**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**Nursing (For the Registered Nurse)**

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**DEGREE INFORMATION**

The Pennsylvania State University offers registered nurses the opportunity to earn a baccalaureate degree at Penn State New Kensington.

The degree earned is a Bachelor of Science with a Major in Nursing. The mode of delivery is adjusted to permit adults with community, family, and occupational time constraints to pursue the degree with relative convenience in their home area.

While enrolled in the program, there is opportunity to acquire the skills and knowledge necessary to provide comprehensive nursing care to individuals, families, groups and communities. Opportunities to work collaboratively with faculty in designing experiences in the clinical setting that meet individual student needs is another feature.

The program is designed for full-time and part-time students in mind, allowing for individualized attention.

- Thirty-three credits are awarded for nursing to all students who graduate from a diploma or associate degree program WITHOUT having to take challenging examinations.
- All nursing courses are offered on one evening per week and in an accelerated 7 1/2 week format, this offers the opportunity to complete two or more nursing courses in a semester.
- General education courses are offered in the evening, on Saturdays and during the summer, with some being in an accelerated format.
- Students can complete the program full-time in three or four academic semesters or can progress part-time at their own pace.
- There is no statute of limitations on credits completed.
- Selected nursing courses are offered at Westmoreland County Community College, Youngwood Pa.

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HRSA Repayment Information for Nurses:  
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