

Auburn Montgomery School of Nursing

Eligibility Requirements for Fall 2023 Application to Upper Division

Selection for admission to the upper division of the School of Nursing at Auburn Montgomery is based on academic performance in pre-nursing required courses, a TEAS test score, a writing sample, academic performance in math and science courses, and the amount of pre-nursing credit earned at AUM.

To be eligible to apply for consideration of admission for Fall 2023, all applicants must:

1. Have attended Auburn Montgomery within the last 3 semesters, be currently attending AUM, or have university admission for Fall 2023. Please apply to the university at www.aum.edu/apply by **February 15, 2023**. There is no fee.
2. Be **fully admitted** to the university and to the pre-nursing major (or be eligible for the pre-nursing major). Students with provisional university admission and those currently on Academic Probation or Suspension cannot be considered for admission to the upper division of the nursing program.
3. Submit an **official** Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) score **directly** from ATI Testing to the School of Nursing by **March 15, 2023**. A score of 73% or higher is preferred. Applicants who have an official ACT composite score of 23 or higher on file in the AUM University Admissions Office by **March 15, 2023** are not required to submit a TEAS score.
4. Have successfully completed (grades of “C” or higher) at least three (3) of the five (5) required lab science courses AND have the remaining two (2) of the remaining required lab science courses in progress **at the time of application**.
5. Have successfully completed an Anatomy and Physiology course within 5 years of upper division entry, or a retake of one is required.
 - A student who has earned 2 grades below a “C” in either Anatomy & Physiology I or Anatomy and Physiology II is ineligible to apply to the nursing program.
6. Have no more than **22 credit hours** of pre-nursing coursework left to complete in Spring and Summer 2023 combined.
7. Complete all remaining pre-nursing courses with grades of “C” or higher by the end of **Summer semester 2023**.
8. Have an unadjusted, unrounded GPA of 2.75 or higher based **solely** upon pre-nursing course work at the time of application. Grades are counted every time a course is taken. Grade adjustments (“grade forgiveness”) and Repeat to Replace adjustments are **NOT** considered. A GPA of 2.75 does **NOT** guarantee acceptance.
9. A writing sample is a requirement for admission and a component of the application. You will be provided with a writing prompt and instructions to format the writing sample. The writing sample must be uploaded with the Nursing application.
10. Possess the functional ability to perform the skills and behaviors required of a professional nurse as listed in the current Auburn University at Montgomery Undergraduate Catalog and in the Pre-nursing Student Handbook. (Both may be viewed on the Auburn University at Montgomery website, www.aum.edu.)
11. Submit the **Traditional BSN Application – Fall 2023** application by March 15, 2023.