



**University of South Alabama  
College of Nursing  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

**ADMISSIONS POLICY**

Enrollment into the University (pre-professional component) as a nursing major does not assure the student admission to the Professional Component. Enrollment in the Professional Component is limited and competitive. Students are admitted without regard to race, color, creed, national origin, sex, or qualified disability. **Please Note:** Students must apply for admission to both the University and the College of Nursing!

Students are admitted every semester (fall, spring, and summer) for the regular five-semester program. For the accelerated programs, students are admitted in the fall and spring to the Baldwin campus only. Applications are available online at [www.southalabama.edu/nursing](http://www.southalabama.edu/nursing).

Applications are reviewed carefully to determine that students have satisfied all pre-nursing requirements of conduct, health, scholastic achievement, and aptitude for nursing. Transfer credit must comply with College of Nursing policies. Students are selected based upon the following factors:

1. Submission of a completed application.
2. Payment of \$50 non-refundable application fee.
3. A minimum GPA of 2.75 on all prerequisite courses for the Traditional Track
4. A minimum GPA of 3.0 on all prerequisite courses for the Accelerated Track
5. A minimum grade of "C" in all prerequisite courses.

Applications should be submitted for admission to Fall semesters by March 15.  
Applications should be submitted for admission to Spring semesters by July 15.  
Applications should be submitted for admission to Summer semesters by January 15.

Submit an application packet via US Postal Service to: University of South Alabama College of Nursing, Health Sciences Building Room 3068, Mobile, Alabama 36688-0002 or via UPS or FedEx to: University of South Alabama College of Nursing, Student Services, Health Sciences Building, 5721 USA North Dr., Mobile, AL 36688. **\*\*Please Note:** Activate your Jagmail email account immediately—this is our means of communicating with you! We will notify you of any missing documents at your Jagmail email address.

The College of Nursing Admissions Committee and the Dean of the College of Nursing reserve the right to select the applicants best qualified for and most likely to succeed in the study of nursing. Failure to comply with legal, moral, and legislative standards for licensure to practice as a registered nurse in the State of Alabama merits immediate dismissal from the nursing program.

In keeping with the dynamic changes in the nursing and health field, the baccalaureate curriculum may undergo change. Changes in curricula and/or admission requirements will be published as far in advance as possible. Advisors are available to assist students in adapting to those changes and planning their course of study accordingly. Applicants **MUST** meet with their advisor at least two semesters before applying to the Professional Component.



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**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE PROFESSIONAL COMPONENT**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Jag# \_\_\_\_\_

Jagmail: \_\_\_\_\_ @jagmail.southalabama.edu

Personal Email (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street/P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Are in in the United States Military or a U.S. Veteran? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_

Are you in the Early Acceptance Program? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ Which Program? High School \_\_\_ Freshman \_\_\_

Indicate below the year you wish to enter the professional component and preference of campus:

\_\_\_\_\_ **Fall applicant** Year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Traditional BSN Program taught only at main campus

\_\_\_\_\_ Accelerated Program \*(Baldwin Campus only-limited enrollment-prior BA or BS required)

If not chosen for Accelerated, do you wish to be considered for the Traditional Program? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Spring applicant** Year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Traditional BSN Program taught only at main campus

\_\_\_\_\_ Accelerated Program \*(Baldwin Campus only-limited enrollment-prior BA or BS required)

If not chosen for Accelerated, do you wish to be considered for the Traditional Program? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Summer applicant** Year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Traditional BSN Program taught only at main campus

List all educational institutions you have attended since high school. Please Note: Applicants may not disregard any part of their educational history and failure to report all institutions previously attended will be cause for cancellation of the admissions process and/or dismissal from the University.

<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>City/State</b>	<b>Dates Attended</b>	<b>Degree</b>

**Applicant's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_



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Have you attended any other RN Program?

\_\_\_\_\_ NO  
\_\_\_\_\_ YES

If you answered yes, you must immediately provide the following:

- Letter of Good Standing from the Nursing Program, signed by the Nursing Administrator of the program
- Transcript of all Nursing courses taken with grades earned

Please Note: The University of South Alabama College of Nursing does not accept transfer of Nursing course credit – no previous course work will be considered.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Complete then Print Application  
Enclose \$50.00 Check and Mail to:**

**University of South Alabama College of Nursing  
Health Sciences Building Room 3068  
Mobile, Alabama 36688-0002**