Admission Requirements for Applicants with a BSN (Traditional Pathway)

1. Submit a FGCU graduate application for admission, provide the following documents, and satisfy all applicable university admission requirements: https://www.fgcu.edu/ admissionsandaid/graduateadmissions/

    (1) Provide official transcript(s) for all colleges and universities attended including, a bachelor's degree transcript from a nationally accredited nursing program or the equivalent bachelor's degree in nursing from a foreign institution.
    (2) Show evidence of a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

2. Submit a supplemental application for admission in NursingCAS, and provide the following documents: http://www.nursingcas.org/. These instructions are included in the NursingCAS application.

    (1) Upload unofficial transcript(s) for all colleges and universities attended, including a bachelor's degree transcript from a nationally accredited nursing program or the equivalent bachelor's degree in nursing from a foreign institution.
    (2) Show evidence of a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
    (3) Provide evidence that the following courses have been completed at the undergraduate level with a grade of C or better, prior to admission: Statistics, Health Assessment, and Pathophysiology.
    (4) Provide evidence of current and unrestricted registered nurse's license, or eligibility for RN licensure in Florida.
    (5) Provide evidence of a minimum of one year current practice experience as a registered nurse.
    (6) Submit a current resume.
    (7) Submit a statement of career goals.
    (8) For applicants who have attended, but not completed another MSN program, provide a letter of standing from the dean of the school of nursing (or designee) that addresses the following: Performance in the prior program, potential for success in the prior graduate program, interpersonal communication skills, and other information as determined by the dean.

Applicants must also provide a waiver granting the Graduate Admission and Progression Committee permission to contact the program(s) attended to verify information.