



GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

School Nurse



ABOUT THIS CERTIFICATE

For those with a current RN license and a bachelor's degree, this certificate program provides education that will lead to increased confidence and competence as a school nurse and leader in schools. Completion of this certificate offers eligibility for students to sit for the PEL-CSN exam.

AT A GLANCE

- **DELIVERY**
Online
- **CREDIT HOURS**
10 credit hours
- **TIME FRAME**
2 semesters
- **START**
Summer term
- **WHEN TO APPLY**
Sept. 1–March 1

Improve your marketability
and train to be an advocate for
children and families.

Plan of Study

SUMMER SEMESTER

CREDIT
HOURS

NUR 416 The School Nurse as Educator

4

Focuses on the role of the school nurse in the educational setting with an emphasis on needs of the exceptional child.

NUR 417 Theoretical Foundations of School Health

3

Focuses on principles of population health and case management of children with chronic conditions.

FALL SEMESTER

NUR 418 Practicum in School Nursing

3

Practicum in the application of educational learning, child development, population health, and health promotion theory in the school setting. Requires 300 clinical hours.

FEATURES

ONLINE CLASSES

Our flexible online format makes it easier to balance a busy work and personal life.

BOARD-APPROVED

This program is approved by the Illinois State Board of Education.

PEL-CERTIFIED FACULTY

Receive supportive, quality instruction from faculty who are PEL-Certified School Nurses.



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