Your Seat is Waiting – Start Your Journey to Nursing Now

Eliminate the stress of checking the mail and waiting on the acceptance letter! The high school direct admit pathway (DAP) is for outstanding juniors and seniors in high school wanting to commit to attending Southwestern Oklahoma State University (SWOSU) Department of Nursing as a freshman while enjoying assurance of a "seat" from the beginning of their university experience.

DAP Admission Requirements

1. Submit application for general admission to SWOSU.
2. Submit application to the DAP program by start of freshman year at SWOSU.
3. Submit official high school transcript showing a minimum GPA of 3.8.
4. Submit official ACT scores showing a minimum composite score of 25. If an ACT score is not available, a minimum SAT score of 1200 will be accepted.
5. Submit a signed copy of Southwestern Oklahoma State University Department of Nursing High School Direct Admit Pathway Letter of Intent

After graduation from high school, DAP honorees must successfully complete all pre-professional requirements with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25 and with a grade of "C" or better in all coursework (two years depending on qualified concurrent coursework) before entering the BSN Traditional Nursing Program (two professional years).

The DAP program caters to high-achieving high school seniors aspiring to pursue a nursing career, providing them with an efficient admission process and early access to nursing coursework. Benefits of the DAP program include personalized support and guidance from experienced faculty members. It offers a clear pathway to the traditional BSN program, small clinical and lab groups facilitating hands-on learning, and seamless transition into SWOSU Nursing master's programs for further education and career advancement. SWOSU Nursing graduates can expect 100% career placement upon graduation.

For more information about the Direct Admit Pathway program, including admission requirements and application procedures, contact Courtney Bryan at courtney.bryan@swosu.edu or LeaAnne Hume at leaanne.hume@swosu.edu. Application can be found at https://swosu.jotform.com/nursing/dap.