

EDGEWOOD COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF NURSING



The undergraduate Nursing program offers an opportunity to learn and grow in an atmosphere that upholds our Dominican values and promotes professional development.

Our small class sizes allow for engaging teaching styles that promote active student learning. The School of Nursing partners with over 60 community agencies in and around Dane county for clinical placements including UW Hospitals and Clinics, The American Family Children's Hospital, Meriter Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital Medical Center and the William S. Middleton Veteran's Administration Hospital. In addition to clinical placements, you will utilize the state-of-the-art simulation lab at the Center for Nursing Excellence.

As a nursing student, you will receive close direct clinical supervision by faculty in the School of Nursing. We are proud to maintain one of the lowest student/teacher ratios in the state at 7:1. Our five semester nursing curriculum includes exposure to the wide range of nursing roles and clinical experiences including maternal/child nursing, pediatrics, mental health and public health nursing in addition to acute care nursing.

MAJORS

Nursing (BSN)

THE CENTER FOR NURSING EXCELLENCE

The Center for Nursing Excellence is an innovative training facility that offers lifelike patient simulation technology in a collaborative learning environment. This unique collaboration allows students to learn from educators and practitioners from Edgewood College's School of Nursing, Meriter Health Services, and St. Mary's Hospital.

The Center offers students the opportunity to learn from several computer-controlled mannequins including: an adult SimMan 3G, a high-fidelity child Pedia Sim, a high-fidelity birthing mother, a newborn baby SimNewB, and two low-fidelity mannequins. The center also includes a mock nurses' station and the instructor's control room which has one-way glass portals and closed-circuit monitors for supervising and viewing the sessions led by clinical experts. In-lab cameras record sessions for participants and instructors to view at a later time.

SAMPLE OF COURSES

NRS 411 - Caring: Families in Transition

Nursing care with families, young children and adolescents and women in a variety of settings. Major focus is on health promotion and health maintenance.

NRS 460 - Professional Nursing: Health of Communities

Nursing concepts are integrated with those of public health science and community to promote health outcomes in the community. The role of nursing in affecting health care policy is examined.

For a complete list of courses and course descriptions, please visit www.edgewood.edu/catalogue.aspx.

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"I am incredibly impressed by the level of experience and knowledge that all of my instructors have. They always have a real life application for the concepts we are learning in the classroom. Not only does this make learning more interesting, but I will also be better prepared when they occur in the future."

Lacey Delsman '10
Bachelor's of Science in Nursing