Learn by doing. Gain confidence and experience to help prepare you for a career in nursing. Our Bachelor of Science in Nursing program combines active learning, simulation labs where you can practice for real-world scenarios, direct care opportunities, and interprofessional education that meets professional and ethical standards.
Mission Statement
At West Coast University, we embrace a student-centric learning partnership that leads to professional success. We deliver transformational education within a culture of integrity and personal accountability. We design market-responsive programs through collaboration between faculty and industry professionals. We continuously pursue more effective and innovative ways through which students develop the competencies and confidence required in a complex and changing world.

Values

A Student-Centric Culture
We believe it is our institutional responsibility to identify, understand, and respond to student needs.

The Communities We Serve
We take our responsibility to make a positive impact on the communities that surround us very seriously.

Innovation and Creativity
We are committed to bringing innovation and creativity to the development and delivery of instruction including offering a blend of courses in-person and online.

Accreditations
Accreditation provides an objective, third-party endorsement to students and their parents of an institution’s commitment to deliver a quality education.
West Coast University is institutionally accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC)¹ and holds programmatic accreditation from Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)², among others.
For a full list of our accreditors visit:
https://westcoastuniversity.edu/about/accreditation/
Why Choose WCU-Miami?

At West Coast University-Miami, every part of our program is designed with our students’ needs in mind. This includes creating a program with no waitlists so that classes are always available when you need them. WCU-Miami’s student-centric approach means you get one-on-one support every step of the way, from no-cost tutoring to Student Success advisors. We are continuously pursuing more effective and innovative ways to make a nursing education accessible to students who have the passion to make a difference in their communities.

The West Coast University Difference

West Coast University works diligently to stay at the forefront of the healthcare industry.

- **No Waitlists**
  With no waitlists, you can start your degree now and begin making a difference sooner.

- **Simulation Labs**
  Work through real-life scenarios to master your skills and gain confidence before even stepping foot in a hospital.

- **Clinical Support**
  With a diverse range of clinical partners, our clinical advisors can help you find a local placement that aligns with your interests.

- **NCLEX Preparation**
  Get individualized support as you prepare for your licensure examination to become a registered nurse.

- **Career Services**
  Get lifetime career planning advice, including resume writing guidance, interview coaching, and more.

- **Financial Aid**
  Financial aid and scholarships are available for those who qualify.
Meet our West Coast University-Miami Campus

Located in the heart of Miami, our campus brings you an education designed for the modern student. Gain hands-on practice at our 5,000-square-feet Simulation Center equipped with industry-current technology and high-fidelity manikins. Get access to the library, computer stations, and student meeting rooms to hold group study sessions. In between classes, enjoy the views from our glass building, grab a seat in our student break room, or enjoy the sunshine in the quad area. The location also provides easy highway access to our students.

LEARN

» Our classrooms are equipped for hands-on active learning.
» Incorporate virtual reality, game-based learning, and storytelling into your lessons.
» Learn from faculty with in-depth field experience in healthcare.

PRACTICE

» Practice your skills in simulation labs that let you experience real-world scenarios in a safe environment.
» Our high-fidelity manikins cry, sweat, and react like real patients.
» Gain hands-on experience at one of our local clinical partners.

STUDY

» Enjoy plenty of spacious study areas throughout the campus.
» Explore collaborative spaces to help you connect with fellow students and faculty.
» Quad area to encourage interaction with peers and faculty.

Students have many options to support them while in the BSN program. Their potential for success is further amplified with our resources to help them pass NCLEX-RN and return to WCU for their advanced nursing degrees.

— Chiarina Piazza, PhD, MEd, RN
College of Nursing Interim Dean
West Coast University

TRACY M.
WCU-MIAMI, BSN ’19

MONICA M.
WCU-MIAMI, BSN ’20

ABIGAIL R.
WCU-MIAMI, BSN ’20

CHIARA B.
WCU-MIAMI, BSN ’20
Technologically Advanced Simulation Centers

At WCU-Miami, our goal is to build both the skills and confidence required in the nursing field. Our campus, located in the heart of Miami, features a 5,000-square-foot, technologically advanced simulation center. Practice using high-fidelity manikins that cry, sweat, and react like real patients. Coupled with hands-on clinical experiences, our simulations give students the opportunity to master foundational skills and graduate with confidence.

Healthcare Education on a Global Scale

West Coast University offers different global education programs that give students a once-in-a-lifetime learning opportunity — from our Global Public Health Program, which lets students work with medically underserved communities abroad, to our Oxford Honors Program, which gives qualified students the opportunity to study at one of the world’s most prestigious institutions.

Evening & Weekends

Are you a working professional? Don’t let a busy schedule keep you from studying for your dream career. Our evening and weekends option gives you the flexibility you need to earn your BSN. Our advisors can help you figure out if this option is right for you.

West Coast University embodies a commitment to quality professional preparation in a student-centric environment. This is the place to begin the next phase of your life and career.

— Jeb Egbert, EdD, MBA  
President/CEO, Academics and Chief Learning Officer  
West Coast University
# BSN Bachelor of Science in Nursing

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A Program cost includes tuition, fees, books, supplies, and shipping for the entire program. Assumes full-time credit load and normal completion.

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2. The baccalaureate degree program in nursing, master’s degree program in nursing, Doctor of Nursing Practice program, and post-graduate APRN certificate program at West Coast University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education: http://www.ccneaccreditation.org
3. The opinion is the individual's sole opinion and not necessarily representative of that of the school, any instructor or any other student.
4. For standards of eligibility, including required program enrollment, minimum GPA and academic standing visit: westcoastuniversity.edu/international-education

WCU provides career guidance and assistance but cannot guarantee employment. Financial aid and scholarships are available for those who qualify. 945 clinical hours scheduled in the program.