

# Bachelor of Nursing Science Program

## Eligibility of applicants

1. Diploma/High-Level Vocational Certificate in Public Health (Community Health) **or**
2. Diploma in Public Health (Community Health) **or**
3. Diploma in Public Health **or**
4. Diploma or Certificate in Public Health Work (Health Worker) **or**
5. Graduate Diploma in Public Health (Community Public Health) **or**
6. Other Diploma in Public Health (Community health) **and**
7. In good mental and physical health, with no serious injury or severe communicable illness or other condition that would hinder the applicant's ability to study, such as
  - 1) Severe psychiatric condition
  - 2) Communicable disease in a hazardous stage
  - 3) Physical condition that could hinder the applicant's ability to engage in vocational study including epilepsy, severe heart disease, severe hypertension, chronic kidney failure, or addiction to an illicit substance.

In addition to possessing one of the above educational qualifications, an application must also have worked providing health services directly to clients either through a government or private sector organization for at least 2 years after completing their education, and should continue working in a public health profession throughout the course of study.

## Course structure and details\*

### 1. Structure

	Course	Credits
a. General courses	5	30
b. Specific courses	15	90
c. Elective courses	1	6
<b>Minimum required</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>126</b>

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**Note:** \* The structure and details of the course are subject to revision or change, so students are advised to follow news from the university's public relations materials and on the website.

## 2. Details

### A. General study - 5 courses (30 credits)

- 10103 Life skills
- 10111 English for Communication
- 10141 Science, Technology and Environment for Life
- 10151 Thai Studies
- 10161 Thai for Communication

### B. Course-specific study 15 courses (90 credits)

#### *Foundational- 2 courses*

- 51106 Pathophysiology and Clinical Pharmacology for Nurses
- 51107 Biochemistry, Nutrition and Diet Therapy for Nurses

#### *Professional- 13 courses*

- 51108 Concepts, Nursing Theory and Nursing Process
- 51109 Fundamental Nursing and Practicum\*
- 51110 Adult Nursing
- 51111 Adult Nursing Practicum\*
- 51209 Child and Adolescent Nursing and Practicum\*
- 51210 Maternal-Newborn Nursing, Midwifery and Practicum I\*
- 51211 Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing and Practicum\*
- 51212 Maternal-Newborn Nursing, Midwifery and Practicum II\*
- 51310 Statistics, Research and Nursing Informatics
- 51311 Community Health Nursing, Primary Medical Care and Practicum\*
- 51312 Geriatric Nursing and Practicum\*
- 51313 Elective Nursing Practicum\*
- 51314 Professional Experience in Nursing\*\*

### C. Elective courses - 1 course (6 credits)

Students may choose from all the courses offered at STOU for any certificate course, diploma course or bachelor's degree course.

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**Notes**     \* Includes practical component

\*\* Students must register only when they have already passed all but 3 or fewer of the other courses in the curriculum