

College of Nursing Undergraduate Honors Advisement Guidelines

The following guidelines are for Wayne State University students who indicate an interest in becoming a Nursing Honors Student. From the initial point-of-contact at the College of Nursing or the Wayne State University Honors Program:

- 1) The interested student is directed to see a College of Nursing Office of Student Affairs (OSA) advisor regarding the Nursing Honors option. The contact person in the Office of Student Affairs is Ms. Moira Fracassa [at aw9799@wayne.edu](mailto:aw9799@wayne.edu)
- 2) The OSA Advisor will review the Nursing Honors option template and nursing honors courses with the interested student and print out the Honors application from Honors Web site.
- 3) The OSA Advisor will refer the Student to one of the Nursing Honors Faculty Advisors to discuss which courses may be the most appropriate ones for the Student to take as an Honors Option course. The current Nursing Honors Faculty Advisors are Dr. April Vallerand and Mrs. Diane Featherston
- 4) Students intending to complete the Nursing Honors option will complete the University Honors Application and submit it to University Honors Department for review and approval.
- 5) The primary contact person at the University Honors Department is Liza Lagman Sperl at ab8898@wayne.edu. Questions about University requirements for the Honors program should be directed to Ms. Lagman Sperl.
- 6) Students enrolled in University or the Nursing Honors option will be entered into OSA Honors database by the OSA Advisor or designee. The OSA Advisor will also have the student's university major changed to Nursing Honors (NURH).
- 7) Nursing Honors option students are expected to meet with their assigned Nursing Honors Faculty Advisor at least yearly to review their progress in Nursing Honors.
- 8) Nursing Honors option students are expected to arrange a meeting within the first two weeks of each semester with the Faculty of Record for approved courses in which they elect to complete an honors component.
- 9) Nursing Honors Students are expected to complete and submit the necessary signed Honors paperwork to the University Honors Program (due dates for signed faculty-student negotiated contracts are due by the fourth week of classes each semester) within the University guidelines.