

Nursing Prerequisite Equivalency Guide

The School of Nursing created this equivalency guide to assist students in their prerequisite coursework planning. The following table shows the courses offered that meet our corresponding prerequisite requirements. It is important to remember this is only a guide. It is not necessarily an exhaustive list; other courses may fulfill these prerequisites. We strive to maintain current information; however course numbers and descriptions do change. Courses are officially evaluated as part of the application review process. For any particular course in question not listed below, please send a request for equivalency evaluation to ugadmit@son.wisc.edu.

Prerequisite	Course Options (most common)	Alternative Courses (to satisfy prerequisite)
Chemistry (incl. lab)	CHEM 105 General Chemistry I	CHEM 106 General Chemistry II
Microbiology	BIOL 355 General Microbiology	CHEM 320 Organic Chemistry Lecture I CHEM 321 Organic Chemistry Lecture II CHEM 360 Introduction to Biochemistry BIOL 440 Cell Biology
Human Anatomy	*BIOL 270 Human Anatomy and Physiology I <i>and</i> BIOL 280 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	
Human Physiology (incl. lab)	*BIOL 270 Human Anatomy and Physiology I <i>and</i> BIOL 280 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	
Psychology (introductory)	PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology	

* When anatomy and physiology are taught as part of a two-course sequence (i.e., A&P I, A&P II), students must complete both courses at the same institution.

Sociology (introductory)	ANTH 101 The Human Experience SOCI 101 Introduction to Sociology SOCI 200 Social Problems SOCI 201 Global Social Problems SOCI/GST 210 Sociology of Gender SOCI 273 Race and Ethnicity	This prerequisite can be satisfied by any undergraduate course in the Sociology Department that is not a sociology statistics, topics, methods, applied skills or practicum, independent or directed studies course, seminar, workshop, field work, or internship. This includes but is not limited to: SOCI 300 Chinese Societies SOCI 369 Sociology of Work SOCI 371 Social Theory SOCI 423 Environmental Sociology SOCI 424 Sociology of Education SOCI 427 Sociology of Time SOCI/HIST 450 The Construction of Race and Nationality SOCI 460 Social Class SOCI 464 Social Change SOCI 466 Social Psychology-Sociology
Human Growth and Development	PSYC 372 Child and Adolescent Development PSYC 373 Adulthood and Aging	T ED 253 Human Development PSYC 451 Child Development PSYC 452 Adolescence PSYC 453 Adulthood