

Practical Nursing (PN) Fall 2019 Enrollment

Instructions: Complete and submit the following to the Admissions Office on or before the deadline.

Requirements	Early PN Application Deadline	Traditional PN Application Deadline
Submit Nursing Application to the RCC Admissions Office – Include all references, unofficial transcripts and supporting documents with the application. – NOTE: New students must apply to the College and submit all official transcripts/ documents to Admissions.	March 01	May 03
Notification of Provisional Acceptance – Via RCC Email or United States Mail	April 15	June 10
Mandatory Meet-N-Greet – Applicants required to attend and submit a letter of intent or decline. – Failure to attend will result in a forfeit of the provisional acceptance	May 14	June 18
Post-Selection Advisement – Applicants not accepted for program will be invited/advised regarding alternate major codes and/or general education coursework.	May 16	June 20
Additional Provisional Acceptance – American Heart Association –Healthcare provider CPR Certification – Medical Screen, TB Skin Test, Immunizations etc. – Criminal Background Test and Drug Screen	June 04	July 09
Mandatory Nursing Orientation – Location TBA via RCC Email	Aug 7-9	Aug 7-9

All applicants are expected to:

- Complete an RCC College Admission Application and complete all College requirements before being considered for a Health Science program <https://www.robeson.edu/admissions/>
 – Currently enrolled students must declare their major or intent to apply for nursing in Admissions.
- Submit a letter from the program director, if previously enrolled or dismissed from any other nursing programs.
- Attend a Nursing Information Session. Applicants will earn a maximum **2 points** for the application by submitting a signed certificate of participation.

Information Session Dates

Thursday, November 8, 2018 Thursday, February 21, 2019 Thursday, April 4, 2019 Thursday, June 6, 2019	Location: Health Science Bldg. (17) Rm. 1726A LPN and Paramedic to RN – 1:30 – 2:30 pm Generic RN and LPN – 3 –4:30 pm
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Name: _____ RCC Id#: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____ County _____

RCC Email Address _____

Personal Email Address _____

Telephone Numbers: Home _____ Cell _____

Instructions: Select the program for which admission is requested.

Overview:

Applicants must have a 2.8 or higher grade point average (GPA) in the general education courses related to the major at the time of application submission to be considered provisional acceptance.

- o The GPA will be based upon grades earned in BIO 168, BIO 169, ENG 111, and PSY 150.
- o Although **not** required for the major, points will be awarded for an earned grade of C or higher in college transfer mathematics (MAT 143, MAT 152 or MAT 171), HSC 110, MED 120 and/or other general education courses related to the Associate Degree Nursing major. These courses **are not** considered in the calculation of Practical Nursing GPA for admission.
- o Applicants **with a GPA less than 2.8 will not** be considered for provisional acceptance.

Directions: Date items as completed. All items must be completed prior to submitting the nursing application to the Admissions Office. All application documentation must be received by the deadline.

Application Requirements	Date Completed/ Submitted
1. Completed RCC Admissions Application Process https://www.robeson.edu/admissions/ beginning with the <u>online application</u> have been accepted as a student.	
2. Requested official high school and college transcripts.	
3. Completed placement testing, remediation or college transfer courses in Writing, Reading, Math-Numerical and Math-Elementary Algebra as defined in current College Catalog for the Emergency Medical Science program.	
4. Complete the attached General Admissions Assessment Information Sheet (Page 3).	
5. Attached "UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS" from all programs to the application.	
6. Have requested that three academic, employment and/or professional references be submitted to the Office of Admissions on forms provided.	
7. Have completed information requested on the attached Health Science Admissions Ranking Information Form.	
8. Have or requested three academic, employment and/or professional references be submitted to the Office of Admissions- forms provided.	

I certify that the application and attached documents are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand the falsification of any information or documentation will result in the revocation of this application for consideration.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

For Office Use:

Date Received _____ Date _____

Health Science Admissions Ranking Application

Part I Participation in Program Information Session

Applicants **must submit a signed certificate** of participation in a Nursing Information Session with the application. The program director, program faculty or designee will provide a signature that denotes the applicant’s attendance in a program information session.

- o Signed certificate of participation – a maximum 2 points (only one certificate will be considered for points).

Part II Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS V or ATI TEAS)

The applicant will be awarded points based on their Adjusted Individual Total Score earned on the on the TEAS V or ATI TEAS exam within the past 5 years. Points will be awarded in the following manner:

TEAS Score	Points Awarded	TEAS Score	Points Awarded	TEAS Score	Points Awarded	TEAS Score	Points Awarded
100	45	89	34	78	23	67	12
99	44	88	33	77	22	66	11
98	43	87	32	76	21	64	10
97	42	86	31	75	20	64	9
96	41	85	30	74	19	63	8
95	40	84	29	73	18	62	7
94	39	83	28	72	17	61	6
93	38	82	27	71	16	60	5
92	37	81	26	70	15	59	4
91	36	80	25	69	14	58	3
90	35	79	24	68	13	57	2
						56	1
						55	0
						or below	

Part III Academic/ College Performance

A. Required General/Related Education Courses**

Only courses identified below will be considered. Identify course (s) completed. Points will be awarded in the following manner: A – 6 points; B – 4 points; C- 2 points. Identify course(s) completed. Equivalent courses (based on transfer eligibility) will be considered. Courses listed must meet applicable credit by transfer requirements.

Directions: Identify college course(s) completed:

Course Prefix	College Name	Grade	Semester/Year Completed
ENG 111			
PSY 150			

B. College Science Courses (Biology)**

The most recent, required science courses completed will be considered. Courses listed must meet applicable credit by transfer requirements. Points will be awarded in the following manner: A – 12 points; B – 8 points; C – 4 points. Identify college science course(s) completed:

Directions: Identify college course(s) completed **

Course Prefix	College Name	Grade	Semester/Year Completed
BIO 168 Human A & P I			
BIO 169 Human A & P II			

C. Recommended Pre-Health Courses**

Only courses identified below will be considered. Points will be awarded in the following manner: A – 6 points; B – 4 points; C- 2 points. Equivalent courses (based on transfer eligibility) will be considered. Courses listed must meet applicable credit by transfer requirements.

Directions: Identify college course(s) completed *:

Course Prefix	College Name	Grade	Semester/Year Completed
HSC 110			
MED 120			
MAT 143			
MAT 152			
MAT 171			

**Points Awarded but not calculated in PN program GPA.*

*** It is the applicant’s responsibility to make sure that the official transcript(s) verifying **ALL** courses listed above are on file with the Admissions Office and unofficial transcript copies of high school and college are attached to this application. **Students completing 50% or more of their academic coursework at Robeson Community College will receive five (5) additional application points.***

Part IV Completion of Academic Degrees and/or Programs

Applicants will be awarded points for completion of previous academic programs. Applicants will receive points for ALL degrees/programs completed. Documentation must be provided to validate successful completion of each.

Directions: Identify academic degrees and/or programs completed*

	Date Earned	College Name	Major	Points
Masters				8
Bachelor				6
Associate				4
Diploma				2
Certificate				1

Part V References

Each applicant must submit three professional references. Preference is given to references from academic, employment and/or professional affiliates. Only professional references will be awarded points. A maximum of two (2) points will be awarded for each reference for a total of six (6) points. Completed reference forms should be submitted (in sealed envelopes) with other admissions materials.

Part VI Provisional Acceptance

A point selection process will be used to rank applicants for provisional acceptance. Only applicants who have completed all the admissions requirements/criteria will be ranked for review. Particular consideration will be given to those applicants who have successfully completed the general /related education. Completed applications will be reviewed by the health science faculty and program director for consideration.

- **NOTE: Students must have a 2.8 or greater grade point average (GPA) in program general education/related courses at the time of the application submission to Admissions in order to be considered for health science program admission. The Nursing faculty will not review the application for admission if the GPA is less than 2.8 in Nursing general education/related courses.**

Applicants will be offered provisional acceptance based on fulfillment of all admission requirements/criteria by the specified deadline. Applicants provisionally accepted into the Practical Nursing program will be required to attend a **“Provisional Acceptance Meeting.”** This meeting is designed to provide applicants with additional program requirements.

- Applicants not accepted for program will be invited/advised regarding alternate major codes and/or general education coursework.

Prior to receiving full acceptance and/or enrolling in the first nursing course, all Applicants Provisionally Accepted **MUST** complete and/or provide documentation of the following:

1. **Medical Screen**, which includes but not limited to:
 - a. Two (2) separate PPDs: Proof of Negative Tuberculin (Tb) skin testing or follow-up chest X-ray within 3 months of enrollment.
 - b. Immunizations
 - T-dap, tetanus vaccines, Hepatitis B series, MMR, Rubella, Varicella series or positive titer (required)
 - Influenza, although not required but strongly recommended and/or required by clinical affiliate
2. **Criminal Background Check and Drug Screen**: Clinical agencies require a criminal background check and 12 panel urine drug screen prior to clinical experiences.
 - **NOTE:** (1) If results of a criminal background check and panel urine drug screen prevents a student from participating in a clinical experience at any agency, then the student will not be able to fulfill the clinical requirements for the program, and subsequently will not be allowed to enroll/ complete the Nursing program.
 - (2) This testing is scheduled by the College once students have been provisionally accepted. However, fees associated with the criminal background check and drug screen will be the responsibility of the student.
3. **Healthcare-Provider CPR**: Prospective students must submit documentation of current CPR certification (including infant, child and adult certification) from the American Heart Association BLS Healthcare Providers Course.
4. Attendance at a **Mandatory Nursing Orientation** (To be Scheduled)
5. **Program Prerequisites**: Applicants admitted to the program must submit prior to enrollment into the fall nursing courses, documentation of successfully completing the following courses with a “C” or higher:
 - BIO 168 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
 - Certification of completion of Nurse Aide I and Current listing on NC Registry without substantive findings
 - o **Submit a certificate or transcript of course completion**
 - o **NOTE:** If a course was not completed the applicant may submit evidence of employment as a NA-I.

Submit a completed Nursing Application and supporting documents to the RCC Admissions Office in Building 13 by the deadline.

Thank you