

**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MAINE
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION
ACCELERATED BACHELOR OF SCIENCE PROGRAM IN NURSING
Summer (May) Admission**

The Accelerated Bachelor of Science Program in Nursing is a 15 month, full-time, intensive program of study and is designed for the student who has already earned a baccalaureate degree in another discipline. The School of Nursing accepts a limited number of students to this highly competitive program. To be eligible for consideration for admission, applicants must have a minimum overall graduating GPA of 3.3 and must have completed (or will have completed by the start of the program) Anatomy & Physiology I and II and Statistics.

Please note: Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission to the Accelerated Nursing Program.

Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____ **USM ID** (if available) _____

Please list degrees and date or anticipated date of completion:

<i>Institution</i>	<i>Degree</i>	<i>Date completed</i>

Prerequisite and Supportive Coursework:

<i>Course</i>	<i>Course #</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Dates</i>
Required Prerequisite Courses:			
Anatomy & Physiology I			
Anatomy & Physiology II			
Statistics			
Supportive Courses:			
Human Growth & Development			
Chemistry for the Health Sciences			
Microbiology and lab			

Required Essay: Discuss the reasons why you have chosen nursing and the strengths you bring to the profession. Your essay should reflect your academic strengths and strategy for success in this rigorous program. Please limit your essay to 500 words or less.

Please submit a resume with your application.

External Applicants:

In addition to the Application for Undergraduate Admission, submit this application, essay, and resume, and transcripts to:

**University of Maine System
Application Processing Center
PO Box 412, Bangor, ME 04402-0412**

Current USM Students:

Submit this application with essay and resume to:

**USM Nursing Admissions
Masterton Hall
PO Box 9300
Portland, ME 04104-9300**

All materials must be postmarked by **October 1**

(Optional) Please indicate if you are one of the following:

- American Indian or Alaska Native Hispanic or Latino
 Asian Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
 Black or African American White

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