



# School of Nursing

COLLEGE OF HEALTH & SCIENCES

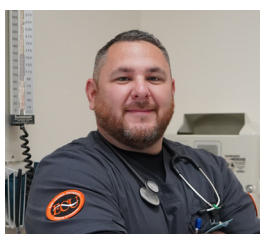
## Careers With a Nursing Degree:

- Cardiology Nurses
- Forensic Nurses
- Home Health Care Nurses
- Intensive Care Unit Nurses
- Legal Nurse Consultants
- Military Nurses
- Nurse Administrators
- Nurse Educators
- Nurse Investigators
- Nurse Midwives
- Obstetrical Nurses
- Oncology Nurses
- Operating Room Nurses
- Pediatric Nurses
- Public Health Care Nurses
- Psychiatric Nursing
- School Nurses
- ...and so much more!



Nursing is an exciting and rewarding profession that involves both the art and the science of nursing. Professional nurses are in high demand in today's health care system. Professional nurses are recognized for their skills, judgment and decision-making ability. Research has shown there is a direct correlation between successful patient recovery and the number of baccalaureate nurses providing care. The ECU School of Nursing is recognized for its excellence in nursing education. ECU graduates are heavily recruited by health care facilities throughout the central plains and the southwest.

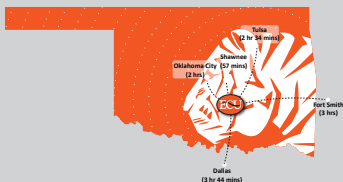
## > Nursing Mission



The mission of the ECU School of Nursing is to prepare baccalaureate nurses that are lifelong learners to provide safe, quality, patient-centered care in an environment of teamwork and collaboration. Evidence-based practice and informatics will be used to provide the best possible outcomes for the client and health care team in a rapidly changing and culturally diverse society.

## \$how Me the Money!

Graduates with a Nursing degree typically earn between \$51,000 and \$78,000 for entry-level jobs. As a college graduate, you can earn an average of 75% more than those with only a high school degree, per *The Chicago Tribune!* (NACE 2021 Salary Report)



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> Degree Options

## BS with a Major in Nursing

The School of Nursing offers a five-semester program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Nursing to pre-licensure students. Graduates of this ACEN-accredited, state-approved program are eligible to write the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NcLeX-RN). Applicants for an Oklahoma license must meet all state and federal requirements to hold an Oklahoma license to practice nursing. Please see the Oklahoma Board of Nursing website or contact the ECU School of Nursing office if you have additional questions.



## Accreditation & Approval

For recent program outcomes and additions, accreditation and approval information, please see our web page at [www.ecok.edu/nursing](http://www.ecok.edu/nursing). The baccalaureate Nursing program at East Central University located in Ada, OK, is accredited by the:



### Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)

3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400 • Atlanta, Georgia 30326  
Phone: 404-975-5000 • <http://www.acenursing.org>



The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissions for the East Central University baccalaureate Nursing program is Continuing Accreditation. View the public information disclosed by the ACEN regarding this program at [www.acenursing.us/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm](http://www.acenursing.us/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm).

### Oklahoma Board of Nursing

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### School of Nursing

**Dean:** Dr. Ken Andrews  
College of Health & Sciences  
**Director:** Dr. Darcy Duncan  
**Degree:** Bachelor of Science  
**Concentrations:** 1  
**Faculty:** 14 full-time & 15 part-time  
**Organizations:** 2  
**Scholarships:** 10  
**Location:** 318 Science Hall, Ada Campus



### ECU at a Glance

**Undergraduate Enrollment:** 3,000  
**Undergraduate Majors:** 70+  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 13 to 1  
**Average Class Size:** 22  
**Faculty with PhDs:** 65%  
**States Represented:** 28  
**Countries Represented:** 30+  
**Year Founded:** 1909  
**Campus Size:** 140 Acres  
**Area Location:** Ada, Oklahoma



### Tiger Spirit

**Mascot:** Roary the Tiger  
**School Colors:** Orange & Black  
**Student Organizations:** 60+  
**Athletics:** NCAA Division II

Men's:	Football Baseball Basketball	Cross Country Track & Field
Women's:	Basketball Volleyball Softball	Soccer Cross Country Track & Field

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