ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
RN-DNP

The RN-DNP program begins in the fall or spring semester. Required application materials can be _submitted as they are completed, but all materials must be received before admission consideration._ Review of completed applicant files requires 3 to 4 weeks.

Complete applications are reviewed on a rolling basis

Applicants with a Registered Nurse (RN) license:

- A 3.0 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale) in the last 60 hours of college enrollment
- RN Licensure from Iowa or a Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) state
- Completion of a course in statistics (3 credit hours)
- Completion of a diversity course (3 credit hours)
- RN-DNP applicants will receive 71 credit hours of articulation credit for completion of RN education and RN licensure. 26 additional credits must be completed, including a statistics course and a diversity course prior to matriculation.

RN Applicants with a Non-Nursing Bachelor's Degree:

- A 3.0 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale) in the last 60 hours of college enrollment
- RN Licensure from Iowa or a Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) state
- Completion of a course in statistics (3 credit hours)

Applicants whose first language is not English must prove English proficiency prior to admission consideration.

Meeting admission criteria does not guarantee admission into the program. Allen College uses a holistic admission review. The process balances academic achievement, work experience, extra-curricular involvement, leadership, community service, diversity, as well as other applicable life experiences. Top applicants are accepted each term.

According to Subrule 2.10(6) nursing courses with a clinical component may not be taken by a person a) who has been denied licensure by the board; b) whose license is currently suspended, surrendered or revoked in any United States jurisdiction; or c) whose license/registration is currently suspended, surrendered or revoked in another country due to disciplinary action. Students must notify the Office of Enrollment Management if they are in violation of this code.

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