



Ordinance 16

Curriculum of Bachelor of Nursing

1.0 Scope

- 1.1 This ordinance shall apply to the program leading to Bachelor of Nursing degree: B.Sc. (Nursing).
- 1.2 The various clauses of this ordinance and syllabus of the program are subject to provisions and circulars notified by Board of Studies of Indian Nursing council.
- 1.3 Any change/revision/modification as well as resolution passed / circular issued by the Indian Nursing Council, shall be incorporated as it is by the University in their compliance with immediate effect.

2.0 Eligibility for Admission

2.1 A candidate seeking admission to the B Sc. Nursing program should have passed the Intermediate examination with PCB and English individually 50% Marks (English is a compulsory subject in 10+2) of UP Board or 10+2 level equivalent examinations from any Board CBSE/ICSE or other equivalent Board. Candidates are also eligible from State Open School recognized by State Government and National Institute of Open School (NIOS) recognized by Central Government having science subjects and English only.

2.2 A candidate must have obtained minimum 45% marks in physics, chemistry and Biology put together in qualifying examination. Admission under reserved quota shall be subject to reservation policy and Eligibility criteria for SC/ST/OBC/PH/EWSs prescribed by Central Govt/State Govt. (Reservation SC/ST, OBC or any other shall be as per the Central Govt/State Govt. rules as applicable and reservation shall be applicable within the sanctioned number of the seats). English is a compulsory subject in 10+2 for being eligible for admission to B.Sc. Nursing.

2.3 The minimum age for admission shall be 17 years on 31st December of the year in which admission is sought and the maximum age 35 years.

2.4 Admission shall be made once in a year and open to both male and female candidates.

2.5 A candidate shall have to be medically fit. However, colour Blind candidates should be considered for admission to Nursing Courses subject to the condition that colour corrective contact lens and spectacles are worn by such candidates.

2.6 For disabled candidates 5% Disability reservation to be considered with a disability of locomotor to the tune of 40% to 50% of the lower extremity and other eligibility criteria with regard to age and qualification will be same as prescribed for each nursing program. The upper age limit shall be relaxed by 5 years for disabled candidates.

2.7 Married candidates are also eligible for admission.

h) Selection of candidate should be based on the merit of the university entrance test. Entrance test shall comprise of: Aptitude for Nursing-20 Marks, Physics- 20 Marks, Chemistry- 20 Marks, Biology- 20 Marks, English- 20 Marks. Entrance test shall be conducted by GS University.

2.8 The inter-se-merit of candidates for tie-breaking: In case of two or more candidates obtain equal marks in the GS Nursing Entrance Test (GSNET), the inter-se-merit shall be determined as follows:

1. Candidate obtaining higher marks in Biology in the Test, followed by
2. Candidate obtaining higher marks in Chemistry in the Test, followed by,
3. Candidate obtaining higher marks in Physics in the Test, followed by,
4. Candidate obtaining higher marks in Nursing Aptitude in the Test, followed by,
5. Candidate obtaining higher marks in English in the Test, followed by,
6. Aggregate Marks in Science in Class XII (Intermediate) in the Board Examination

3.0 Duration

The duration of the program leading to the award of Bachelor of Nursing (B Sc. Nursing) shall be of four academic years including 8 Semesters (Odd Semester, 1st August to 31st January, Even Semester, 01st February to 30th July for one Academic year)

4.0 Maximum Period for Completion of Program

The maximum period for completion of program successfully should not exceed eight years.

5.0 Distribution

Eight semesters. This includes internship of six months in Semester 8.

6.0 Plan for the first 7 Semesters

6.1 Total Weeks per Semester: 26 weeks per semester

6.2 Number of Weeks per Semester for instruction: 20 weeks (40 hours per week × 20 weeks = 800 hours)

6.3 Number of Working Days: Minimum of 100 working days (5 days per week × 20 weeks)

6.4 Vacation, Holidays, Examination and Preparatory Holidays: 6 weeks

Vacation: 3 weeks; Holidays: 1 week; Examination and Preparatory Holidays: 2 weeks

7.0 Plan for the 8th Semester

7.1 Duration: 22 weeks

7.2 Vacation: 1 week

7.3 Holidays: 1 week

7.4 Examination and Preparatory Holidays: 2 weeks

Note: Vacation Summer/Winnter are except internship.

8.0 Annual Intake

a) The number of students shall be admitted as approved by the executive council of the university subject to maximum seats sanctioned by the Indian Nursing Council

b) Admission to the programme shall be made only in 1st semester and the last date for admission shall be 31st July of the admission year, unless notified to the contrary for a specific year by the Indian Nursing Council.

9.0 Medium of Instruction

The medium of instruction for all subjects of study and examination shall be English.

10.0 Attendance

a) Each student is normally required to attend all the lectures and practical' of every subject as also the curricular and co-curricular activities.

b) A student must have minimum 80% attendance in theory and practical of each subject for appearing in the examination. In special circumstances, short fall in attendance can be condoned on case's merit to the extent of 10% by the principal. If the short fall is more than 10% but not more than 15%, the principal may recommend on case's merit to the Vice Chancellor for condonation. The order of Vice Chancellor shall be final.

c) A candidate must have 100% attendance in each of practical area before award of degree.

11.0 Scheme of Examination

Semester – 1

The distribution of marks in internal assessment, Even Semester College Examination and End Semester

S. No.	University Exam for each course is shown below	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Communicative English	25	25		2	50
2	Applied Anatomy & Applied Physiology	25		75	3	100
3	Applied Sociology & Applied Psychology	25		75	3	100
4	Nursing Foundations I	*25				
	Practical					
5	Nursing Foundations I	*25				

*Will be added to the internal marks of Nursing Foundations II Theory and Practical respectively in the next semester (Total weightage remains the same)

Example:

Nursing Foundations Theory: Nursing Foundations I Theory Internal marks in 1st semester will be added to Nursing Foundations II Theory Internal in the 2nd semester and average of the two semesters will be taken.

Semester II

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Applied Biochemistry and Applied Nutrition & Dietetics	25		75	3	100
2	Nursing Foundations (I & II)	25 I Sem-25 & II Sem-25 (with average of both)		75	3	100
3	Health/Nursing Informatics & Technology	25	25		2	50
	Practical					
5	Nursing Foundations (I & II)	50 I Sem-25 & II Sem-25		50		100

T-Theory, P-Practicum (Skill lab & Clinical)

*HNIT 145-College Exam

Semester III

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Applied Microbiology and Infection Control including Safety	25		75	3	100
2	Pharmacology I and Pathology I	*25				
3	Adult Health Nursing I	25		75	3	100
	Practical					
5	Adult Health Nursing I	50		50		100

*Will be added to the internal marks of Pharmacology II and Pathology II & Genetics in the next semester (Total weightage remains the same).

Semester IV

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Pharmacology & Pathology (I & II) and Genetics	25 III Sem-25 & IV Sem-25 (with average of both)		75	3	100
2	Adult Health Nursing II	25		75	3	100
3	Professionalism, Ethics and Professional Values	25	25		2	50
	Practical					
5	Adult Health Nursing II	50		50		100

Semester V

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Child Health Nursing I	*25				
2	Mental Health Nursing I	*25				
3	Community Health Nursing I including Environmental Science & Epidemiology	25		75	3	100
4	Educational Technology / Nursing Education	25		75	3	100
5	Introduction to Forensic Nursing and Indian Laws	25	25		2	50
	Practical					
6	Child Health Nursing I	*25				
7	Mental Health Nursing I	*25				
8	Community Health Nursing I	50		50		100

*Will be added to the internal marks of Child Health Nursing II and Mental Health Nursing II in both theory and practical respectively in the next semester (Total weightage remains same).

Semester VI

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Child Health Nursing (I & II)	25 Sem V-25 & Sem VI-25 (with average of both)		75	3	100
2	Mental Health Nursing (I & II)	25 Sem V-25 & Sem VI-25 (with average of both)		75	3	100

3	Nursing Management & Leadership	25		75	3	100
4	Midwifery/Obstetrics & Gynecology I	*25				
Practical						
5	Child Health Nursing (I & II)	50 (Sem V-25 & Sem VI-25)		50		100
6	Mental Health Nursing (I & II)	50 (Sem V-25 & Sem VI-25)		50		100
7	Midwifery/Obstetrics & Gynecology I	*25				

*Will be added to Internal marks of Midwifery II theory and practical respectively in the next semester (Total weightage remains the same)

Semester VII

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Theory					
1	Community Health Nursing II	25		75	3	100
2	Nursing Research & Statistics	25		75	3	100
3	Midwifery/Obstetrics and Gynecology (OBG) Nursing (I & II)	25 Sem VI-25 & Sem VII-25(with average of both)		75	3	100
	Practical					
4	Community Health Nursing II	50		50		100
5	Midwifery/Obstetrics and Gynecology (OBG) Nursing (I & II)	50 (Sem VI-25 & Sem VII-25)		50		100

Semester VIII

S. No.	Course	Assessment (Marks)				
		Internal	End Semester College Exam	End Semester University Exam	Hours	Total Marks
	Practical					
1	Competency Assessment	100		100		100

11.0 Award of Degree

The student shall be eligible for award of B.Sc. Nursing degree on successful completion of prescribed course of study and have been declared pass in the final result.

12.0 Amendments in the Ordinance in congruence to Guidelines of Indian Nursing Council

The "Academic Council" of the University shall ordinarily adopt amendments relating to the conduct of B.Sc. Nursing programme once notified by the Indian Nursing Council.

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause 20.11 of Statute 20 of the GS University Act, 2019, the Executive Council of GS University in its 1st Meeting held on 19.07.2024 passed a resolution confirming Ordinance 16.

