

# Bachelor of Science in **Nursing for RNs**

## HYBRID DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM



## JUMP START OPTION

A.D.N. Students from Butte College, College of the Redwoods, College of the Siskiyou, Mendocino College, Yuba College and Shasta College are eligible for the CSU, Chico RN to BSN Program Jump Start Option.

The Jump Start Option is for students who have completed the necessary coursework requirements for admission to the CSU Chico RN to BSN Program, meet the GPA requirements, and are achieving a 3.0 GPA in their A.D.N. program. See the **CSU, Chico A.D.N RN to BSN Transfer Worksheet** for your A.D.N. Program for the specifics. The worksheet is available at the School of Nursing website (below).

While still enrolled in their A.D.N. program, qualified students may take one or both of the two Upper Division GE classes—RELS 332–World Religions & Global Issues and MCGS 310–LGBTQ Issues & Identities—required for the RN to BSN Program. Registration for these online classes is through CSU, Chico Regional & Continuing Education and admission to the University is not required.

- During fall & spring semesters, enroll through the Open University program at [openu.csuchico.edu](http://openu.csuchico.edu).
- During Summer or Winter Session, visit [summer.csuchico.edu](http://summer.csuchico.edu) and [winter.csuchico.edu](http://winter.csuchico.edu) for schedules and registration.

Completing one or both of these courses while still in the A.D.N. program ensures top priority points for admission to the RN to BSN Program (if all other admission requirements are met). This option provides an easier transition for New Graduates as they will only need two fall semester courses, instead of three, and get a winter break if they complete both courses. The Jump Start Option is the CSU, Chico RN to BSN Program version of informal co-enrollment.

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*Graduate Christian Marano, RN to BSN Class of '17, greets a student at the Department of State Hospitals recruiting table at the November 2017 Chico State Career Fair. Photo credit: Jessica Bartlett, CSU, Chico*



*RN to BSN students gather during one of the orientations held on-campus at the beginning of each semester. Student Christian Marano “always looked forward to travelling to Chico not only to meet with faculty and fellow students, but also to walk the grounds and the halls of the school. It gave me a sense of pride and a feeling of belonging to a larger academic tradition.”*



*Student Diana Ayllon promotes the use of bicycle helmets to local youth, one of the RN to BSN Program's community outreach opportunities.*