



# **ATB** ASSOCIATE TO BACHELOR'S NURSING DEGREE OPTION

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

## **General Information for this Face to Face Option\***

(\*one NDMU nursing course is online; some general education courses are offered online)

### **I. General Program Information**

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

Program length is 10 terms, including summer and winter sessions, and it takes approximately 3 years to complete.

CCBC courses will be held at the CCBC Essex or Catonsville campuses; NDMU courses will be taken at the NDMU campus. Two degrees will be awarded: Associate of Science from CCBC and Bachelor of Science in Nursing from NDMU (where a minimum of 33 credits will be required from NDMU to graduate with the BSN).

Advisors will be available from both CCBC and NDMU.

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

### **II. Program Admission Requirements**

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

### **III. ATB Program Progression**

Students must remain in CCBC's nursing program to continue in the ATB option.

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

Students must successfully pass the NCLEX-RN to complete the remaining Notre Dame of MD University courses.

#### IV. General Application Procedures

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

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

1. Apply to the College of Adult Undergraduate Studies online or download application at <http://www.ndm.edu/admissions/college-of-adult-undergraduate/apply-for-admission/>
2. Submit the \$45 non-refundable application fee, no deposit or seat fee required. **If you use the PDF form, application fee will be waived.**
3. Have official, sealed transcripts for all colleges/universities that you have attended sent to:  
Admissions, College of Adult Undergraduate Studies-CCBC-NDMU ATB Program  
Notre Dame of Maryland University  
4701 North Charles Street  
Baltimore, MD 21210
4. The CCBC NDMU Collaborative ATB Committee will review applications for admission.
5. Student will be notified by mail with admission decision.

#### V. Tuition and Fees

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

#### VI. Non-Nursing Course Requirements

| Requirements for<br>CCBC Associate Degree RN Program |                       |      | Additional Requirements for<br>Admission to the NDMU<br>Associate to Bachelor's Option   |  | Additional Non-Nursing NDMU<br>Requirements to Award the Bachelor of<br>Science in Nursing |  |
|--|-----------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| ENGL 101   | College Composition I | 3 cr | <div>MATH 153   Statistics    </div> |  |  |  |

#### VI. For more information:

For CCBC related questions/course advising, contact Karen Wons, ATB Coordinator at [atbnursing@ccbcmd.edu](mailto:atbnursing@ccbcmd.edu) .  
For NDMU related questions/course advising, contact Erica Brinkley, DNP, RN, Assistant Professor, Nursing at [ebrinkley@ndm.edu](mailto:ebrinkley@ndm.edu) or Mona Weber, Director of Admissions, Adult Education at [mweber@ndm.edu](mailto:mweber@ndm.edu)

## CCBC – Notre Dame of Maryland University ATB Nursing Curriculum Plan\*\*

### Fall Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional CCBC Core courses before beginning nursing sequence.)

| Term 1<br>Fall 2017   | Term 2<br>Winter 2018  | Term 3<br>Spring 2018  | Term 4<br>Summer 2018   | Term 5<br>Fall 2018  |
|---|--|--|---|--|
| <u>CCBC NURN 153</u><br>Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts<br>6 credits/ 14 wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 155</u><br>Health Assessment/ Health Promotion<br>2 credits/14wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 129</u><br>Professional Nursing Role<br>1 credit/14 wks | <u>CCBC PHIL 101</u><br>Intro to Philosophy<br>3 credits/3wks  | <u>CCBC NURN 160</u><br>Nursing Concepts I<br>6 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 218</u><br>Maternal Newborn Concepts<br>3 credits/6weeks<br><br><u>NDMU HIS 101</u><br>Dynamics of History<br>3 credits/8 wks online | <u>NDMU RST 201</u><br>Intro to Biblical Studies<br>3 credits/ 8 wks online<br><br><b>AND</b><br><br><u>NDMU PHIL 339</u><br>Medical Ethics<br>3 credits/ 8wks  | <u>CCBC NURN 217</u><br>Mental Health Concepts<br>3 credits/ 6 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 234</u><br>Nursing Concepts II<br>5 credits/7 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 229</u><br>Professional Practice Concepts<br>1 credit/7 weeks   |
| 9 credits   | 3 credits  | 12 credits   | 6 credits   | 12 credits   |
| Term 6<br>Winter 2019   | Term 7<br>Spring 2019  | Term 8 - No Classes<br>Summer 2019   | Term 9<br>Fall 2019   | Term 10<br>Spring 2020   |
|   | <u>CCBC NURN 222</u><br>Pediatric Nursing Concepts<br>3 credits/6 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 236</u><br>Nursing Concepts III<br>6 credits/8 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC English Lit</u><br>3 credits<br><br><b>A.S. Degree Awarded</b> | <u>NCLEX – RN Licensure Exam</u>   | <u>NDMU NUR 300</u><br>Foundation of Caring Science 1 credit/<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 302</u><br>Caring Approach to Practice 3 credits/ 8 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU BIO 260</u><br>Genetics & Genomics<br>3 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 313</u><br>Holistic Health Assessment Across the Lifespan for Professional Nurses<br>4 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 420</u><br>Nursing Research for Professional Nurses<br>3 credits/8 wks | <u>NDMU 400</u><br>Informatics Systems for Caring Practice<br>3 credits/8 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 411</u><br>Healthy Aging for Professional Nurses<br>3 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 412</u><br>Population Health for through a caring lens<br>4 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 440</u><br>Caring Nursing Leadership for Professional Nurses<br>3 credits/<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 450</u><br>Capstone Experience<br>1 credit/8 wks<br><br><b>BSN Degree Awarded</b><br>upon completion of NDMU requirements |
| 3 credits   | 12 credits   |  | 14 credits  | 14 credits   |

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## Spring Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional CCBC Core courses before beginning nursing sequence.)

| Term 1<br>Spring 2017   | Term 2<br>Summer 2017  | Term 3<br>Fall 2017   | Term 4<br>Winter 2018   | Term 5<br>Spring 2018   |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| <u>CCBC NURN 153</u><br>Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts<br>6 credits/ 14 wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 155</u><br>Health Assessment/ Health Promotion<br>2 credits/14wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 129</u><br>Professional Nursing Role<br>1 credit/14 wks | <u>CCBC PHIL 101</u><br>Intro to Philosophy<br>3 credits/  | <u>CCBC NURN 160</u><br>Nursing Concepts I<br>6 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 218</u><br>Maternal Newborn Concepts<br>3 credits/6weeks<br><br><u>NDMU HIS 101</u><br><b>Dynamics of History</b><br>3 credits/8 wks online | <u>CCBC English Lit</u><br>3 credits  | <u>CCBC NURN 217</u><br>Mental Health Concepts<br>3 credits/ 6 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 234</u><br>Nursing Concepts II<br>5 credits/7 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 229</u><br>Professional Practice Concepts<br>1 credit/7 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU PHIL 339</u><br><b>Medical Ethics</b><br>3 credits/ 8wks                  |
| 9 credits   | 3 credits  | 12 credits  |   | 12 credits  |
| Term 6<br>Summer 2018   | Term 7<br>Fall 2018  | Term 8 -<br>Winter 2019   | Term 9<br>Spring 2019   | Term 10<br>Summer 2019  |
| <u>NDMU RST 390</u><br>Contemporary Spirituality<br>3 credits/4wks online   | <u>CCBC NURN 222</u><br>Pediatric Nursing Concepts<br>3 credits/6 weeks<br><br><u>CCBC NURN 236</u><br>Nursing Concepts III<br>6 credits/8 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU BIO 260</u><br><b>Genetics &amp; Genomics</b><br>3 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 411</u><br><b>Healthy Aging for Professional Nurses</b><br>3 credits/8 wks<br><br><b>A.S. Degree Awarded</b> | <u>NCLEX – RN Licensure Exam</u>  | <u>NDMU NUR 300</u><br>Foundation of Caring Science 1 credits/<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 302</u><br>Caring Approach to Practice 3 credits / 8 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU 400</u> Informatics Systems for Caring Practice 3credits/ 8 weeks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 313</u><br>Holistic Health Assessment Across the Lifespan for Professional Nurses 4 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 420</u><br>Nursing Research for Professional Nurses 3 credits/8 wks | <u>NDMU NUR 412</u><br>Population Health for through a caring lens 4 credits/8 wks<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 440</u><br>Caring Nursing Leadership for Professional Nurses 3 credits/<br><br><u>NDMU NUR 450</u><br>Capstone Experience 1 credit/8 wks<br><br><b>BSN Degree Awarded</b><br>upon completion of NDMU requirements |
| 3 credits   | 15 credits   |   | 14 credits  | 8 credits   |

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