

# VETERAN TO BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING V-CARE



5

Semesters to complete

7,000+

Registered Nurse job openings  
in the state of Florida each year

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Nursing ranking as most honest and  
ethical profession in the U.S. for the  
18th consecutive year

*Gallup Poll*

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Nursing credit for military medic/corpsman education and training
- ✓ In-state tuition for all qualified military and veterans
- ✓ No expiration date on prerequisite coursework
- ✓ Clinical training at nationally recognized Level I trauma and VA health care centers
- ✓ Flexibility of completing prerequisite coursework at any regionally accredited institution, either live or in person
- ✓ In compliance NECP/MECP requirements
- ✓ ROTC on campus for Air Force, Army, and Navy

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**SOUTH FLORIDA**  
College of Nursing



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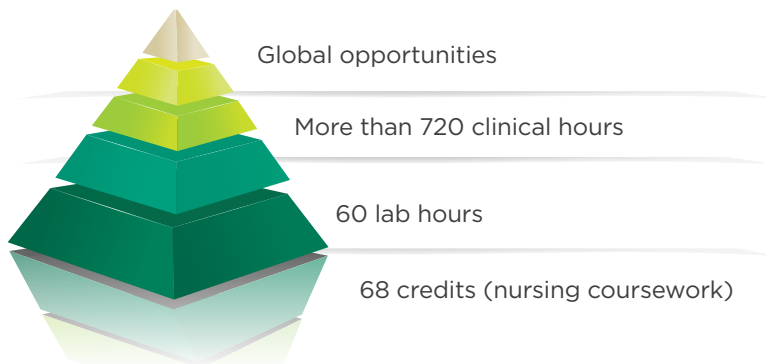


“ The nursing program at USF is well-known in the military community for its willingness to go above and beyond for veterans. The transition from active duty military member to full-time student has been seamless due to the structure of the college, as well as its faculty. Many professors at USF have military experience themselves and do an amazing job integrating our medic and corpsman experience into the new role of becoming a nurse. They work with you for the entire journey, from going over transcripts before getting into the program, to graduation. ”

**KIMBERLY HOEFER**

*E-6/Petty Officer First Class Health Services Technician, Coast Guard; Student, V-CARE*

## Your journey ...



## Your future ...



Become a nurse educator, public health nurse, charge nurse, clinician manager, or other nurse administrator

Go on to earn a graduate degree, which can lead to becoming a nurse practitioner, nurse educator, or clinical expert



Experience interprofessional collaboration with anesthesiologists, athletic trainers, pharmacists, and public health professionals

### ACCREDITATION

The baccalaureate degree program in nursing, master's degree program in nursing, and Doctor of Nursing Practice program at the University of South Florida are accredited by the *Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, 655 K Street, NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, (202) 887-6791.*

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ Admission to University of South Florida (Tampa) as a degree-seeking undergraduate student
- ✓ Minimum 3.0 GPA on all undergraduate coursework
- ✓ Completion of the nursing prerequisite courses before the program start date

*Note: Any outstanding nursing prerequisite past the nursing application deadline must be completed with a B grade or better by the program start date*

- ✓ Completion of the university's foreign language and general education requirements before the program start date
- ✓ Submission of the College of Nursing SOAR application before the deadline listed on the V-CARE website

*Note: Late applications will not be considered*

**NOTE:** Admission is based on overall GPA, nursing prerequisites, a professional resume, and an interview to identify motivations for pursuing nursing and professional approach to potential clinical scenarios

## PREREQUISITE REQUIREMENTS

*Prerequisite courses must be completed with a "C" or better*

- Human Anatomy & Physiology I & II with labs (8 hours)
- Microbiology with lab (4 hours)
- Statistics (3 hours)
- Human Nutrition (3 hours)
- Human Growth & Development or Life Cycle (3 hours)
- Any Chemistry, Biology, Biochemistry or Physics (3 hours)
- Any Psychology or Sociology (3 hours)



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