



## **LPN - RN TRANSITION HEALTH SCIENCES INFORMATION PACKET**

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A Nursing Transition plan has been designed for the Licensed Practical Nurse who desires to enter the Associate Degree Nursing program with advanced standing. Applicants who meet the admission requirements outlined below and successfully complete the Nursing Transition course (NUR 214) with a “B” or higher, will be allowed to enroll in NUR 113 and complete the Associate Degree program requirements. Applicants who are taking NUR 214 have been accepted into the Associate Degree Nursing program. Each step of the admission procedure must be completed before moving to the next step.

## Admission Procedure

The nursing applicant will be required to meet steps I-IV before admission. Each step of the admission procedure must be completed before moving to the next step.

### STEP I Application Process: Deadline: October 15

- A. Applicants must submit an admissions application to Wilson Community College with an official high school transcript or equivalency and all post-secondary coursework.
- B. Applicants must submit all required documents and complete the admissions process, to be officially admitted to the college.
- C. Applicants must complete an Health Science Intent Form available under Health Sciences at [www.wilsoncc.edu](http://www.wilsoncc.edu) starting July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025. Applicants will be applying for the day and evening option of the transition program.

### STEP II Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS): Deadline October 15

- A. Applicants who have completed Step I will schedule an appointment to take the TEAS by signing up online through the placement testing Google form which can be found under the admissions placement testing tab. Applicants are allowed to take the TEAS twice in a 12-month period at least 30 days apart. The highest TEAS score taken within the last two years will be used for ranking.
  1. Applicants will be required to pay a \$70.00 testing fee to the Business Office (F-101) effective July 17, 2023 cost is subject to change.
  2. Picture ID and payment receipt must be presented at the time of testing.
  3. Applicants who opt to take the TEAS at another institution must submit final TEAS scores by the October 15 deadline in order for them to be considered.
  4. Applicants must achieve a 63.3% on the overall adjusted score.

### STEP III Program-Specific Requirements

- A. Applicants must be eligible to enroll in ENG 111 and MAT 143 without a co-requisite prior to starting NUR 214 in the Spring. In order to be eligible, all pre-requisites courses must be completed, substituted or waived. The pre-requisites for each course can be found in the [Course Descriptions](#) section of the catalog. If you have questions regarding eligibility, please contact Health Sciences at [alliedhealth@wilsoncc.edu](mailto:alliedhealth@wilsoncc.edu).
- B. Applicants must be enrolled in or have completed BIO 168 by application deadline.
- C. Applicants must have a grade point average of 2.0 or higher on all general education (non-NUR prefix) courses that are required for the Transition Program.
- D. Applicants must have and maintain an unencumbered LPN License, with no history of disciplinary sanctions or actions, with the North Carolina Board of Nursing.

### STEP IV Conditional Acceptance and Ranking:

- A. Should there be more qualified applicants than space available, a point system will be used to rank applicants and determine selection for admission to the Transition program. The following items will be used in consideration for ranking:
  - TEAS Adjusted Individual Score.
  - Non-nursing (NUR) courses. If an applicant has taken courses more than once, the highest grade will be used to award points.
  - Diplomas, Degrees, and Certification for a maximum of 2 points.
  - 3 points will be awarded to students that graduated from Wilson Community College’s practical nursing program.

All documentation for ranking is due by October 15. Documentation received after this date will not be considered.

- B. Qualified applicants will receive a letter of conditional acceptance by November 15th. Enclosed with this letter will be a Certificate of Acceptance (COA), a physical form and a form with instructions on how to complete criminal background, drug screen, and immunization tracking.

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- C. COAs are due to Health Sciences by December 1.
- D. Physical forms are to be submitted through Viewpoint Screening by December 1. Physical exams must be completed by a physician, nurse practitioner, or physician's assistant within 12 months prior to the first day of class.
- E. Immunizations required:
  - a. Current American Heart Healthcare provider CPR certification.
  - b. Tetanus – Tdap within the last 10 years,
  - c. Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) – 2 shots or a positive titer with results and date,
  - d. Hepatitis B (Hep B) – 3 shots or a positive titer with results and date,
  - e. Varicella times two or a positive titer,
  - f. Annual flu vaccine by October 31st; and
  - g. 2 Step TB Skin test within 1-3 weeks of each other with a negative result on both is required or negative chest x-ray within last 12-months of program start date or TB Blood test within 12 months of program admission or readmission that is negative.
  - h. COVID 19 Vaccine - 2 part Pfizer, 2 part Moderna or 1 part Jansen

Immunizations may not be declined except by a written statement from the applicant's health care provider for acceptable exemptions which may include pregnancy or an allergy to the vaccine.

### STEP V Final Acceptance Requirements:

Final acceptance will be determined by the Dean of Health Sciences based on the following conditions being met:

- A. Student must order and complete the Criminal Background Check, Urine Drug Screen and immunization tracking as required by all clinical agencies by December 1st for final admission. Criminal background and drug screens will be reviewed by the clinical agencies and must be deemed clear by the clinical agency.
- B. Student must be in good academic standing (not on academic warning or probation) for consideration for final admission.
- C. Students must attend a nursing student orientation session before starting the program and uniforms must be ordered at that time. If a student is not able to attend nursing student orientation they will need to schedule an individual appointment with the Dean of Health Sciences to review orientation materials.
- D. Students must earn a "B" in all NUR and a "C" in General Education courses.
- E. Students must have successfully completed the following courses by the end of the Fall semester:

Course Prefix	Course Title
ACA 111	College Student Success
BIO 168	Anatomy & Physiology I
PSY 150	General Psychology

- F. Students in the ADN evening option have class 2 nights a week on Tuesday and Thursday and clinical every other Saturday and Sunday starting in the Summer semester (NUR 113). This admission is every other year on the even year.
- G. All transition students (day and evening) will be enrolled into the same section of NUR 214 an eight-week course. **NUR 214 is hybrid with students coming on campus for tests, skills, orientation and clinical during the day.** Once this course is completed students will merge with the respective day or evening option of the Associate Degree Nursing Program.



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Admission for Spring 2026 (Day and Evening Option)

## NURSING TRANSITION PROGRAM (A45110T) – LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE TO REGISTERED NURSE

### COURSE & HOUR REQUIREMENTS

CLASS TITLE	CLASS HRS	LAB HRS	CLINICAL HRS	CREDIT HRS
<b>FIRST SPRING SEMESTER</b>				
NUR 214 Transition Nursing Concepts	3	0	3	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>FIRST SUMMER SEMESTER</b>				
*PSY 241 Developmental Psychology	3	0	0	3
NUR 113 Family Health Concepts	3	0	6	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>FALL SEMESTER</b>				
*ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry	3	0	0	3
*MAT 143 Quantitative Lit.	2	2	0	3
NUR 211 Health Care Concepts	3	0	6	5
NUR 212 Health System Concepts	3	0	6	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>SECOND SPRING SEMESTER</b>				
*ENG 112 Writing & Res. in the Disciplines	3	0	0	3
*Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3	0	0	3
NUR 213 Complex Health Concepts	4	3	15	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>TRANSITION CURRICULUM TOTAL</b>				<b>44</b>
HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS ELECTIVE – Choose one (1) course from the following:				
*HUM 115 Critical Thinking	3	0	0	3
*PHI 240 Introduction to Ethics	3	0	0	3

\*This course is a component of the general education requirements needed for graduation.

**NOTE:** Students are required to take ACA 111 in their first semester.

**NOTE:** Once admitted to the nursing program, all remaining courses must be taken in sequence or completed during the required term.

**NOTE:** If any facility prohibits the student from participating in the clinical experience, the student will be dismissed due to an inability to progress and complete the curriculum.

**NOTE:** Clinical hours vary each semester based upon the availability of clinical sites.

Keep this copy to map the completion of prerequisite courses. Use this to calculate your potential total points towards the Associate Degree Nursing program.

**A. TEAS ADMISSION TESTING:**

	<i>Associate Degree Nursing</i>
Points will be awarded for the following components of the admissions test. <i>Must have been taken within the last two years.</i>	<b>Adjusted Individual Score</b> 91%+ = 10 PTS. 80-89% = 7 PTS. 63.3-79% = 3 PTS.
Fill in Highest TEAS Score	

**B. NON-NURSING COURSES (Associate Degree Nursing)**

<b>Associate Degree Nursing</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
BIO 168 Anatomy & Physiology I	16	12	2
BIO 169 Anatomy & Physiology II	16	12	2
ENG 111 Expository Writing	3	2	1
ENG 112 or 114 Argument-Based Research	3	2	1
PSY 150 General Psychology	3	2	1
PSY 241 Developmental Psychology	3	2	1
MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy/MAT 161+	3	2	1
ACA 122/115/118/111	2	1	1
HUM 115 or PHI 240 Humanities Fine Arts	3	2	1

**C. WILSON COMMUNITY COLLEGE GRADUATE**

Yes (award 3 points) \_\_\_\_\_ No (award no points) \_\_\_\_\_

**D. PREVIOUS DEGREE**

If a student has any previous degree(s), diploma(s), or certificate(s) a maximum of 2 points will be awarded for this section.

*In the event applicants accrue the same number of total points the following "tiebreaker" will be utilized to determine admission to the program.*

*Tiebreaker #1: Date and time Allied Health Intent form was submitted.*

**Spring Semester 1**

Tuition & Fees (10 Hours)	\$816.80
Evolve/HESI Package (Textbooks and Resources)	\$654.95
Uniforms (varies based upon number of sets purchased)	\$250.00
Exam Soft Annual Testing Fee	\$185.40
Malpractice Insurance	\$16.00
<b>Total Semester 1</b>	<b>\$1,923.15</b>

**Summer Semester 2**

Tuition & Fees (8 Hours)	\$660.44
Evolve/HESI Package (Textbooks and Resources)	\$405.95
<b>Total Semester 2</b>	<b>\$1,066.39</b>

**Fall Semester 3**

Tuition & Fees (16 Hours)	\$1,285.88
Evolve/HESI Package (Textbooks and Resources)	\$405.95
Exam Soft Annual Testing Fee	\$185.40
Malpractice Insurance	\$16.00
<b>Total Semester 3</b>	<b>\$1,893.23</b>

**Spring Semester 4**

Tuition & Fees (16 Hours)	\$1,285.88
Evolve/HESI Package (Textbooks and Resources)	\$405.95
<b>Total Semester 4</b>	<b>\$1,691.83</b>

**Approximate Total for the Program** **\$6,574.70**

\*The above estimates are based on in-state tuition. Tuition and fees are based on NUR and General Education courses required for the program. Student cost may be lower if some courses are completed prior to admission. The above costs are estimates based on estimated market value of products and are subject to change.

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