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### **BSN-to-DNP Degree Admission Requirements**

The number of applicants accepted into each admission cohort is dependent upon the number of qualified applicants, faculty-to-student ratio limits, and availability of clinical practicum sites.

1. Baccalaureate degree with a major in nursing from an ACEN (NLNAC), CCNE, or CNEA accredited program
2. Grades and/or Grade Point Average info:
  - a. The applicant must have earned a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50 out of a possible 4.00 for college/university work.
  - b. An overall grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale is necessary for the last 60 hours for the courses required for the undergraduate nursing degree (BSN).
  - c. Application may be made for conditional admission by students having an overall undergraduate GPA of at least a 2.50 with five years having passed since the date of completion of the BSN degree.
  - d. Completion of an undergraduate or graduate course in descriptive and inferential statistics with a grade of "C" or better.
3. Current unrestricted license to practice as a Registered Nurse.
4. Direct or indirect patient care experience within the last 3 years as a registered nurse or family nurse practitioner, which can be either volunteer work or employment.