Mercy Hospital
School of Nursing
Is Nursing Your Vocational Choice?

Are you interested in becoming a member of a team whose purpose is to promote the mental, physical, social and spiritual welfare of mankind?

Are you interested in working with people in the medical, social service, religious and allied professions?

Are you interested in a profession which will prepare you for long term job security, foreign travel, an armed service career, marriage and family responsibilities?

Do You Qualify For Nursing?

Are you in the upper 1/2 of your high school class?
Do you like people?
Do you have good physical and mental health?
Are you interested in teaching people to stay well and prevent disease as well as caring for those who are ill?

Mercy Hospital School of Nursing And Your Preparation As A Professional Nurse

Mercy Hospital School of Nursing is a 27 academic month diploma school of professional nursing.
Day students are encouraged. Some dormitory facilities are available.
The educational building is across the street from Mercy Hospital.
The University of Illinois is within walking distance and offers many extracurricular opportunities.
Students of all races and creeds are welcome at Mercy Hospital School of Nursing.
Accreditation

Illinois Department of Registration and Education
Accrediting Service of the National League for Nursing

Mercy Hospital has the full approval of the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals and holds membership in the American Hospital Association, the Illinois Hospital Association and the Catholic Hospital Association of the United States and Canada

Admission Requirements

At least 17 years of age
U. S. citizenship or papers indicating a declaration of intent
High School Chemistry
Good character — personal references
Satisfactory Score on Pre-Entrance Nursing Tests
Upper 1/2 of High School Class

Curriculum

Fundamental principles and skills in patient care.

Biological and Social Sciences
Introduction to Nursing in the Clinical Area

Medical - Surgical Nursing including operating room experience
Obstetrical Nursing
Pediatric Nursing
Religion
Psychiatric Nursing
Advanced Medical - Surgical Nursing
Marriage and The Family
Medical - Moral Ethics

Student Nurse Association

A student council and student government association is maintained.

Students are active in the State and National Association of Student Nurses.

Social Activities

Students are encouraged to participate in extra-curricular activities and develop interests in addition to nursing.

A Physical Education Program is conducted at a local YMCA.

There is a school choral group.

One Heart And One Soul