### Program and Application Information

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**Application Website:** [https://www.applyweb.com/apply/jmug/index.html](https://www.applyweb.com/apply/jmug/index.html)  

**International Applicants:** [http://www.jmu.edu/grad/international/index.shtml](http://www.jmu.edu/grad/international/index.shtml)  

**Catalog Link:** [http://www.jmu.edu/catalog/](http://www.jmu.edu/catalog/)  

**Application Deadlines:** Applicants who apply prior to April 1 will be given first consideration.  

**Program Begins:** Fall, Spring  

**Degree(s) Offered:** Master of Science in Nursing  

**Test Requirements:** GRE General Test or Miller Analogy Test  
**International Requirements -** Foreign school graduate: Pass CGFNS Exam, R.N. License, TOEFL (Paper: 570 or higher, Electronic: 88 or higher)

### Required by The Graduate School

**Required Electronically:**  
- Application  
- Application fee  
- Official scores

**Send official transcripts to The Graduate School.** The preferred method is an electronic copy sent via e-Scrip or National Student Clearing House.  

If an electronic copy is not an option, official, unopened paper copies can be mailed to:  

**The Graduate School**  
James Madison University  
17 West Grace Street  
MSC 6702  
Harrisonburg, VA 22807  

**Required by Program**  
- Current resume or curriculum vitae  
- Personal education/professional goals statement  
- Two letters of recommendation, at least one from someone that has evaluated applicant’s work (faculty, employee)  
- Applicants should also hold a Bachelor of Science with a cumulative GPA of 2.8, hold a current Registered Nurse license, have relevant clinical nursing experience, health documentation & CPR certification, and have taken 3 credit undergraduate courses in statistics and health assessment with a grade of "C" or higher.  
- Meet the department’s disability accommodation  
- Complete an interview upon request

**Nursing Website:** [http://www.nursing.jmu.edu/msn/index.html](http://www.nursing.jmu.edu/msn/index.html)