What is the MEPN program?

- Designed for individuals with no background in nursing
- Gain the skills and experience necessary to become an RN
- Opportunity for additional specialization
- Only program in the state
Who should get a MEPN?

- Bachelor’s prepared individual
- Wants to earn nursing license
- Other non-nursing careers available
What is included in the MEPN program?

- 23 classes (76 credits) = 5 semesters
- On-campus, Hybrid & Online
- Clinical requirements - 784 Clinical hours
- 70 Simulation hours
What are the Prerequisites?

5 Prerequisite courses:
  • Anatomy & Physiology I
  • Anatomy & Physiology II
  • Microbiology
  • Chemistry
  • Human Growth & Development

• Earn a “C” or better

• Completed within the past 10 years
What is required for admission?

- Successful completion of bachelor’s degree
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 on all prior coursework
- Successful completion of prerequisite courses
- BLS certification*
What is the application process?

• Online application and $50 application fee
• Personal goal statement and current CV/resume
• 3 recommendations
• Copy of all transcripts
• GRE not required
When is the application deadline?

Spring entry 2022

- Applications available
  May 1 – September 1

- Classes start
  January 10, 2022
#1 Public University Online Master's Nursing Program

#2 overall program in the country
Where do I send everything?

The Graduate School
1705 College Street, Suite 552
Columbia, SC 29208

Gradapp@mailbox.sc.edu
Important Links

• CON Website – http://go.sc.edu/mepn

• Transfer Table - https://my.sc.edu/codes/transferequiv/index

• Graduate School application -
  http://gradschool.sc.edu/prospective/apply.asp?page=apply
Contact Information

Scott Ranges
sranges@mailbox.sc.edu
803-777-9173
Thank You!

UNIVERSITY OF South Carolina
College of Nursing