



University of South Carolina Upstate

**MARY BLACK SCHOOL OF NURSING
Baccalaureate Degree Program**

**Application for Admission/Readmission
RN-BSN Track**

Please read the application carefully and fill it in completely. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Admission Requirements

Admission into the RN-BSN program is selective. All applications are carefully reviewed by the School of Nursing's Admissions and Progression Committee.

Minimum admission qualifications:

- Applicants must be admitted to the University of South Carolina Upstate – there is a separate application process for this.
- Completion of all pre-requisite courses (lower general education studies) with a grade of "C" or better is required.
- Applicants must have a diploma or associate degree in nursing and an unencumbered license.

Submit Completed Application to:
Mary Black School of Nursing
225 S. Pleasantburg Drive
Greenville, SC 29606

Application Deadlines

(These deadlines apply to re-admitting students also.)

- February 1st for following Fall Semester
Late applications will not be accepted.

Application Checklist

Your application to the Mary Black School of Nursing RN-BSN Program will be considered **incomplete** and will **NOT** be sent to Committee unless the following items have been completed:

- The application was turned in by the stated deadline.
- All items on the application are completely filled out.
- You have applied to, or have been readmitted to, USC Upstate. You do not have to wait to be accepted to USC Upstate to apply to the School of Nursing.
 - Official transcripts were sent to and received by the *Admissions Department* of USC Upstate with ALL grades earned. This can take several weeks; please do not delay sending in transcripts. Don't forget that you must send in grades of any courses you are currently taking as soon as the semester is over. It is not necessary to send transcripts from any USC campus.
- Official or Unofficial transcripts were sent to and received by the *School of Nursing* with ALL grades earned. Don't forget that you must send in grades of any courses you are currently taking as soon as the semester is over. It is not necessary to send transcripts from any USC campus. However it is highly recommended that you send official transcripts directly to the School of Nursing in addition to the USC Upstate Admissions office.
- Fall applicants can expect a decision letter by the end of May.

Phone Numbers

Admissions Department – 503-5246 Mary Black School of Nursing - 503-5441

Please keep this page for your reference

What courses are you presently taking?

Course	Semester & Year	Where

List all other remaining prerequisite courses and when you plan to complete them:

Course	Semester & Year	Where

Do you have a current RN license? Yes No

If Yes: State & license # _____ Date of Expiration _____

If No: Date that you expect to take the NCLEX: _____

Do you have any disabilities? Yes No

If Yes, please list _____

Please read the catalog for a list of the required core performance standards as defined by the Southern Council on Collegiate Education for Nursing (SCCEN). The standards include, but are not limited to, critical thinking and related mental abilities, communication and interpersonal abilities, physical activities, hearing and smell. The catalog is available online at <http://www.uscupstate.edu>.

Demographic Information

Admissions decisions are not affected by this information and it will be kept confidential. It is requested for statistical reporting only and is optional, but it will help us better serve your needs.

US Citizen: Yes No Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Ethnic Background:

- White, not of Hispanic origin Black, not of Hispanic origin Hispanic
- Native American/Alaskan Native Asian or Pacific Islander Other

Re-Admission Students only: What is the last nursing course you successfully completed at USC Upstate and when did you take it? _____

Course _____ Semester & Year _____

*** Any student who has missed a major semester may have to complete all requirements again including, but not limited to, a Criminal Record Background check and a drug screening.***

I certify that the information on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature _____ Date _____