



“KNOW BEFORE YOU GO” FACT SHEET

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN)
DEGREE PROGRAM
chamberlain.edu/bsn



What Will I Learn & Experience in My Studies?

- Provides individualized comprehensive care based on theories and principles of nursing and related disciplines to individuals, families, aggregates and communities, from entry to the healthcare system through long-term planning
- Communicates effectively with patient populations and other healthcare providers in managing the healthcare of individuals, families, aggregates and communities
- Implements professional nursing standards by practicing within the legal definitions of nursing practice and acts in accordance with the nursing code of ethics and American Nurses Association (ANA) standards of practice
- Incorporates evidence-based practice in the provision of professional nursing care to individuals, families, aggregates and communities
- Practices in established professional roles consistent with entry-level pre-licensure BSN graduates to provide cost-effective, quality healthcare to consumers in structured and unstructured settings

What Services Will I Receive?

- A dedicated student service advisor to help plan coursework and develop a financial plan
- Online tutoring
- Early assessments identifying potential barriers
- A customized support plan
- Academic coaching
- Professional and peer tutoring
- Customized workshops and academic assessments
- A personalized, eight-week comprehensive nursing program review to help prepare for the NCLEX-RN® exam
- ASPIRE Student Assistance Program – Counseling, legal and financial planning services
- Career Services guides the career search process
- Complimentary membership in the Chamberlain University Alumni Association

On-site students will be required to take some courses online. 2016-2017 on-site program graduates took 20 percent of their courses online

84% NCLEX® Average First-Time Pass Rate for Pre-Licensure BSN Graduates for the 2017 Calendar Year

Program Costs & Student Loans

\$88,045*

Total program costs for a pre-licensure BSN student with no transfer credits is \$88,045*

* For students enrolled in the pre-licensure BSN degree program in California, the total program cost is \$90,745.

\$60,545

Median tuition, books and fees paid by graduates who entered the program in the 2013-2014 school year was \$60,545

\$45,778

Median student loan debt of graduates who entered the program in the 2013-2014 school year was \$45,778

Completion Rates

41%

Chamberlain's completion rate for first-time, full-time students is 41 percent

76%

76 percent of all new full-time students entering the institution, including students who attended another college before Chamberlain, graduated

42%

National completion rate for first-time full-time students at all U.S. schools is 42 percent

Earnings Outcomes

\$49,000

The median earnings of former Chamberlain students who received federal student aid was \$49,000 10 years after entering Chamberlain, whether they completed or not

\$34,300

The median earnings of all former U.S. college students who received federal student aid was \$34,300 10 years after entering college, whether they completed or not

Loan Default Rates

3.6%

3.6 percent of students who last attended the Chamberlain pre-licensure BSN degree program and received student loans and entered repayment in the year ending 9/30/2014 defaulted on their student loans

3.4%

3.4 percent of students who attended Chamberlain and received federal student loans and entered repayment in the year ending 9/30/2014 defaulted on their student loans

9.0%

9.0 percent of students who attended any 4-year U.S. college and received federal student loans who entered repayment in the year ending 9/30/2014 defaulted on their student loans

Legend: ■ Chamberlain pre-licensure BSN students ■ All Chamberlain students ■ All U.S. college students

For more information regarding sources for the information listed above, see the next page of the fact sheet.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN) DEGREE PROGRAM

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How relevant is this information to me? The Know Before You Go Fact Sheet provides information about Chamberlain University and its Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree program, and information about U.S. colleges as a whole. Certain information, such as earnings outcomes, can be different depending on where you plan to live and your individual situation and experience. The Fact Sheet information is intended to help you compare some information about Chamberlain and its pre-licensure BSN degree program to other colleges as you think about your choices.

Information Sources

Total program costs is the total tuition, fees and average estimated textbook and equipment expense for a student attending full-time who takes and passes every course currently required by the program at Chamberlain a single time at the current tuition rate.

Median tuition, books and fees paid is the median amount paid to Chamberlain by students using Title IV aid who graduated from this program within the normal program length and started in the 2013-14 academic year. This amount is different than the total program costs and may be different for each student because students may transfer credits from other colleges, repeat courses that are not passed the first time or choose the BSN degree program after first choosing other programs at Chamberlain.

Median student loan debt is the median total debt (federal, private and institutional loans) of students using Title IV aid who completed this program within the normal program length and started in the 2013-14 academic year.

The median earnings 10 years after entering college (Chamberlain or all 4-year schools) is calculated or compiled and reported by the U.S. Department of Education as part of the College Scorecard available at: <https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>. Numbers reflect the CY 2013 and CY 2014 earnings (inflation-adjusted to 2016 dollars) for students entering the school in 2002-2003 and 2003-2004. The amount is the median earnings of students who are working and not enrolled 10 years after entry. THIS DOCUMENT DOES NOT GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT OR A CERTAIN SALARY RANGE.

Completion rate for first-time, full-time students (for both Chamberlain and all 4-year schools) is the U.S. Department of Education's measure of the percentage of students who are new to college and entered full-time who complete the program within 150 percent of program length [for a bachelor's degree program, normal time is usually four (4) years, and 150 percent of normal time is six (6) years]. The national average for all U.S. colleges is provided by the U.S. Department of Education as part of the College Scorecard available at <https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>.

Completion rate for all new full-time Chamberlain students is defined similarly to the "first-time, full-time" completion rate above except it includes those who previously attended another institution. Chamberlain calculates this measure based on Chamberlain data for the program.

The loan default rate for the program is calculated by the institution and is based on the program of study for which the student was last enrolled before entering repayment. The default rate measures the percentage of students entering repayment in 2014 who defaulted on their loans within three (3) years.

Loan default rate is the percentage of borrowers (4 year U.S. Colleges and Chamberlain) entering repayment in 2014 who defaulted on their loans within three (3) years. The rate is provided by the U.S. Department of Education and can be found at <http://www2.ed.gov/offices/OSFAP/defaultmanagement/cdr.html>. In addition, a loan repayment rate for former Chamberlain students as well as those who attended other institutions can be found on the College Scorecard at <https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>.

Licensure pass rates are provided by state licensing regulatory bodies to the institution. Where appropriate, state results are aggregated to produce a national average for the institution. Public availability of the testing results varies by profession and state.

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