Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.Sc.N.) is a collaborative nursing degree program between George Brown College, Ryerson University and Centennial College. This four-year degree meets new entry-to-practice requirements adopted by the College of Nurses of Ontario and is a requirement for anyone wishing to work as a Registered Nurse in the province of Ontario. Graduates will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (B.Sc.N.) from Ryerson University.

Following successful completion of this program, graduates will be eligible to write the Registered Nursing examination (NCLEX), and after passing, will be granted a Certificate of Registration by the College of Nurses of Ontario and be eligible to practice as a Registered Nurse in the province of Ontario.

NOTE: The program is currently undergoing a curriculum redevelopment. Students admitted in Fall 2017 will be the final class enrolled in the current curriculum. Admissions in Fall 2018 will be enrolled into a newly developed curriculum.

The program is offered at three sites:

- George Brown College
- Ryerson University
- Centennial College

As a George Brown student, you’ll spend your first two years studying on-site at our state-of-the-art Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at our Waterfront Campus. You will then join the Centennial and Ryerson cohorts to complete your final two years at Ryerson University. Your clinical practice will be supervised by George Brown College faculty. For more information on this collaboration, please visit nursingdegree.ca

The program is committed to preparing nursing leaders who are highly competent, knowledgeable and committed to playing an integral role in shaping our health care future.

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Tuition

$7,367.00 *

ADDITIONAL COST

*Amounts listed are the total of tuition, materials, student service and ancillary fees for the first two semesters of programs starting in fall 2016. Fees are subject to change for programs starting in fall 2017 and at later dates.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

IMPORTANT OSAP-RELATED INFORMATION:

- During year one and year two of your program at George Brown College, your OSAP application should mention George Brown College as your educational institution on your OSAP application.
- During year three and year four of your program at Ryerson University, your OSAP application should mention Ryerson University as your educational institution.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.Sc.N.) is a collaborative nursing degree program between George Brown College, Ryerson University and Centennial College.

As a student in this program, you’ll have the opportunity to take courses in:

- nursing theory and practice
- the arts
- biological sciences
- humanities

This program will teach you to work with:

- persons and communities of diverse backgrounds and ages
- degrees of health and illnesses in a variety of contexts

George Brown faculty are:

- experts in professional nursing practice and teaching of nursing
- leaders within the nursing community
- actively engaged in clinical nursing practice and research

Students are placed in a wide range of nursing practice settings and multiplicity of nursing roles. Nursing experiences occur primarily in community settings and hospitals within the Greater Toronto Area (GTA). Travel to various agencies throughout Toronto is an expectation.
PART TIME STUDY OPTIONS

Internationally educated nurses who do not possess the equivalent of a B.Sc.N. and need a bridging program to Post-R.N. accreditation may be interested in the Academic Pathway for Nurses program.

See the Continuing Education Course Guide at coned.georgebrown.ca

PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

Each George Brown College degree program is designed to deliver degree-level, discipline-specific program learning outcomes. Program learning outcomes are statements that describe the knowledge and skills that students are expected to demonstrate by the end of their program of study.

Degree learning outcomes must include exposure to a breadth of learning beyond the core disciplinary or vocational field of a program, to increase students' awareness of the society and culture in which they live and work. This breadth requirement is addressed through additional mandatory Liberal Studies courses in the program curriculum.

To see the relevant program learning outcomes for your specific program of study, please visit georgebrown.ca/programs/learning-standards-and-outcomes

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Note: Students are required to take three lower level Liberal Studies electives over four possible semesters (Year 1 and Year 2).

### Articulation Agreement

Applicants admitted to the Fall 2017 will be the last cohort admitted to the posted curriculum. Students who are delayed in their completion of the program maybe required to complete the new curriculum, which will be introduced in Fall 2018.

### Your Career

Following successful completion of the B.Sc.N. program, graduates can apply to write the Registered Nursing examination. After successfully passing the examination, graduates will be granted a Certificate of Registration by the College of Nurses of Ontario and be eligible to practice as Registered Nurses in the province of Ontario.

Registered Nurses meet a wide range of simple to complex health-care needs, providing care to:

- individuals
- families
- groups
- communities
- populations

Registered Nurses take a broad approach to client care, and analyze and synthesize a wide range of information using a variety of theories and clinical tools.

Registered Nurses work independently or as members of a health-care team. They provide nursing leadership to the care team and act as co-ordinators of care for clients whose needs are complex.

In specific circumstances, Registered Nurses who meet certain criteria have additional authority to perform select controlled acts without an order and to delegate controlled acts.

Registered Nurses are expected to adhere to the standards of the College of Nurses of Ontario (CNO). These standards require them to be accountable for their decisions and actions and to maintain competence throughout their careers.

### Admission Requirements

Applicants are selected on the basis of their academic achievement, including the required courses, and any other selection criteria outlined below.

### What you need:

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent with six Grade 12 (M or U) courses including:
  - Grade 12 English (ENG4U)
  - Grade 12 Biology (SBI4U)
  - Grade 12 Chemistry (SCH4U)
  - Grade 11 Math (M or U) MCF3M, MCR3U or Grade 12 (U) MHF4U, MCV4U, MDM4U

The grade(s) required in the subject prerequisites (normally in the 70–75 range) will be subject to competition. Candidates may be required to present averages/grades above the minimum.

This is a highly competitive program. As a result, all applications, including all supporting documentation (official transcripts, Supplementary Application Forms, outstanding grades, etc.), must be received on or before the equal consideration deadline date of February 1.

### Mature Student Applicants:

- Must be 21 years of age by December 31 of the year in which they will commence studies; must have been away from formal education for at least two years; and must be Canadian Citizens, or permanent residents, or sponsored by a Canadian governmental agency.
- Mature students must also have Grade 12 (U) courses (or equivalent) in English, Biology and Chemistry, and Math at the 12U or Grade 11 (M or U level), or higher.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

### Notes:

- ENG4U/EAE4U is the preferred English credit.
- All applicants not currently enrolled in a full-time high school program, or, at the request of George Brown College, must also complete the Collaborative Nursing Supplementary Application Form found here: ryerson.ca/nursingdegree/admissions
- Applicants who have been absent from full-time formal education for a period of 10 years or longer must repeat prerequisite subjects to ensure currency of knowledge and preparedness for the program.
- Applicants with prior university or college study must present a minimum combined grade point average (CGPA) of 2.33 (C+) and be considered “In Good Standing” with no failures in core prerequisite subjects in order to be considered. Higher CGPAs/averages may be required subject to competition.
- Only applications to the first year of the Nursing program will be considered, and consideration is limited to applicants without prior post-secondary studies in Nursing. Advanced standing for students with prior Nursing studies cannot be considered.
- For more information you may visit our program website at nursingdegree.ca

This is a Collaborative program that follows Ryerson University's Admissions Policy on the collection of documents:
"You are personally responsible for the submission of both secondary and all postsecondary school academic transcripts, regardless of the date of completion and the country of origin. You should make all the necessary arrangements for submission of required transcripts at the time of application to ensure documents are received by applicable deadlines. Academic studies required for admission must be completed or in progress at the time of application. Transcripts must show the individual marks or grades achieved in each course or subject taken, as well as the diploma/degree awarded (if applicable).

If your documents are in a language other than English, you must provide the documents in the original languages, as well as certified/notarized literal English translations."

ADDITIONAL NURSING PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with the policy of the program, the Public Hospitals Act, other legislation and the requirements of the practice placement settings, the Practice Requirements Record must be completed in its entirety by your healthcare provider and all supporting documents must be attached. Practice Requirements Record form with full instructions can be obtained from the GBC-Clinical Preplacement Office at www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/nursing.

Requisite Skills and Abilities for Nurses

Applicants who wish to qualify to become a registered nurse in Ontario are strongly encouraged to review the requisite skills for nurses listed on the College of Nurses website.

English Proficiency Requirement

Applicants from a country where English is not the first language, or where English is an official language but not the first language, including applicants who have resided in Canada for four calendar years or less (i.e. official date of entry to Canada was on or after January 1, 2013 for Fall 2017), are required to present proof of English Language Proficiency at a satisfactory level. Generally speaking, applicants who meet these requirements are invited to register for and write the Ryerson Test of English Proficiency (RTEP) on the Ryerson campus or submit official alternate English language proficiency test results (TOEFL/IELTS/MELAB/CAEL/PTE).
POLICE VULNERABLE SECTOR CHECK (MUST BE RENEWED EVERY YEAR)

- Police Vulnerable Sector Check are done to protect clientele who are considered “vulnerable persons.” A “clear” police check means that there is currently no police record found for that individual in the jurisdiction surveyed.
- A “not clear” police check means that there is a police record found for the individual for an undisclosed reason. Students are required to keep the original vulnerable sector screening – police reference check.
- It is the placement agency that will make the decision whether or not to accept the student for placement. This agency decision may require the student to self-disclose the particulars of the “not clear” police check. Students have the right to not disclose the particulars of the “not clear” police check. This check must be renewed every year before entering into field or clinical placement.
- The police vulnerable sector check process typically takes two to three months, but under some circumstances can take four to eight months. This is required to protect the clientele of our placement partner agencies, who are considered “vulnerable persons” under the law.
- Students are responsible for ensuring that the police vulnerable sector check covers appropriateness for “individuals being employed and/or volunteering who will be working with vulnerable person(s).”
- Students who currently resides in another region such as (Durham, Halton, Hamilton, Peel and York or other regions) are strongly advised to apply for their police check after October 1st, as their regional police service either take same day or 2-4 weeks to process, because some placement agency partners may need it valid within 3-6 months. Students are required to keep the original copy of their police vulnerable sector check.
- Failure to meet the requirements for field placement will prevent students from completing the program and/or securing employment.
- For more information in how to apply for police vulnerable sector check and fees according to your regional police service, please visit the http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/record_check/

STUDENTS DENIED PLACEMENT BY THE AGENCY ON THE GROUNDS OF A “NOT CLEAR” POLICE CHECK WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPLETE THEIR PRACTICE PLACEMENT AND WILL JEOPARDIZE THEIR PROGRESS IN THE PROGRAM.

- International students will need to retain the police clearance document that was used to obtain their study permit.

"When I started Nursing at George Brown College, I had an idea of what I wanted to do as a nurse in the future, but I really had no idea of the limitless opportunities. I think it’s the best career if you’re somebody who wants variety and change and to always be in an exciting, ever-changing career."

Gita McAllister (Graduate 2010, Bachelor of Science in Nursing)
PERSONAL SUPPORT WORKER (PSW) PATHWAY TO PRACTICAL NURSING PROGRAM (S119)

PROGRAM NAME: Personal Support Worker Pathway to Practical Nursing

COURSE CODE: S119

SCHOOL: Sally Horsfall Eaton School of Nursing

CENTRE: Health Sciences

LOCATION: Waterfront Campus

DURATION: 14 weeks (1 semester)

STARTING MONTH: September, January

CREDENTIAL: George Brown College Certificate

YEAR OF STUDY: 2017-2018

METHOD OF STUDY: FT

APPLY TO: Ontario Colleges

TUITION: $2,024.00 *

ADDITIONAL COST: *Amounts listed are the total of tuition, materials, student service and ancillary fees for one semester of the program starting in fall 2016. Fees are subject to change for programs starting in fall 2017 and at later dates.

International students: Visit the International Fees and Related Costs page for more information.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: Students may qualify for financial assistance under the Ontario Special Bursary Program. Please contact our Financial Assistance Office for details, or visit georgebrown.ca/nursing

Personal Support Worker Pathway to Practical Nursing is a one-semester program that prepares Personal Support Worker (PSW) graduates for entry into the Practical Nursing (PN) program.

This program provides you with foundational knowledge of:

- biology
- chemistry
- mathematics
- health and wellness
- English language skills
- interprofessional relationships

Created and designed by the Sally Horsfall Eaton School of Nursing faculty, this 252-hour program is 14 weeks long. Courses are held at the Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at the Waterfront Campus, and are scheduled between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. from Monday to Friday.

PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

Each George Brown College certificate, diploma, advanced diploma and graduate certificate program is expected to deliver specific program learning outcomes. Program learning outcomes are statements that describe the knowledge and skills that students are expected to demonstrate by the end of their program of study. Programs are designed to deliver both vocation or discipline-specific learning outcomes and more generic essential employability skills (including communication, numeracy, critical thinking and problem solving, information management, interpersonal and personal skills).

In addition to the aforementioned learning outcome requirements, College programs are required to provide students with exposure to a breadth of learning beyond their vocational field, to increase their awareness of the society and culture in which they live and work. This breadth requirement is addressed through additional mandatory General Education courses in the program curriculum.

To see the relevant program learning outcomes for your specific program of study, please visit georgebrown.ca/programs/learning-standards-and-outcomes

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YOUR CAREER

This program prepares PSW students for further study in the Practical Nursing program by enhancing core knowledge in sciences, math, humanities, communications and English.
FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

Graduates of this program who fulfill all course requirements and achieve a program grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher may be eligible to be offered a seat in the Practical Nursing full-time program at George Brown College.

Successful candidates will be required to start the S121 program in the semester immediately following completion of S119. For example, eligible students completing S119 in December will start S121 in January, and eligible students completing S119 in April will start S121 in September.

It is the responsibility of students transferring into S121 to ensure they meet all special requirements for S121 by the deadlines provided, including police vulnerable sector check (renewed annually) and submission of health records. More information can be found on the S121 program page4.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are selected on the basis of their academic achievement, including the required courses, and the selection criteria outlined below.

- Grade 12 English C or U with a minimum grade of 65%
- Grade 11 Math (M or U) or Grade 12 math (C or U) with a minimum grade of 65%

Please note: Mature applicants are able to take the English and Math assessment (test) in order to qualify.

Please note: Successful pathway candidates will be required to start the Practical Nursing (S121) program in the semester immediately following completion of S119. For example, eligible students completing S119 in December will start S121 in January, and eligible students completing S119 in April will start S121 in September. It is the responsibility of students transferring into S121 to ensure they meet all special requirements for S121 by the deadlines provided, including police vulnerable sector check and submission of health records. More information can be found on the S121 program page5.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

CONTACT US

Sally Horsfall Eaton School of Nursing
Phone: 416-415-5000, ext. 2367
Email: nursing@georgebrown.ca
Our office hours are Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
For more information about George Brown College, you may also call the Contact Centre at 416-415-2000 (TTY 1-877-515-5559) or long distance 1-800-265-2002.

LINKS REFERENCE

1 https://www.ontariocolleges.ca/en/programs?q=s119&page=0
2 http://www.georgebrown.ca/international/futurestudents/tuitionfees/
3 http://www.georgebrown.ca/financialaid/
4 http://www.georgebrown.ca/s121/
5 http://www.georgebrown.ca/s121/

George Brown College is continually striving to improve its programs and their delivery. The information contained in this calendar is subject to change without notice. It should not be viewed as a representation, offer or warranty. Students are responsible for verifying George Brown College admission, graduation, and fee requirements as well as any requirements of outside institutions, industry associations, or other bodies that may award additional designations concurrently with, or after completion of, a George Brown College program.
**PERSONAL SUPPORT WORKER (PSW) PROGRAM (C112)**

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**TUITION**

$3,924.00 *

**ADDITIONAL COST**

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**Personal Support Worker (PSW)** is a program that teaches students the necessary skills required to provide or assist with personal care for:

- the elderly
- the chronically ill
- people with physical disabilities living in the community
- people in long-term care facilities
- people in select ambulatory care settings
- people in acute medical and surgical settings
- people receiving palliative care

Over the course of two semesters, you will learn the full range of skills required to assist people with their personal and household needs in order to ensure their comfort and safety.

**Courses focus on the skills and abilities needed to create a climate that promotes the optimal physical, social and emotional well-being of each client.**

**FIELD EDUCATION OPTIONS**

As a student in the Personal Support Worker program, you will learn how to practice as a member of an interprofessional health care team through a variety of hands-on experiences. These experiences will include supervised placements in institutional and community settings, and an interprofessional simulation centre experience.

**Please note:** Faculty supervised clinical practicums take place in various settings across the Greater Toronto Area. The clinical practicum experience may vary between day and/or evening shifts depending upon the practice setting.

**PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES**

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Note: Curriculum review in progress. Course titles may change without notice. Such changes will appear on georgebrown.ca

### YOUR CAREER

**PSW graduates find employment at locations such as:**

- ambulatory care settings
- long-term care facilities
- residential and supportive housing
- community support agencies
- acute medical settings
- palliative care settings

### FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

PSW graduates who wish to continue their education in order to enter the nursing profession – who meet all admission requirements – may opt to apply to the PSW Pathway to Practical Nursing program (S119). They may also apply to the Practical Nursing program (S121) directly if they meet all admission requirements.

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are selected on the basis of their academic achievement, including the required courses, and any other selection criteria outlined below.

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent**
- Grade 12 English (C or U)
- **Mature Student status (19 years of age or older and no OSSD)

Please note that George Brown is committed to ensuring that applicants will succeed in their program of choice and meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission to the program. Applicants may be required to have grades higher than the minimum requirements stated.

### COURSE EXEMPTIONS

College or university credits may qualify you for course exemptions. Please visit georgebrown.ca/transferguide for more information.

**Note**: This program is open to domestic applicants only.

### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

**CLINICAL PRE-PLACEMENT HEALTH FORM REQUIREMENTS AND PROGRAM POLICY**

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- Students who do not comply with the program’s health policy and requirements will not be eligible to attend and excluded from the clinical practicum which may jeopardize your academic standing and unable to graduate in this program.
- All costs, service fees and fines associated with the overall health requirements are the responsibility of the student.
- To download the mandatory pre-placement health form and for more details, go to the Pre-placement website at http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/nursing/

**POLICE VULNERABLE SECTOR CHECK REQUIREMENTS AND PROGRAM POLICY (MUST BE RENEWED EVERY YEAR)**

- In compliance with the requirements of our placement partners, all students in this program are required to have a police vulnerable sector check completed, and this check must be renewed annually before entering into field or clinical placement.
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LINKS REFERENCE

3. http://www.georgebrown.ca/s121/
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Practical Nursing teaches students the knowledge and skills required to enter the profession of practical nursing. This two-year program has been designed to meet the new entry-to-practice requirements adopted by the College of Nurses of Ontario and new program standards set by the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development. Classes are held at the Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at our Waterfront Campus.

The Practical Nurse program at George Brown College is approved by the College of Nurses of Ontario (www.cno.org). Current graduates from this program are eligible to apply for registration as a Registered Practical Nurse in Ontario.

This program will teach you:

- nursing
- human anatomy
- physiology
- pharmacology
- pathology
- the humanities

Students learn hands-on clinical psychomotor skills in state-of-the-art simulation labs and then apply the skills they've learned within the clinical practice setting.

For more information on the required skills and abilities for the Practical Nursing profession, please review the fact sheet of Requisite Skills and Abilities on the College of Nurses of Ontario website: College of Nurses of Ontario - Requisite Skills and Abilities Fact Sheet.

Clinical practice experience is gained under direct faculty supervision within varied patient care settings across the Greater Toronto Area and students may participate in placements requiring evening and weekend shift work. Typical settings include acute care hospitals, rehabilitation centres and long-term care facilities. The clinical practicum experience in the final semester of the program is completed with a preceptor, whereby the student works with their preceptor across all shifts and days of the week.

Following successful completion of the program, graduates will be eligible to write the national Canadian Practical Nurse Registration Examination (CPNRE) and the College of Nurses of Ontario (CNO) Jurisprudence Examination.

After passing these examinations, graduates are granted a Certificate of Registration by the College of Nurses of Ontario and will be eligible to practice as a Registered Practical Nurse in the province of Ontario.

George Brown College Practical Nursing program graduates achieved a 98.5% pass rate for first-time writers on the CPNRE (national licensing examination) in 2013, compared to the provincial average of 89.5%. In 2014, they achieved a 95.9% first-time pass rate compared to the provincial average of 89.7%. In May 2015, our graduates achieved a 97.7% pass rate.

SOURCE:
* College of Nurses of Ontario – Approved (Category 1)

Placement test: Based upon mandatory placement testing, some students may be required to enrol in courses aimed at enhancing profession-based written and verbal English language skills.
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YOUR CAREER

Graduates of the Practical Nursing program have employment opportunities in practice settings such as:

- acute and community care hospitals
- long-term care
- rehabilitation
- other health-care facilities
- organizations and agencies that require nursing knowledge and expertise

FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

Is this program right for you?
Not sure what to expect in this program? Check out this at-a-glance brochure designed to help you chart your path through the program and into your future career.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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- Grade 11 Biology (C or U) or Grade 12 (U) - Biology with a grade of 70 or higher.
- Grade 11 Chemistry (U) or Grade 12 (C or U) - Chemistry with a grade of 70 or higher.
• Interview by invitation only: This is a competitive program and only the most qualified applicants will be invited to complete an online, recorded interview to assess specific competencies related to the field of Nursing.

** Mature Student status (19 years of age or older and no OSSD) - Mature applicants are eligible to test for Mathematics, Science and English.

^ Details on the interview will be provided to qualified applicants during the application process

Please note: The grade(s) required in the subject prerequisites will be subject to competition. Only the most qualified applicants will be offered an opportunity to interview. Only the top ranked applicants will be offered a seat in the program.

IMPORTANT: COURSE DELIVERY FORMAT

This program is delivered in a 2-1-2 format. You will progress through the program with two consecutive semesters, one semester as a break, and then the final two consecutive semesters. This delivery format will apply regardless of the term that you start the program.

COURSE EXEMPTIONS

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CONTACT US

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Our office hours are Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Alternatively, you may visit us at the Sally Horsfall Eaton School of Nursing located on 7th floor of the Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences at the Waterfront Campus to speak with our reception staff or arrange to speak with one of our Coordinators during regular business hours.

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**REGISTERED NURSE - CRITICAL CARE NURSING PROGRAM (POSTGRADUATE) (S402)**

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**TUITION**

$2,261.00 *

**ADDITIONAL COST**

* Amounts listed are the total of tuition, materials, student service and ancillary fees for one semester of the program starting in fall 2016. Fees are subject to change for programs starting in fall 2017 and at later dates.

Registered Nurse – Critical Care Nursing is a graduate certificate program that teaches Registered Nurses how to provide competent care to critically ill individuals and their families.

The combined theory and clinical courses encompass the Level 1, 2 and 3 Critical Care Standards of Practice as outlined by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care.

This program is offered over one semester and is delivered on-site at the Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at our Waterfront Campus.

Structured clinical courses provide nurses with a safe learning environment to practice critical care knowledge, skills and judgement in critical care units across the Greater Toronto Area.

Due to limited number of clinical placements available, this program has a restricted number of seats open to applicants.

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Due to the limited number of clinical placements available, this program has a restricted number of seats open to applicants lacking specific clinical experience.

**YOUR CAREER**

GRADUATES ARE PREPARED TO WORK IN A VARIETY OF CRITICAL CARE UNITS INCLUDING:

- medical-surgical
- neuro-surgical
- trauma
- coronary
- cardiovascular

Many hospitals have chosen our program (through sponsorship) to prepare their nurses for working in this dynamic specialty field.
As a result of the current shortage of critical care nurses in Ontario, employment opportunities continue to expand.

FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

See georgebrown.ca/transferguide

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- **RN**, Certificate of Competence, College of Nurses of Ontario **without practice restrictions**, and BCLS (Heart and Stroke Foundation), HCP Level
- Interview - All applicants are interviewed by telephone or in person
- Resumé
- One year of acute care nursing experience in Ontario

If taking this program as a non-sponsored student (independent student), students must meet all the mandatory pre-placement health requirements for this program.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

COURSE EXEMPTIONS

College or university credits may qualify you for course exemptions. Please visit georgebrown.ca/transferguide for more information.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

PRE-PLACEMENT HEALTH FORM

- Upon confirmation of acceptance into this program, students must meet all the mandatory pre-placement health requirements for the program. It may take up to four months to complete all the requirements.
- All costs, service fees and fines associated with the overall health requirements are the responsibility of the student.
- For further details and to download the mandatory pre-placement health form, go to the Pre-placement website at georgebrown.ca/preplacement
- Students must submit proof of a satisfactory medical examination before entering field placement. Students who are unable to provide a clear medical examination result to the college will not be able to start their field placement and therefore will be unable to complete the program.

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LINKS REFERENCE

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REGISTERED NURSE - CRITICAL CARE NURSING PROGRAM (ONLINE) (POSTGRADUATE) (S422)

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The combined theory and clinical courses encompass the Level 1, 2 and 3 Critical Care Standards of Practice as outlined by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care.

This program is delivered online over eight months and may be of interest to nurses who require a more flexible learning pace.

- Live classes will be offered twice a week on Collaborate Live, and sessions are recorded for viewing at a later time.
- Clinical practicum will be offered full-time in the Greater Toronto Area (GTA).
- Students progress as a group with weekly modules and interact with classmates through Collaborate Live.
- Faculty are available to students for extra tutorials.

Structured clinical courses provide nurses with a safe learning environment to practice critical care knowledge, skills and judgement in critical care units across the GTA.

Due to the limited number of clinical placements available, this program has a restricted number of seats open to applicants.

PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

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Note: Due to ongoing program improvements, courses are subject to change without notice.
YOUR CAREER

Graduates of the Registered Nurse – Critical Care Nursing program are prepared to work in a variety of critical care units including:

- Medical-surgical
- Neuro-surgical
- Trauma
- Coronary
- Cardiovascular

Many hospitals have chosen our program (through sponsorship) to prepare their nurses for working in this dynamic specialty field. As a result of the current shortage of critical care nurses in Ontario, employment opportunities continue to expand.

FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

See georgebrown.ca/transferguide

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- **RN**, Certificate of Competence, College of Nurses of Ontario **without practice restrictions**
- BCLS (Heart and Stroke Foundation), HCP Level
- Interview - All applicants are interviewed by telephone or in person.
- Résumé
- One year of medical/nursing experience in Ontario

If taking this program as a non-sponsored student (independent student), students must meet all the mandatory pre-placement health requirements for this program.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

COURSE EXEMPTIONS

College or university credits may qualify you for course exemptions. Please visit georgebrown.ca/transferguide for more information.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

PRE-PLACEMENT HEALTH FORM

- Upon confirmation of acceptance into this program, students must meet all the mandatory pre-placement health requirements for the program. It may take up to four months to complete all the requirements.
- All costs, service fees and fines associated with the overall health requirements are the responsibility of the student.
- For further details and to download the mandatory pre-placement health form, go to the Pre-placement website at georgebrown.ca/preplacement
- Students must submit proof of a satisfactory medical examination before entering field placement. Students who are unable to provide a clear medical examination result to the college will not be able to start their field placement and therefore will be unable to complete the program.

CONTACT US

For more information on this program, please contact:

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For general information about George Brown College, call the Contact Centre at 416-415-2000 (TTY 1-877-515-5559) or long distance 1-800-265-2002.

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This program teaches Registered Nurses to function as competent team members in the perioperative operating room. The theory component of this program can be completed in class or through online delivery, depending on the student's current employment status.

For in-class delivery, the six weeks of theory and skills development are completed at George Brown College. This is followed by an eight-week clinical placement.

For online delivery, the theory and clinical components are delivered concurrently during the semester, which is 14 to 16 weeks long. Please note: The student completes their clinical at their current hospital if applicable.

The program is organized into two phases.

**Phase I** consists of theory content and skills development, including:
- current ORNAC standards, principles and application
- surgical anatomy
- intensive study of surgical interventions and surgical technologies, including indications and complications
- role of the circulating nurse
- role of the scrub nurse
- clinical lab skills, completed in a state-of-the-arts Simulation Centre at George Brown College

**Phase II** includes an 8 to 14 week clinical placement (variable based on in-class or online mode of delivery). A minimum of 3 days per week in an operating room setting will be required in this phase if the online mode is pursued. Learners must have passed all elements of Phase I in order to move to Phase II. Students are exposed to several services (e.g., General Surgery, Urology, Gynecology, Plastics, ENT and Orthopedics). While in the clinical settings, learners will participate in online discussions, live video conferences and submit assignments through an online learning management system (Blackboard). Clinical experiences are scheduled in hospital operating rooms both within and outside of the Greater Toronto Area, or settings in which the learner is working.

**Note:** Students must meet all medical and legal requirements for this program outlined on the Pre-Placement Health Form. This may take six to eight weeks. To see those requirements go to georgebrown.ca/preplacement.

Due to the limited number of clinical placements available, this program has a limited number of seats open to applicants lacking specific clinical experience.

To discuss this program and the in-class or online mode of delivery, please contact Cheryl Simpkin at 416-415-5000, ext. 2349 or email csimpkin@georgebrown.ca before applying.
PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

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Note: Due to ongoing program improvements, courses are subject to change without notice.

FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS

Students who complete this Post-R.N. certificate program are eligible to submit the Course Curriculum Outline from the year the program was taken. Students may apply for a transfer credit toward the Post-Diploma B.Sc.N. program at Ryerson University.

For further information, see georgebrown.ca/transferguide

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- **RN**, Certificate of Competence, College of Nurses of Ontario without practice restrictions
- BCLS (Heart and Stroke Foundation), HCP Level
- Interview - All applicants are interviewed by telephone or in person.
- Resumé
- Preferably 2 years surgical nursing experience in the hospital setting. No operating room experience necessary.

If taking this program as a non-sponsored student (independent student), students must meet all the mandatory pre-placement health requirements for this program.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

COURSE EXEMPTIONS

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

PRE-PLACEMENT HEALTH FORM

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POLICE VULNERABLE SECTOR CHECK

- In compliance with the requirements of our placement partners, all students in this program are required to have a police vulnerable sector check completed, and this check must be renewed annually before entering into field or clinical placement.
- The police vulnerable sector check process typically takes two to three months, but under some circumstances can take four to eight months. This is required to protect the clientele of our placement partner agencies, who are considered “vulnerable persons” under the law.
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CONTACT US

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REGISTERED NURSE - PERINATAL INTENSIVE CARE NURSING PROGRAM (S404) (POSTGRADUATE)

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TUITION
$2,251.00 *

ADDITIONAL COST
* Amounts listed are the total of tuition, materials, student service and ancillary fees for one semester of the program starting in fall 2016. Fees are subject to change for programs starting in fall 2017 and at later dates.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
Students who successfully complete the program may be eligible for tuition reimbursement through an Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care initiative implemented through the RNAO.

Registered Nurse - Perinatal Intensive Care Nursing is a graduate certificate program that prepares Registered Nurses to provide comprehensive care to critically ill newborns and their families in a neonatal intensive care unit (NICU). Research and theoretical perspectives provide the foundation of study for family-centred care.

DELIVERY MODES
This full-time, one semester program (15 weeks) is offered in two delivery modes in order to meet the learning styles and needs of adult students.

• Full-time – on campus (15 weeks): Offered in September and January. Students attend classes at the Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at the Waterfront Campus² three days per week. Lectures, case studies, simulation labs and expert guest speakers comprise the theoretical component.

• Full-time – online (15 weeks): Offered in September and January. This option is available to nurses with current experience in a Level II or III NICU, who prefer a more flexible learning environment. Live, interactive classes are offered twice a week for online discussion and facilitation of learning.

Regardless of delivery mode, all students use:

• a theory manual
• a textbook

Faculty are available to support students in a variety of ways:

• in-class
• online and through email
• via telephone
• tutorial support

To support the learning outcome of this course, clinical courses take place in Level II and III neonatal intensive care units.

PROGRAM STANDARDS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES
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YOUR CAREER
Graduates of this program are qualified to work in Level II and Level III neonatal intensive care units.
FUTURE STUDY OPTIONS
See www.georgebrown.ca/transferguide.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- **RN**, Certificate of Competence, College of Nurses of Ontario **without practice restrictions**
- BCLS (Heart and Stroke Foundation), HCP Level
- Interview - All applicants are interviewed by telephone or in person
- Resumé
- NRP (Neonatal Resuscitation Program) certificate is required

**This program is open to domestic applicants only.**

COURSE EXEMPTIONS

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

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HOW DO I APPLY TO THE PROGRAM

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CONTACT US

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R.P.N. BRIDGE TO B.SC.N. POSTGRADUATE PROGRAM (S122)

PROGRAM NAME
RPN Bridge to BScN

COURSE CODE
S122

SCHOOL
Sally Horsfall Eaton School of Nursing

CENTRE
Health Sciences

LOCATION
Waterfront Campus

DURATION
2 semesters

STARTING MONTH
September

CREDENTIAL
Ontario College Certificate

YEAR OF STUDY
2017-2018

METHOD OF STUDY
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APPLY TO
Ontario Colleges¹

Tuition
$6,512.00 *

ADDITIONAL COST
* Amounts listed are the total of tuition, materials, student service and ancillary fees for the first two semesters of programs starting in fall 2016. Fees are subject to change for programs starting in fall 2017 and at later dates.

International students: Visit the International Fees and Related Costs² page for more information.

R.P.N. Bridge to B.Sc.N is a bridging program that offers Registered Practical Nurses (RPNs) the knowledge and skills necessary to enter Trent University's Nursing degree program. Upon successful completion of this two-semester bridging course, students are able to apply to enter Trent's Nursing degree program that is offered on-site at the state-of-the-art Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences located at the Waterfront Campus³.

DELIVERY OF PROGRAM
The RPN Bridge program is offered through a full-time flexible delivery model. It is delivered in a hybrid format that includes both in-class and online learning.

The semesters are delivered consecutively with Semester 1 starting in September and Semester 2 starting in January.

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EDUCATIONAL/DEGREE PATHWAY

Students who successfully complete the S122 bridging program will be eligible to apply to a (post-bridge) nursing degree program delivered by Trent University at George Brown College’s Daphne Cockwell Centre for Health Sciences, located at the Waterfront Campus.

To be eligible for admission to the S122 program, you must:

1. Be a Registered Practical Nurse (RPNs) in good standing without practice limitations with the College of Nurses of Ontario

and

2. Have graduated from a two-year community college PN program in Ontario with a minimum cumulative average of 75% and not less than 70% in any element of the PN program for which advanced standing credit will be assigned by Trent.

Note: Candidates who do not meet criterion #2 (for example, those who graduated from a one-year community college program and subsequently upgraded to a diploma) may be considered on a case-by-case basis, at the discretion of the Admissions Sub-Committee.

To be eligible for admission to the Post-Bridge BScN Pathway (Trent University), you must:

1. Have met the above criteria for admission to the bridging courses

and

2. Have graduated from the approved RPN Bridge program with a minimum cumulative average grade of 75% and not less than 70% grade in any element of the Bridging program for which advanced standing credit will be assigned by Trent University.

The post-bridge PN to B.Sc.N. pathway at Trent University, leading to an Honours degree in Nursing (B.Sc.N.), consists of 20 credits with at least 12 credits in NURS. Upon completion of their RPN and approved bridge programs, students will normally have completed and received transfer credit for BIOL 1050H, 1051H, BIOL-CHEM 1550H, NURS 1000H, 1001H, 1002H, 1020H, 2001H, 2021H, 2550H, 3021H, PSYC 1020H, 1030H, 2.0 elective credits at 1000-level and 0.5 credit elective at 2000-level. The Trent program must include:

Year 1 (including Winter Term and Summer Session)

- 0 NURS credits consisting of NURS 2000H, 203H, 2020H, 2030H, 3030H, 3905H
- 5 credit consisting of BIOL 3550H
- 5 credit elective at the 2000 level or beyond
- 5 credit elective at the 3000 level or beyond

Year 2 (including Summer Session)

- 5 NURS credits consisting of NURS 3000H, NURS 3001H, NURS 3004H, NURS 3020H, NURS 3021H, NURS 4020C
- 5 NURS credits consisting of one of NURS 4021C or 4022C
- 5 NURS credit from one of Advanced Topics Group 1*4
- 5 NURS credit from one of Advanced Topics Group 2*5
- 5 credit elective at the 3000 level or beyond

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are selected on the basis of their academic achievement, including the required courses, and the selection criteria outlined below:

- Registered Practical Nurse (RPN) in good standing with the College of Nurses of Ontario and without practice restrictions.
- Graduation from a two-year community college Practical Nursing (PN) diploma program in Ontario with a minimum cumulative average of 75% and grades of not less than 70 (B–) in any element of the PN program for which advanced standing credit will be assigned by Trent University.
- Submission of all post-secondary transcripts from Canadian and international educational institutions attended is required and these will be reviewed for academic performance as part of the admission requirements.
- Applicants with prior university or college study in fields outside of Practical Nursing must present a minimum combined grade point average (CGPA) of 2.33 (C+) and be considered “In Good Standing” with no failures in core prerequisite subjects in order to be considered. Higher CGPAs/averages may be required subject to competition.
- Applicants applying with International Education in Nursing or the Health Sciences must present a course-by-course evaluation from WES or ICAS. Where PASS/FAIL grades are the only grades available, a letter from the issuing academic institution must indicate a minimum score for PASS.
- Applicants with PASS/FAIL grades from out-of-province institutions must present a letter from the issuing academic institution to indicate a minimum passing score.
- Applicants who have completed a Practical Nursing Certificate to Diploma upgrading program at a recognized community college in Ontario will be considered on an individual basis.
- Applicants with prior nursing studies in a Bachelor of Nursing or Bridging program will be considered by the Admissions Committee on a case by case basis regardless of the length of study, or performance in a PN program.
- The Admissions Committee reserves the right to give priority to applicants who meet all course and grade requirements on their first attempt.
- All applicants offered admission require the approval of the Admissions Committee, comprised of representatives from Trent University and George Brown College, who will provide a detailed evaluation of core course performance and competencies for transfer of credit evaluation.
• Applicants who have been absent from full-time formal Practical Nursing, Bridging, or BScN education for a period of 10 years will be considered on a case by case basis.

This program is open to domestic applicants only.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR) AND FIRST AID CERTIFICATION

Before commencing the clinical practice course, all students must successfully complete:

• the approved CPR course (required annually): Basic Cardiac Life Support – Health Care Provider (BCLS – HCP) Level
• a Standard First Aid Certificate course

Students will not be eligible to attend the practice area unless they hold current CPR and First Aid certificates.

REQUISITE SKILLS FOR NURSES

Applicants who wish to qualify to become a registered nurse in Ontario should review the requisite skills for nurses listed on the College of Nurses of Ontario website.

CLINICAL PRE-PLACEMENT HEALTH FORM REQUIREMENTS AND PROGRAM POLICY

• Upon confirmation of acceptance into this program, students must meet and complete all the mandatory pre-placement requirements for this program. It will take up to 10 to 12 weeks to complete.
• Students will need to process and provide proof of their medical records such as (MMR, Varicella, Hep B blood test reports/titres, Tdap shot valid every 10 years and Two Step TB Skin Test), a clear police vulnerable sector check renewed every year, CPR level HCP renewed every year, annual flu shot and mask fit test renewed every two years. This requirements must be submitted by the given deadline to ParaMed.
• Students who do not comply with the program’s health policy and requirements will not be eligible to attend and excluded from the clinical practicum which may jeopardize your academic standing and unable to graduate in this program.
• All costs, service fees and fines associated with the overa health requirements are the responsibility of the student.
• To download the mandatory pre-placement health form and for more details, go to the Pre-placement website at http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/nursing/

POLICE VULNERABLE SECTOR CHECK (MUST BE RENEWED EVERY YEAR)

• In compliance with the requirements of our placement partners, all students in this program are required to have a police vulnerable sector check completed, and this check must be renewed annually before entering into field or clinical placement.
• The police vulnerable sector check process typically takes two to three months, but under some circumstances can take four to eight months. This is required to protect the clientele of our placement partner agencies, who are considered “vulnerable persons” under the law.
• Students are responsible for ensuring that the police vulnerable sector check covers appropriateness for “individuals being employed and/or volunteering who will be working with vulnerable person(s).”
• Students are required to keep the original copy of their police vulnerable sector check.
• Students who are unable to provide a “clear” police vulnerable sector check may not be able to complete the program. Students who are not eligible to attend their practice placement due to a “not clear” status will jeopardize their progress in the program.
• Failure to meet the requirements for field placement will prevent students from completing the program and/or securing employment.
• The fees for the police record check vary and must be paid by the student. For more information, please visit the Pre-placement website at http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/record_check.
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LINKS REFERENCE
1 https://www.ontariocolleges.ca/en/programs?q=s122&page=0
2 http://www.georgebrown.ca/international/futurestudents/duesfees/
3 http://www.georgebrown.ca/waterfront/
4 http://www.trentu.ca/nursing/program.php#AdvancedTopics
5 https://www.trentu.ca/nursing/program.php#AdvancedTopics
6 http://www.cno.org/
7 http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/nursing/
8 http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/record_check/
9 http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/certificates/
10 http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/mask_fit/
11 http://www.georgebrownhealth.ca
12 http://www.georgebrown.ca/preplacement/record_check/

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