Prerequisite Guidelines & Requirements

- Candidates for the Accelerated BSN (ABSN) program must earn a C or above in all prerequisite courses. **Please** note, a cumulative prerequisite GPA of 3.0 is required to be considered for admission.
- Prerequisite courses must be completed at a regionally accredited college or university within the United States.
- The ABSN program will accept online courses and labs for prerequisite requirements.
- To ensure a working knowledge of these courses, all prerequisite courses must be completed within the **last seven years** of a candidate's intended start term (i.e. students interested in the fall 2025 cohort must have completed their prerequisites spring 2018 and beyond).
- Both the original and retaken course will be factored into the GPA calculation, and the better grade will be noted.
- **Prerequisites may be in process during the application and interview process.** Prerequisites must be completed prior to enrollment in the program (usually by the end of July).

Prerequisite Courses

Prerequisite Requirement	Accepted Lakeland CC Course(s)
Human Anatomy & Physiology I with lab	BIOL 2210
Human Anatomy & Physiology II with lab	BIOL 2220
Microbiology with lab	BIOL 2700
Chemistry I with lab	CHEM 1500, CHEM 2500
Chemistry II with lab	CHEM 1600, CHEM 2600
College Math*	MATH 1550, MATH 1330, MATH 1650, MATH 1700, MATH 1890,
	MATH 2500, MATH 2600, MATH 2700, MATH 2800, MATH 2850
Nutrition	HCS 131, HLTH 1310

*College Mathematics

- The following College Mathematics subjects have been approved to meet the ABSN College Mathematics requirement: Algebra, Calculus, Statistics, and Contemporary Mathematics
- The following College Mathematics courses will <u>not</u> meet the ABSN College Mathematics requirement: Any math course that begins with a zero, business mathematic courses, and theory-based mathematics courses

Questions regarding prerequisite requirements? The Baldwin Wallace Admission Office for Graduate & Professional Studies will conduct unofficial evaluations of transcripts and answer questions regarding prerequisite requirements.

Inquiries regarding prerequisite requirements can be directed to:

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