,081 Year 4: \$11,052
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes, (school will specify)
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Hospitals: Brockton, Braintree Rehab, Morton, Tufts Med Ctr., NE Sinai Hanover Schools: Abington, Taunton Public Schools
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	Less than 3 years out of High School ,SAT, more than 3 years out of high school none
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Math Requirement - Algebra, C or better Science Requirement: Biology C or better. Contact school for any other requirements.
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes. C+ or Better. Sciences have to be 3 years or Less
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	November 1, January 3, March 1

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Diploma

**St. Joseph School of Nursing**  
North Providence, RI

[www.nursingri.com](http://www.nursingri.com)

<b>Accredited:</b>	National League of Nursing Accrediting Commission and the RI Department of Health Board of Nursing
<b>Full Time:</b>	yes
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	3 years
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	3 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	50-60 students accepted annually: 10:1 Student:Faculty Ratio
<b>School Year:</b>	Mid-August to Mid May
<b>Tuition:</b>	Approximately \$10,000 per year* Subject to change
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	off campus apartments available in the immediate vicinity
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	uniforms, shoes, books, licensing exam fee, state license fee, commuting expenses, recreational activities, food, living expenses.
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Principally, Our Lady of Fatima Hospital in N. Providence with specialty experiences at Hasbro Children's and Sturdy Memorial
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS)
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High School Diploma or GED, 3 Letters of Reference, Chemistry prerequisite, math/reading/writing Accuplacer Test
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$100.00
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	April 15
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## PRACTICAL NURSING PROGRAMS

Practical nursing programs are offered at hospitals, community colleges or vocational schools. Most programs are one-year full time or two years part-time. A high school diploma or GED is required for admission. Other admission requirements are determined by individual schools and may include such things as pre-entrance exams, references and an interview. Practical nursing curriculum includes nursing theory and practice, biological and behavioral sciences, and vocational issues. A diploma is granted at graduation. Graduates are eligible to sit for the NCLEX-PN exam.

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Practical Nursing

**Assabet Valley Regional Technical School**  
Marlborough

[www.assabettech.com](http://www.assabettech.com)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	No
<b>Length of Program:</b>	40 Weeks
<b>Size of Class:</b>	45
<b>School Year:</b>	September - June
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$6,500 In-district. \$16,578 Out-of-district
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	\$2,165
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Community hospitals, rehabilitation hospitals, community agencies, and long term care facilities
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Quinsigamond Community College and Middlesex Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TRAS 5.0
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High School Diploma/GED
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	None
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling admissions
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**Bay Path Regional Vocational Technical School**  
**Charlton**

**Accredited:** Yes  
**Full Time:** Evenings  
**Part Time:** No  
**Length of Program:** 10 month  
**Size of Class:** 32  
**School Year:** Aug-June  
**Financial Aid Available:** Yes  
**Housing:** None  
**Additional Costs:** \$1,200: Books and Uniforms  
**Clinical Education Sites:** Harrington Memorial Hospital & Wound Care  
Fairlawn Rehabilitation Center  
Overlook Masonic Health Center  
Meadows Rehabilitation and Nursing Center  
Radius HealthCare Center at Southbridge  
**Collegiate Affiliation:** Worcester & Fitchburg State Universities  
**Required Entrance Exams:** TEAS-V  
  
**Other Admissions Criteria:** Yes  
**Transfer Credits Accepted:** Yes  
**Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:** No  
**Application Fee:** \$75 test fee  
**Application Deadline:** March 15th

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**Berkshire Community College**  
Pittsfield

[www.berkshirecc.edu](http://www.berkshirecc.edu)

**Accredited:** NEASC/Approved by the BORN in MA  
**Full Time:** Yes  
**Part Time:** No  
**Length of Program:** 10 month  
**Size of Class:** 30  
**School Year:** September to June  
**Tuition:** Instate: \$185/credit Out State: up to \$419/credit  
(New England States \$198)  
**Financial Aid Available:** Yes  
**Housing:** No  
**Additional Costs:** Yes  
**Clinical Education Sites:** Berkshire County

**Collegiate Affiliation:** Berkshire Community College

**Required Entrance Exams:** No  
**Other Admissions Criteria:** Yes: College English, A&P, Intro Psych  
**Transfer Credits Accepted:** Yes  
**Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:** No  
**Application Fee:** \$10.00 MA resident, \$35 Out of State  
**Application Deadline:** No

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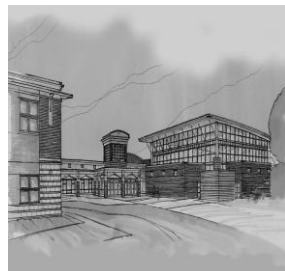
**Blackstone Valley Regional Technical High School**  
**Upton**

[www.valleytech.k12.ma.us](http://www.valleytech.k12.ma.us)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NLNAC Candidacy, DESE Ch 74
<b>Full Time:</b>	No
<b>Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	60 weeks
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30
<b>School Year:</b>	August to June
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$9,300 In-district, \$13,800 Out-of-District, \$14,700 Out-of State
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	In process
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	\$2,300 (includes seat fee)
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Community hospitals, rehabilitation hospitals, community agencies, and long term facilities
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS 5.0
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High school Diploma/GED
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$100 (includes TEAS Test Fee)
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling Admissions

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Practical Nursing

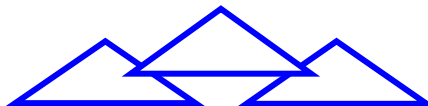
Blue Hills Regional Technical School  
Canton

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

Accredited:	Candidate for Accreditation by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	days
<b>Part Time:</b>	no
<b>Length of Program:</b>	40 weeks
<b>Size of Class:</b>	56
<b>School Year:</b>	September to June
<b>Tuition:</b>	In district \$10,500; In state \$12,000; Out of state \$13,000
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, Lab Fee \$1800 (includes books)
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Brockton Neighborhood Health Ctr, Weymouth Health Care, Ellis Nursing Center, Northeast Specialty Hospital, Stoughton, Highgate Manor
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High school transcript or GED, Recommendation Letter and an interview
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	no
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$90
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Application Completion Deadline: February 15

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**Diman Regional School of Practical Nursing**  
Fall River

[www.lpn.dimanregional.org](http://www.lpn.dimanregional.org)

<b>Accredited:</b>	NEASC and is a candidate for accreditation by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	Days
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evenings/days
<b>Length of Program:</b>	FT 40 weeks/ PT 80 weeks
<b>Size of Class:</b>	45 full time/ 25 part time
<b>School Year:</b>	August to June
<b>2008 Tuition:</b>	\$7,252 in region ( Fall River, Somerset, Swansea and Westport) determined yearly, \$12,000 out of district, \$13,000 out of state, determined yearly (refer to website)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	numerous LTC and subacute as well as community agencies
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Articulation agreement with Bristol Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	ATI TEAS Test
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High school diploma or GED; if educated outside US transcript must be evaluated. Work history, references; additional coursework
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$25
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Acceptances begin November 1 and continue until class is filled

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**Greater Lowell Technical School**  
Tyngsboro

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

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes – COE Candidacy Status
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	No
<b>Length of Program:</b>	40 weeks
<b>Size of Class:</b>	40 day division and 40 evening/weekend division
<b>School Year:</b>	2012-2013
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$6,500 in-district/\$8,200 out-of-district
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	\$500 seat reservation fee, books and uniforms
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Lowell General Hospital, Saints Medical Center, D'Youville, Palm Manor, New England Pediatric Care
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Articulation agreement with Middlesex Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Resume, 3 references, personal statement
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$125
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling admissions

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Practical Nursing

**Greenfield Community College**  
**Leeds**

[www.gcc.mass.edu/departments/nursing/](http://www.gcc.mass.edu/departments/nursing/)

**Accredited:** Yes  
**Full Time:** Yes  
**Part Time:** No  
**Length of Program:** 10 months  
**Size of Class:** 35  
**School Year:** September to June  
**Tuition:** \$6,296 (In State)

**Financial Aid Available:** yes  
**Housing:** no  
**Additional Costs:** yes  
**Clinical Education Sites:** Holyoke Hospital, VAMC, Sunbridge of Hadley, Calvin Coolidge Nursing Home, Parkview Hospital  
**Collegiate Affiliation:** Greenfield Community College

**Required Entrance Exams:** No  
**Other Admissions Criteria:** English and Math Placement Exams, Specific Science course within 5 years

**Transfer Credits Accepted:** For co-requisite courses only  
**Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:** no  
**Application Fee:** n/a  
**Application Deadline:** Rolling admissions

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Practical Nursing

**MassBay Community College**  
Framingham

[www.massbay.edu](http://www.massbay.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Board of Registration in Nursing Approval
<b>Full Time:</b>	Day
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evening
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	18 Months
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2 Years
<b>School Year:</b>	September-May
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Urban & Suburban Boston
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	No
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Placement into College Algebra (MA 098), English (EN 101) and Successful completion of Reading Assessment.
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	NA
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$20
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	1-Feb

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Practical Nursing

**Montachusett Regional Vocational Technical School**  
Fitchburg

[www.montytech.net](http://www.montytech.net)

Accredited:	Yes: Council on Occupational Education
Full Time:	evenings and weekends
Part Time:	no
Length of Program:	10 months (40 sequential weeks)
Size of Class:	40
School Year:	August to June
Tuition:	\$10,450.00 (in/out of district)
Financial Aid Available:	yes
Housing:	no
Additional Costs:	yes
Clinical Education Sites:	Hospitals: Umass Medical Center, Memorial Campus; Christopher House, Worcester, Clinton Campus; Life Care @ Highlands: Health Alliance Agencies: Heywood Hospital
Collegiate Affiliation:	Articulation agreement with Mount Wachusett Community College
Required Entrance Exams:	TEAS entrance exam
Other Admissions Criteria:	High School Diploma or equivalent
Transfer Credits Accepted:	yes
Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:	no
Application Fee:	\$110.00 (includes \$60 entrance test fee)
Application Deadline:	Yes, Third Friday in April

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Practical Nursing

**Mt. Wachusett Community College**  
Gardner

<http://www.mwcc.edu/default.html>

Accredited:	Board of Reg in Nsg (approval in proc)
Full Time:	day
Part Time:	n/a
Length of Program:	41 weeks
Size of Class:	
School Year:	Jan-Dec (Gardner)
Tuition:	\$274.00/Credit
Financial Aid Available:	yes
Housing:	no
Additional Costs:	yes
Clinical Education Sites:	North Central Mass
Collegiate Affiliation:	
Required Entrance Exams:	Yes Fall 2009 TEAS
Other Admissions Criteria:	Sciences, Math C+ or better
Transfer Credits Accepted:	yes
Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:	
Application Fee:	none
Application Deadline:	September 1

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Practical Nursing

**North Shore Community College**

Danvers

[www.northshore.edu](http://www.northshore.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	MA Board of Registration in Nursing
<b>Full Time:</b>	Full-time days
<b>Part Time:</b>	N/A
<b>Length of Program:</b>	10 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	40
<b>School Year:</b>	September to June
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$162 per credit
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Northeast Health System, Partners, and long-term care facilities and community agencies.
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	North Shore Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High School diploma or GED
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	None
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Early February

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**Roxbury Community College**  
Boston

[www.rcc.mass.edu](http://www.rcc.mass.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Approved by MA Board of Registration in Nursing and MA Department of Higher Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	days
<b>Part Time:</b>	no
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	10 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	24
<b>School Year:</b>	September-July
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$158 per credit (for MA residents)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Hebrew Rehab, Jewish Memorial, Shattuck, West Rox VA
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Roxbury Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	hs transcript or GED, health and technical standards, three college pre-requisites: Gen Psych, Human Growth & Devt, Coll. English
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$10
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Mid February. See <a href="http://www.rcc.mass.edu">www.rcc.mass.edu</a> for exact dates and details each year

**For Further Information, contact:**

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**Shawsheen Valley School of Practical Nursing**  
**Billerica**

www.shawsheentech.org

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes – Candidate for COE (Center of Occupational Education)
<b>Full Time:</b>	
<b>Part Time:</b>	Evenings/weekends
<b>Length of Program:</b>	10 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	40
<b>School Year:</b>	August - June
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$8000
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Tewksbury Hospital, New England Pediatrics, Emerson Hospital, Woodbriar, Life Care Center, Bear Hill Nursing Center
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Middlesex CC
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	NLN
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	GED or High School transcripts
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling Admissions

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## Practical Nursing

# **Southeastern Technical Institute**

South Easton, MA 02375

www.sti-tech.info

<b>Accredited:</b>	NEASC, Candidate for Accreditation by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	Monday-Friday Class Hours, 8:00-2:15P.M. Varying Clinical Hours
<b>Part Time:</b>	Tuesday – Thursday Class Hours, 4:30-9:30P.M. Clinical Hours 4:30-10:30P.M. May Vary with Course
<b>Length of Program:</b>	Days 10 Months – Starting in September & Evening 2 Years – Every other January (Even Years)
<b>Size of Class:</b>	Days 40 students – Evening 32 students
<b>School Year:</b>	<b>Days:</b> September-July <b>Evening:</b> January –June, September-June, September-January
<b>Day Tuition:</b>	7,500 (in-district residents) 9,000 (non-district residents)
<b>Eve. Tuition:</b>	9,000 (in-district residents) 12,000 (non-district residents)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes to those who qualify
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books, Fees and Uniforms
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Brockton VA, Braintree Rehabilitation Hospital, Lifecare Center of West Bridgewater, Signature Healthcare, Orchard Cove, WIC
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Advanced Placement consideration for RN Applicants
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS V
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	High school Diploma or GED, Resume two letters of reference, Interview
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	80.00
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	See Website: www.sti-tech.info
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Practical Nursing

**Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical High School**  
**Franklin**

[www.tri-county.tc/](http://www.tri-county.tc/) (Continuing Education: Practical Nursing)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Full Approval-BORN
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	10 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30
<b>Part Time:</b>	Yes (evening)
<b>Length of Program:</b>	2 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	20
<b>School Year:</b>	September-June
<b>Tuition:</b>	Full-time days: In-district: \$5500, In-State: \$12,000, Out of state: \$13,500 Part-time evening: In state: \$12,000, Out of state: \$13,500
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books, uniforms, student fee
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Extended care facilities, rehabilitation, hospital and community settings
<b>Collegiate Affiliation:</b>	Bristol Community College, Massasoit Community College
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TEAS
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Yes
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	No
<b>Nurses Aid Advanced Placement Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$25
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	February 28

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## **RN TO BSN PROGRAM**

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RN to BSN – Online Completion Program

**Anna Maria College**

Paxton

[www.annamaria.edu](http://www.annamaria.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	<b>Yes- NLNAC</b>
<b>Full Time:</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Part Time:</b>	<b>8 week online courses</b>
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	<b>2.5 years</b>
<b>Size of Class:</b>	<b>20 students per course</b>
<b>School Year:</b>	<b>Year round</b>
<b>Tuition:</b>	<b>\$1,182 per 3 credit course</b>
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Housing:</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	<b>Books</b>
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	<b>Great Worcester, MA area healthcare facilities</b>
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	<b>RN License</b>
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	<b>Up to 75 credits may be accepted</b>
<b>Application Fee:</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	<b>No deadline: Rolling Admissions</b>

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RN to BS – Baccalaureate

**Curry College**

Milton

<http://www.curry.edu/Academics/Majors+Minors+and+Departments/Nursing/default.htm>

<b>Accredited:</b>	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	2 to 2 1/2 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30
<b>School Year:</b>	fall & spring semesters
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$420.00 per credit
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	no
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	none
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Current unrestricted Massachusetts RN license
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	national challenge exams
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	up to 90 credits
<b>Application Fee:</b>	none
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	none

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RN to BSN – Baccalaureate

**Emmanuel College**  
Boston, Woburn

[gpp.emmanuel.edu](http://gpp.emmanuel.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
<b>Full Time:</b>	No
<b>Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	n/a
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	3 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	20
<b>School Year:</b>	2011-2012
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$1,720 per course
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books, Parking - optional
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	yes
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	RN licensure
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Application, transcripts, recommendations, essay, resume and interview
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	n/a
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Rolling

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EMMANUEL COLLEGE

RN to BSN – Baccalaureate

**Endicott College**  
Beverly

www.endicott.edu

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	Variable
<b>Size of Class:</b>	Variable
<b>School Year:</b>	N/A
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$287/Credit
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Greater Beverly, Merrimack Valley, Greater Boston
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	TOEFL (if English not first language), ACT/PEP if non accredited SON
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Application, Essay, Letter of Recommendation High School Transcripts, GPA 2.5 or greater from accredited AD, Diploma program, RN Licensure current and unrestricted
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	yes
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes, up to 85
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	N/A

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RN to BSN – Baccalaureate

**Framingham State University**  
Framingham

[www.framingham.edu/nursing](http://www.framingham.edu/nursing)

<b>Accredited:</b>	CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	as few as 3 semesters
<b>Size of Class:</b>	no limit
<b>School Year:</b>	September - May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$900/course (inc. all fees)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	none
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	no in-agency clinicals
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	none
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	RNs only
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	none
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Yes
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Deadline for Jan Entry- Dec 1 <sup>st</sup> Deadline for Sept Entry – Feb 15th

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**Salem State University**  
Salem

[www.salemstate.edu](http://www.salemstate.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes - NLNAC and CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	no
<b>Part Time:</b>	evenings
<b>Length of Program:</b>	varies 2-3 years depending on transfer credits
<b>Size of Class:</b>	150
<b>School Year:</b>	September - May
<b>Tuition:</b>	In State: \$765 per course Out of State: \$870 per course
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	multi
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	no
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	RN License required
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	no
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Nov 1-Spring, March 1-Fall

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**Salem State University**  
Salem

[www.salemstate.edu](http://www.salemstate.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	yes - NLNAC and CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	no
<b>Part Time:</b>	evenings
<b>Length of Program:</b>	varies 2-3 years depending on transfer credits
<b>Size of Class:</b>	150
<b>School Year:</b>	September - May
<b>Tuition:</b>	In State: \$765 per course Out of State: \$870 per course
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	yes
<b>Housing:</b>	yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	yes, school will specify
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	multi
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	no
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	LPN License required
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	no
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	yes
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Nov 1- Spring , March 1- Fall

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## **SPECIALTY CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS**

Certificate programs are designed to provide nurses with a concentration of information in a specialized field of study.

- **Curry College (Milton, MA)** **58**
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Accelerated BS in Nursing-  
Second Bachelor's Degree Program

**Curry College**  
Milton

<http://www.curry.edu/Academics/Majors+Minors+and+Departments/Nursing/default.htm>

<b>Accredited:</b>	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
<b>Full Time:</b>	summer semester
<b>Part Time:</b>	Fall and Spring
<b>Length of Program:</b>	16 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	30
<b>School Year:</b>	2010-2011
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$38,500
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Books
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Mass General Hospital, Brigham, BIDMC Women's Hospital, and South Shore Hospital and others
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	Undergraduate Degree and completed Prerequisites
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	application
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	none
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	BA or BS
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$95
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	April 1

**For Further Information, contact:**

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Graduate Certificate Program  
in Nursing Education

**Framingham State University**  
Framingham

[www.framingham.edu/dgce/nurseeducator/](http://www.framingham.edu/dgce/nurseeducator/)

<b>Accredited:</b>	no
<b>Full Time:</b>	no
<b>Part Time:</b>	yes
<b>Length of Program:</b>	one academic year
<b>School Year:</b>	September - May
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$1000/course (inc fees)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	no
<b>Housing:</b>	no
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	none
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	multiple
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	none
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	BSN, GPA or MAT
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	none
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	no
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50

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Accelerated BS in Nursing

**MGH Institute of Health Professions**  
Boston

[www.mghihp.edu](http://www.mghihp.edu)

<b>Accredited:</b>	CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	No
<b>Length of Program:</b>	14 months
<b>Size of Class:</b>	80
<b>School Year:</b>	May-July, January-March
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$53,000
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Yes-Fees
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	Yes-Partners Healthcare and Others Including community placements
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	No
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Yes
<b>Prior Learning Assessments/Exemption Exams:</b>	Challenge exams accepted for some prerequisites
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	N/A
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$100
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	November 1 <sup>st</sup> for following May July 1 <sup>st</sup> for following January

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Accelerated B.S.N.

**Simmons College**  
**Boston**

www.simmons.edu

<b>Accredited:</b>	Yes, CCNE
<b>Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Part Time:</b>	Available through 2/3 year nursing sequence options
<b>Length of Program/Full Time:</b>	18 months
<b>Length of Program/Part Time:</b>	2/3 years
<b>Size of Class:</b>	50 (accelerated program)
<b>School Year:</b>	Summer, fall , spring
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$4,436 per 4-credit course (56 credits for BSN plus meeting general Simmons graduation requirements)
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Additional Costs:</b>	Cost of clinical built into tuition
<b>Clinical Education Sites:</b>	See <a href="http://www.simmons.edu/snhs/about/clinical-placements/nursing.php">http://www.simmons.edu/snhs/about/clinical-placements/nursing.php</a>
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	None with first earned bachelor's degree
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Visit <a href="http://www.simmons.edu/adultbsn">www.simmons.edu/adultbsn</a> for complete list of requirements
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted:</b>	Up to 80 non-nursing
<b>Advanced Placement for LPN's Available:</b>	No
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$55
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	April 1 <sup>st</sup> (accelerated BSN); priority application review deadline is January 1st

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## **MASTER’S & DOCTORAL DEGREE PROGRAMS IN NURSING**

Graduate programs in nursing are designed to prepare nurses for advanced practice and research. Nurses in advanced practice are professionals committed to the delivery and study of high-quality nursing practice.

**Master’s programs** offer clinical specialization in a variety of areas. These programs may also offer preparation in the nurse educator or manager role. Some programs may offer dual degrees with other disciplines, such as business or public health. Program length may vary according to specialization requirements. Part-time study may be available for the working nurse. Upon successful program completion, a master’s degree is awarded. Where applicable, graduates may sit for specialization certification exams.

**Doctoral programs** focus on nursing knowledge development through original research so graduates may assume roles as scholars in a variety of settings. Upon successful program completion, a doctor’s degree is awarded.

- **Emmanuel College (Boston, MA)** **63**
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**Emmanuel College**  
**Graduate and Professional Programs**  
Boston

www.gpp.emmanuel.edu

**Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Nursing
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Education Management
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Nurse educators- National League for Nursing (NLN) Nurse administrators – American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Weekday evenings, 5 to 8 pm
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	No
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	\$815
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	None
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Application, transcripts, recommendations, essay, resume and interview
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	6
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Ongoing

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EMMANUEL COLLEGE

## Master's & Doctoral Program

### **Endicott College**

Beverly

[www.endicott.edu](http://www.endicott.edu)

#### **Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Nurse Educator, Nurse Administrator
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Nurse Educator, Nurse Administrator
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	Candidate Status 8/11-8/13
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Evening, Weekend
<b>Minimum Credit Hour Requirement:</b>	N/A
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	No
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	\$578
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	GRE/MAT
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Statement of professional goals, transcripts undergraduate and graduate work, 2 Letters of recommendation, RN Licensure current and unrestricted, Basic statistics course, admission interview, TOEFL required if English is not first language
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	6
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Ongoing

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## Master's Program

### **Framingham State University**

Framingham

[www.framingham.edu/dgce/msn](http://www.framingham.edu/dgce/msn)

#### **Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	yes
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Nursing leadership or nursing education
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Sit for Certified nurse educator (CNE) after two years full time employment
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	CCNE
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	no
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Students stay in cohorts throughout the two year program
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Hybrid programs meeting face to face every other week, Online coursework during other weeks. Nursing leadership cohort meets Wednesday evenings 5-9 PM. Nursing education cohort meets Tuesday evenings from 5-9 PM.
<b>Minimum Credit Hour Requirement:</b>	Masters 36 credits – Nine 4 credit courses
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	Yes
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	\$248.75
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	MAT required for those with GPA less than 3.0 overall and less than 3.25 in nursing courses
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Statistics course with C or better – Two letters of recommendation – 300 word personal statement – Personal Interview – Computer literacy
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	Only nurse educator certificate credits from Framingham State University
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	July 1 even years Classes only accepted every two years

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**Framingham**  
State University

## Master's & Doctoral Programs

### **MGH Institute of Health Professions**

Boston

[www.mghihp.edu](http://www.mghihp.edu)

#### **Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Yes
<b>RN to MS:</b>	Yes
<b>MS/Dual Degree:</b>	No
<b>Generic Master's:</b>	Yes
<b>Doctoral:</b>	DNP
<b>Other Programs:</b>	Post-master's program for RN with MSN degree, Certificate of Advanced Study
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Acute Care, Family, Adult/Gerontology, Pediatric, Psych/Mental Health, Women's Health
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	CCNE Accredited
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	only for students holding RN licensure
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Mornings, Afternoons, Evenings
<b>Minimum Credit Hour Requirement:</b>	91-100 SH: non-nurse baccalaureate degree holders; 46-68 SH: RNs with baccalaureate, AD or Diploma
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	Optional
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	\$106
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	No
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	GRE for Direct Entry students, waived for RN's on completion of two courses with B grade
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Yes
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	Yes, maximum number - 9
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$100
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Direct-Entry MS in Nursing – January 10 <sup>th</sup> for Fall entry

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## Master's and Doctoral Program

### **Regis College** Weston

[www.regiscollege.edu](http://www.regiscollege.edu)

#### **Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Yes
<b>RN to MS:</b>	Yes
<b>Generic Master's:</b>	Yes
<b>Doctoral:</b>	Yes
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization- Master's:</b>	PNP, FNP, Psych, Womens health
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization- Doctoral:</b>	Education, Leadership
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	NLNAC
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Days, Evenings and Weekends
<b>Doctoral Program Full Time:</b>	No
<b>Doctoral Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Doctoral Program Class Times:</b>	Weekends, Intensives
<b>Minimum Credit Hour Requirement:</b>	Varies by program
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	no
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	Varies by program
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Ful time students only
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	May be waived
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Application, 2 references, essay
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	6 credits
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Doctoral</b>	6 credits
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$50
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	rolling

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## Master's Program

# Salem State University Salem

[www.salemstate.edu](http://www.salemstate.edu)

Program: Direct Entry	Yes
MS:	Yes
RN to MS:	Yes
MS/Dual Degree:	Yes, MSN/MBA
Generic Master's (this is Direct Entry):	Yes
Doctoral:	No
Other Programs:	Nursing Education Certificate
Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:	Education, Administration, Rehabilitation Clinical Specialist
Master's Program Accredited:	Yes (CCNE, NLNAC)
Master's Program Full Time:	Yes
Master's Program Part Time:	Yes
Master's Program Class Times:	Evening/weekend/web-enhanced
Minimum Credit Hour Requirement:	No
Thesis Required for Master's:	No; capstone research project
Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:	In State: \$945/3 credit course Out of State: \$1215/3 credit course
Financial Aid Available:	Yes, if full-time
Housing:	No
Required Entrance Exams:	MAT or GRE; GMAT for MSN/MBA
Other Admissions Criteria:	See SSU Graduate School website <a href="http://www.salemstate.edu/graduate">www.salemstate.edu/graduate</a>
Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:	9 credits
Transfer Credits Accepted-Doctoral:	N/A
Doctoral:	N/A
Application Fee:	\$40
Application Deadline:	Rolling admissions
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Master's & Doctoral Programs

**School of Nursing & Health Sciences**  
**Simmons College**

Boston, MA

[www.snhs.edu](http://www.snhs.edu)

**Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Yes
<b>RN to MS:</b>	Yes
<b>MS(Direct Entry)</b>	Yes
<b>MS/Dual Track Specialty :</b>	No
<b>Doctoral:</b>	DNP
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Family (FNP)
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	CCNE
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes(Full-time first 18 months for Direct Entry)
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Day, evenings
<b>Doctoral Program Full Time:</b>	No
<b>DNP can be part-time:</b>	Yes
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	No(Research project instead)
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	\$1,050 for all MS/DNP except \$1,128 for Direct Entry for 2011-'12
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Yes(Graduate Housing: single rooms)
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	None
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	Varies see web site; <a href="http://www.snhs.edu">www.snhs.edu</a>
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	2 courses
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Doctoral</b>	2 courses
<b>Application Fee:</b>	Varies by program
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	Varies by program

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## Master's & Doctoral Programs

### **University of Massachusetts Worcester** **Graduate School of Nursing** Worcester

[www.umassmed.edu/gsn/](http://www.umassmed.edu/gsn/)

#### **Program:**

<b>MS:</b>	Graduate Entry Pathway, Pre-Master's Pathway, Post-Masters Certificate Program, Traditional Master's Pathway
<b>MS/Dual Track Specialty :</b>	Dual Track with Gerontological Nurse Practitioner Specialty
<b>Doctoral:</b>	PhD and DNP
<b>Areas of Concentration/Clinical Specialization-Master's:</b>	Adult Acute/Critical Care Nurse Practitioner Specialty; Adult Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Specialty; Dual Track Adult Acute/Critical Care and Gerontological Nurse Practitioner Specialty; Dual Track Adult Primary Care and Gerontological Nurse Practitioner Specialty; Nurse Educator Specialty; Family Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Specialty (GEP ONLY) Subspecialties: Cancer Care, Cardiovascular Care, Correctional Health Care, Gerontological Care and Nurse Educator , Genetics Care
<b>Graduates Eligible to Sit for Certification Exams:</b>	Nurse Practitioner eligible upon graduation. Nurse educators are eligible after 2 years of teaching experience
<b>Master's Program Accredited:</b>	CCNE
<b>Master's Program Full Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Part Time:</b>	Yes
<b>Master's Program Class Times:</b>	Classes generally held one day a week, Clinical days vary by program
<b>Doctoral Program Full Time: DNP can be part-time</b>	Classes generally held one day a week
<b>Thesis Required for Master's:</b>	No
<b>Tuition Per Course Credit Hour:</b>	For instate residents state courses are \$110/credit hour, and continuing education courses are \$300/credit hour. Call for further information on tuition and fees for NE Regional and out of state students as well as the cost for the Graduate Entry Pathway.
<b>Financial Aid Available:</b>	Yes
<b>Housing:</b>	Not Available
<b>Required Entrance Exams:</b>	GRE
<b>Other Admissions Criteria:</b>	3 Letters of Recommendation, Personal Essay, Resume, Transcripts from all institutions attended
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Master's:</b>	9 credits (0 credits accepted to GEP program)
<b>Transfer Credits Accepted-Doctoral:</b>	6 credits
<b>Application Fee:</b>	\$40.00 In-State; \$60.00 Out-of-State

**Application Deadline:**

Traditional and Pre- Masters-April 15, PhD-  
March 15,  
DNP-May 1, GEP-January 15th

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