



CORSO DI LAUREA: NURSING

Presentation of the course

The Nursing degree program carried out by Università degli studi di Roma - La Sapienza is a 3 year Bachelor's degree taught in the English language. The course consists of full time classes and a practical internship adding up to 180 CFU.

Exams for the course are organized by the respective professors and can be written or oral based on the professors' preference. Classes will be carried out on Sapienza's campus and also in the Faculty building next to Azienda Ospedale Sant'Andrea. Admission to the course is based on an entrance exam also carried out in English. English proficiency exams are not required for admission.

WHAT ARE THE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS FOR ENROLLMENT?

- Valid ID card or passport
- Study Visa issued for "enrollment purposes"/ "immatricolazione"
- Receipt of request for the permesso di soggiorno or the permesso itself for students regularly living in Italy
- High School Diploma (at least 12 years of study) translated into Italian or English with necessary Apostille accompanied by Statement of Verification and Statement of Comparability issued by CIMEA OR a Declaration of Value issued by the competent Italian consulate in your home country

You can find a more detailed description on enrollment requirements in the following link:

<https://www.uniroma1.it/en/pagina/office-students-international-degrees>

HOSPITAL INTERNSHIP

This degree consists heavily of a practical internship carried out in the Sant'Andrea Hospital. A total of 1800 working hours are required for graduation from the course. Students will begin internship in the Spring of the 1st year and will be expected to perform the practical responsibilities of a nurse including preparation and administration of medications, bed making, patient hygiene, venous access, catheterizations, etc. The internship is carried out in English for the beginning of the first year however the student is expected to be actively learning Italian to continue the internship. No Italian language exam is required for admission but the internship will be easier for the student with some Italian knowledge. The student is also required to buy their own white scrubs but it is recommended to buy them in bulk with the class.

USEFUL CONTACTS

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Course website:

<https://corsodilaurea.uniroma1.it/en/corso/2021/28614/home>

WORK OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates can pursue a further education by enrolling in Masters Degree Programs, after passing an admission test organized by universities, first level Professional Master Courses, and Specialization Courses. After obtaining the Masters degree, they can enroll in second level Professional Master Courses and PhD Programs.

They can operate, upon registration into the Professional Association (IPASVI), in public and private hospitals of any sort. They can also operate in other local, national, and European structures, or work as freelancers.

ENTRANCE EXAM

Admission to the Nursing Course is based almost entirely on the entrance exam which is scheduled to take place on the **7th of September 2021**.

To book the exam the payment slip must be filled out and printed and taken to an Italian unicredit along with a payment of 35 euros. It can also be filled out and paid online! (Payment slip found in admission call)

The Entrance exam is entirely in English and a written test composed of 60 multiple choice questions with 5 answer options. (12 General Knowledge, 10 Logical Reasoning, 18 Biology, 12 Chemistry, and 8 Physics and Math questions). The student is given 100 minutes and scores 1.5 points for each correct answer, 0 for no response, and -0.4 for incorrect answers.

The top 15 students with the highest overall scores will be offered placement in the course, if someone rejects then the 16th student will be offered their place and so on. Scores will be posted on the course website. You can find the course website by searching the course code 28614 in the course catalogue on Sapienza's website.

To prepare for the exam there are no given materials however students who have passed suggest the following:
Alphatest Medicina in inglese: essential guide for success in IMAT 2nd edition

AlphaTest Medicina in Inglese: 1200 Quiz

AlphaTest Medicina in Inglese: esercizi commentati

SCHOLARSHIPS (BORSA)

Does Sapienza offer Scholarships?

Yes! There are multiple scholarships available to students enrolled in the Nursing course.

The Borsa di Studio offers students full payment of school fees and in some cases also living arrangements. The deadline to sign up for this scholarship is the 28th of July. This scholarship is offered by DiSCo Lazio and here is the Bando on how to apply:

<http://www.laziodisco.it/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Bando-Diritto-allo-Studio-2021-2022.pdf>

Sapienza's webpage includes other useful scholarships for students, you can find more information here:

<https://www.uniroma1.it/en/pagina/scholarships>

FEES

The normal fees for Sapienza students is 1000 euros per year, however the fees are calculated by ISEE and are reduced based on which country you are coming from. Once enrolled you can enter your ISEE into your Infostud account where the University fees will be calculated and printed for each student to pay either online or at a local Unicredit.

Students with an ISEE below or at 40,000 euros will pay around 375 to 469 per year without considering nationality.

After the entrance exam, it is important to upload the ISEE on your Infostud portal before the deadline for the first tuition payment. If you do not have an ISEE it is recommended to apply for an ISEE evaluation at a CAF at least 30 days before the tuition deadline in order to get tuition fee reduction.

Besides the available reductions, Sapienza also offers various scholarships and grants to help students pay the tuition.

ERASMUS (STUDY ABROAD)

Erasmus+ Traineeship offers the students an opportunity to do an internship abroad in various countries in Europe. From the 2nd and 3rd year in the Nursing course there are 3 English speaking traineeships available including Malta, Greece, and Finland. Sapienza and ERASMUS+ offer grants to help pay for the opportunity. You can find more information on all of the traineeship opportunities abroad offered by Sapienza in the Nursing course catalogue (28614) on Sapienza's website.