

Graduate Programs

Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing

Degree: Doctor of Nursing Practice (BSN-DNP)

Concentration: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner



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Application Deadlines

Domestic Students

Summer February 1

No Fall acceptance

No Spring acceptance

International Students

Summer February 1

No Fall acceptance

No Spring acceptance

Important information about applying to Graduate School:

- ✓ **Official Transcripts:** Official Transcripts and/or Official Foreign Credential Evaluations must be received from each college or university attended. For more information on how to send transcripts, please visit our website: fau.edu/graduate/apply
- ✓ **Supporting documentation:** Supplemental documents should be uploaded as separate files as part of the online graduate application. NOTE: You will not be able to submit your application until all the supplemental materials are uploaded.
- ✓ **Conduct:** A "yes" answer to either of the conduct questions on the online application will require a written explanation. Additional information may be requested when your application is under review. Applications will not be fully processed until all conduct issues are cleared.
- ✓ **Application status:** Once your application has been submitted, you can check your application status online to ensure transcripts and test scores have been received.
- ✓ **Residency classification:** Your residency classification automatically defaults to non-Florida. After you are admitted, the residency officer will request additional documents by email if needed.

Admission Requirements

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Note: International BSN programs are not accredited by U.S. accrediting bodies

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- Resume or CV
- Current (or eligible for) RN license
- Undergraduate Prerequisites: Nursing Research and Statistics
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- A course-by-course evaluation with GPA calculation of international transcripts is required; FAU will evaluate transcripts internally or must be done by NACES member
- TOEFL score of 500 - IBT 61; IELTS 6.0; Duolingo 90