

Admissions Procedures for Camp Community College's Nursing Programs

Applicants

- (1) Apply to Camp Community College
- (2) Apply to the Nursing Program of choice
- (3) Attend a **mandatory advising/information session** as a part of the application process; please view the website to see the dates for the sessions; the sessions will be offered alternating months on both the Franklin and Suffolk Hobbs campuses.
- (4) Take the **HESI Entrance Exam** (offered at Camp), **or ATI TEAS or Kaplan**; once per semester, or twice per admission application period; exam dates must be 6 weeks apart.
- (5) Camp offers either a January admission date or May admission date into the Advanced Placement Program.
- (6) Maintain a 2.5 GPA

THE NURSING PROGRAM PARTICIPATES IN A SELECTIVE ADMISSIONS PROCESS.

January Admission Advanced Placement Program: Deadline to submit all required documents to be considered for Admission is the 3rd Friday in November. **The last date to take the HESI Entrance Exam is the 2nd Friday in November.**

May Admission Advanced Placement Program: Deadline to submit all required documents to be considered for Admissions is the 2nd Friday in February. **The last date to take the HESI Entrance Exam is the 1st Friday in February.**

Associate Degree Nursing (Registered Nurse) or Practical Nurse Certificate (LPN) Program: Deadline to submit all required documents to be considered for Admission is the 1st Friday in May for the upcoming school year. The **last date to take the HESI Entrance Exam is 4th Friday in April.**

The following Minimal Admission Requirements for the ADN and PN Programs must be met in the semester prior of the desired admission for ADN and PN.

Complete Application Document List

- Students must hand deliver *their complete application packet, with all documents:*

Your complete application packet MUST include following: *applying to the program does not guarantee a seat in the program

- (A) A hard copy of your *Nursing Program application*: Registered Nursing (ADN Program), Practical Nursing Certificate Program or Advanced Placement Program
- (B) Official transcripts from
 - a. High school, or GED
 - b. College/University/Trade School
 - i. We do not require an official Camp Community College transcript; *however*, the department requires official transcripts from another VCCS schools
- (C) A hard copy of your **Passing Nursing Program Entrance Exam Scores** taken within the last 12 months: ATI TEAS, Kaplan or HESI; **Camp Community College offers the HESI Entrance Exam. Passing Scores will be based on the National Scores for each exam; for the HESI Entrance Exam, the passing national scores for 2019-2020 for the Registered Nursing and Advanced Placement January and May Admission Applicants.**
 - a. RN and Advanced Placement Applicants: scoring at least 80% or above: English Composite: which includes: Reading Comprehension and Grammar; 65% or above: Science Composite: which includes: Biology, Chemistry and Anatomy and Physiology and 70% or above in Math.
 - b. Practical Nursing Applicants: scoring at least a 76% or above in English Composite Category: which includes: Reading Comprehension and Grammar; 68% or above in Math Category and 60% or above in the Science Composite Category: which includes: Biology, Chemistry and Anatomy and Physiology.
- (D) ***passing national scores vary each year**
 - *if you elect to take your Nursing Entrance Exam elsewhere, please be advised that you must take the categories that **CAMP COMMUNITY COLLEGE requires: English: Grammar and Reading Comprehension, Science: Chemistry, Biology and Antimony and Physiology and Math**
 - a. **Note:** Applicants **cannot take any Nursing Entrance Exam** more than 2x within an application period (once per semester) and your exam dates must be at least 6 weeks apart, **your highest Nursing Entrance Exam Score will be accepted**
- (E) Current, Healthcare Provider CPR Certification through the American Heart Association
- (E) Verification that you attended one of the mandatory advising/information sessions; the **'Admit one' ticket** available to attendees at the Advising session.
- (F) Copy of Professional Healthcare License (CNA or LPN for example)

Admission Requirements

- Official transcripts: high school or GED along with all college/university work that is outside of Camp Community College, even if the college is part of the VCCS system, previously attempted and/or completed by the first Friday in May for ADN and PN programs
- Competency in English and Math Essentials MTE 1-5 for ADN and Advanced Placement Program and MTE 1-3 for PN as demonstrated through the placement and diagnostic tests, or by satisfactorily completing the required MTE and/or ENF units or equivalent.
- Student must have completed one high school Biology with a lab with a minimum grade of “C”, or the student must have successfully completed one unit of developmental or college-level Biology.
- Student must have completed one high school Chemistry with a lab with a minimum grade of a “C”, or the student must have successfully completed one unit of developmental or college-level Chemistry.
- Student must have completed one high school Algebra class with a minimum grade of “C”, or the student must have successfully completed MTE 1-3 for PN and MTE 1-5 for AND or tested out of the sections.
- Student must have completed American Heart Association Healthcare Provider CPR with a minimum grade of “C”.
- Submit the HESI nursing entrance screening exam, or other allowable Entrance Exam (ATI TEAS or Kaplan) scoring 70% for PN Applicants and 75% for ADN Applicants.
- The top-scoring applicants will be offered admission into the available program of choice. Camp’s nursing programs will accept up to 30 students into each traditional program each year, up to 30 students into the Practical Nursing Certificate program and approximately 10 students in each of the Advanced Placement Cohorts
- Priority will be given to students within Camp’s service area. (Southampton County, Isle of Wight County, Franklin, Suffolk and Courtland)
- If an applicant is accepted for admission into one of the programs, the applicant must notify Camp’s Nursing Office of their intention to accept or decline the offered position by the deadline listed on their admission letter. Failure to do so will result in the loss of the position to the next qualified applicant.
- **If an applicant is accepted for admission into one of the nursing programs, the applicant will need to attend a Mandatory Bootcamp (dates to be determined).**
- If a student is not accepted or declines admission for the current application period, a student seeking admission in the following year must resubmit the entire package and follow the entire procedure over, which includes; submitting the entire application package (including transcripts), attending the mandatory information session, and completing the HESI Entrance Exam.
- Applicants that are not accepted should schedule an appointment with their nursing advisor to discuss ways to improve their admission potential for the next application year.