

**GUARANTEED ADMISSION AGREEMENT FOR NURSING  
BETWEEN  
RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE  
AND  
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING**

This Agreement ("Agreement") is effective as of this First day of October, 2013, by and between the George Washington University, a congressionally chartered nonprofit corporation located in Washington, D.C. ("GW") and Randolph-Macon College, a liberal arts college located in Ashland, Virginia ("R-MC").

WHEREAS, GW and R-MC are committed to the premise that a successful academic program leading to the attainment of a nursing degree must have a clearly delineated education pathway through which students may achieve their career goals; and

WHEREAS, GW and R-MC are committed to the training of future nurses by providing an education pathway that permits students to progress from a baccalaureate program to a nursing degree program through a guaranteed admission program; and

WHEREAS, GW and R-MC agree to coordinate their respective activities to achieve the above-mentioned objectives.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises and mutual covenants and promises contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

- A. Program Description: This Agreement has been developed to guarantee admission into the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSN) program at GW to students who have earned a Bachelor's degree at R-MC. Students who graduate from R-MC with a Bachelor's degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and meet the eligibility requirements described below are guaranteed admission to and may enroll in the GW ABSN program. GW's School of Nursing agrees to offer guaranteed admission to all students who wish to attend the GW program and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in this Agreement. This Agreement establishes a partnership between R-MC and GW for the benefit of students.
- B. Eligibility Requirements: To be eligible for participation in this guaranteed admission agreement, R-MC students must satisfy each of the requirements set forth below:
  - 1. Submit a **Letter of Interest** (in the format attached to this Agreement) to GW after completing a minimum of sixty (60) credits at R-MC.

2. Have a minimum of a 3.0 out of a 4.0 grade point average after the first 60 hours of courses and graduate with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 in a baccalaureate degree program from R-MC.
  3. Maintain continuous enrollment at R-MC.
  4. Complete the following courses with a grade of C or better:
    - a. 6-8 semester hours Human Anatomy and Physiology
    - b. 3-4 semester hours Microbiology
    - c. 3 semester hours Statistics
    - d. 3 semester hours Nutrition
    - e. 3 semester hours Ethics
  5. Students must also have completed the following courses or their equivalent at R-MC:
    - a. 6 semester hours English
    - b. 3 semester hours Math
    - c. 12 semester hours Humanities/Social Sciences. (It is recommended that applicants also have coursework in Developmental Psychology.)
    - d. 12 semester hours Natural Sciences (usually fulfilled by Anatomy, Physiology, and Microbiology)
  6. Electronically submit the online GW application, School of Nursing supplemental application materials and all required documents by November 1 of the final year at R-MC.
- C. Other Activities: The Dean of the GW School of Nursing, or her designee, will visit the R-MC campus as requested to meet with students interested in the ABSN program. Additionally, the Dean, or her designee, and R-MC leadership agree to meet twice annually to evaluate the effectiveness of the Agreement and to discuss other collaborative activities and programs that would benefit R-MC students.
- D. Term and Termination: This Agreement will remain in effect until terminated by either party upon written notice to the other party of an intention to terminate. Such notice should be given at least one year in advance of the effective date of termination and students who applied to GW pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement may continue with the application and selection process unless the parties mutually agree otherwise.