Department of Nursing

The University of Tennessee at Martin Department of Nursing has 13 full-time faculty members and more than 300 Nursing Majors.

The Department has a proud and successful history in educating nurses. The University now offers West Tennessee's only basic baccalaureate program in nursing at a public institution outside Memphis. Accredited by the National League for Nursing, the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree program is a four-year program which combines general education and nursing.

Career Possibilities

A need for professional nurses with a wide variety of practice options allows great flexibility and mobility for graduates. Graduates with a baccalaureate in nursing can choose from a wide range of options. Graduate degrees at the master's and doctoral levels allow greater specialization and further expand job opportunities. UT Martin nursing faculty are committed to mentoring students and to advancing the profession of nursing through a variety of scholarly activities and service to both the campus and community.

Facilities

A combination of experiences provide optimal learning for nursing students.

Learning Experiences
- Lecture and campus laboratory
- Clinical experiences
- Regional hospitals
- Other agencies

Practical laboratory experiences are held in the departmental labs with patient care and skill stations containing health care simulators, equipment, and supplies for student instruction and practice. Numerous videotapes, DVDs, and interactive CDs are available for student viewing.

Off-campus clinical laboratory experiences are taught by UT Martin nursing faculty in area health-care agencies within a 50-mile radius of UT Martin.

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Service to both campus & community!
Opportunities

For the student desiring to learn the skills of a nursing profession.

- Lifetime challenges
- Critical thinking
- Direct patient care
- Problem solving
- Effective communication

Four-year program

- Combines general education and nursing
- 74 semester hours of nursing courses
- 49 semester hours of electives

Credentials

Graduates are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for licensure as a registered professional nurse. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree programs have full approval of the Tennessee Board of Nursing and full accreditation from the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.