



REGIS

at

NECC



Bachelor Degree Completion Programs in
Nursing & Public Health
at Northern Essex Community College
in Lawrence

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Bachelor of Science in Nursing

The National League for Nursing named Regis a Center for Excellence in Nursing Education — we're among only 19 nursing program in the US to be so recognized. Unlike other programs in the area, the Regis Bachelor of Science in Nursing program offers valuable hands-on training in a classroom setting, student-to-student support, and personal support from faculty and advisors.

A BSN degree prepares nurses for better employment opportunities and professional satisfaction. The highly-skilled care a BSN prepared nurse provides has been shown to dramatically improve patient recovery rates.

- The RN with a BSN has higher earning potential than a RN with an associate's degree
- RNs with a BS degree may be eligible for six times as many jobs than those without a BS
- The majority of hospitals in Massachusetts will only hire BSN prepared nurses

An associate's degree in nursing is required for admission.



"Regis definitely makes you feel like you're not just another student paying for classes — you don't get lost in the shuffle at Regis! The program is well organized and the campus in Lawrence makes attaining a degree while working full-time as an RN and being a mother of two small children possible."

— Kathleen Sanzi, Student BS in Nursing



Bachelor of Arts in Public Health

Public Health is one of the fastest growing fields in the U.S. and offers a variety of career opportunities in the government sector, healthcare settings, non-profit community agencies, industry, schools, research centers and more.

Public health professionals serve to protect and improve the health of a population or community. Public Health is about prevention, promotion, protection, and preparedness. It impacts healthcare by developing and implementing health education programs, regulating healthcare systems, identifying and monitoring disease, developing public policy, and conducting research.

An associate's degree in any discipline is required for admission.



"I had my associate's degree from NECC and started taking courses elsewhere for my bachelor's, but the transition wasn't smooth. Now I'm glad to be part of Regis at NECC — makes me feel special. I'm excited to actually finish my BA degree. Then, I'm going to go on for my master's at Regis. That will put me in a very good position."

— Yanina Vasquez, Student BA in Public Health

FAST FACTS

- We accept up to 90 transfer credits with grades of C or higher
- Small class sizes offered in the evenings or online
- One-on-one support from faculty and advisors
- High quality faculty, deeply invested in student success
- Affordable — can apply for financial aid if taking two or more courses
- Easy application process includes:
 - Application
 - Statement of purpose and resume
 - One letter of recommendation
 - Official transcript(s) indicating earned associate's degrees (official transcripts from all institutions attended are required)

Why Regis at NECC?

Regis is a private university in Greater Boston with an exceptional reputation for nursing and health sciences programs. Student success is our top priority. Our faculty and staff make sure students have the resources they need to succeed. Regis graduates are in demand by leading hospitals, medical centers, government agencies, and human service organizations across New England and beyond.

When Courses are Held

Regis courses at NECC are offered in the evenings or in a hybrid format (in-class and online).

Where Courses are Held

All classes are held at the Lawrence campus.

Credits Accepted

Regis will accept up to 90 transfer credits with a grade C or higher.

Tuition and Financial Aid

2016 - 2017 tuition is \$475 per course credit. Students are eligible for financial aid if they take at least 6 credits per semester.

Benefits of a Bachelor's Degree

- Higher earning potential
- More job opportunities
- Greater benefits (health coverage, retirement)
- Job satisfaction and stability
- Children of parents with bachelor's degrees are more likely to obtain their degree

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