## Nursing Programs

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#### **Coastal Carolina Community College**

### Equal Education Opportunity and Equal Employment Opportunity Policy

Coastal Carolina Community College (Coastal), in compliance with and as required by Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972 and its implementing regulations (Title IX) and other civil rights laws, as well as in furtherance of its own values as a higher education institution, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy, disability, age, religion, veteran status, or any other characteristic or status protected by applicable local, state, or federal law in admission, treatment, or access to, or employment in, its programs and activities.

Discrimination and harassment are antithetical to the values and standards of the Coastal community; are incompatible with the safe, healthy environment that the Coastal community expects and deserves and will not be tolerated. Coastal is committed to providing programs, activities, and an education and work environment free from discrimination and harassment. Coastal is also committed to fostering a community that promotes prompt reporting and fair and timely resolution of those behaviors.

In appreciation for their service to this state and country during a period of war, and in recognition of the time and advantage lost toward the pursuit of a civilian career, all eligible veterans as defined in G.S. 128-15 shall be granted preference in hiring decisions to the extent allowed by statute.

It is the policy of this institution not to discriminate on the basis of sex in the admission requirements, educational programs, activities, or employment policies as required by Title IX in the Educational Amendments of 1972.

In conformance with the provisions of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and other applicable laws and regulations, Coastal Carolina Community College will not discriminate against any student, employee, or applicant for admission or employment because of physical disabilities.

The main campus of Coastal Carolina Community College has been designed with the elimination of physical obstacles so that all buildings, washrooms, laboratories and classrooms are readily accessible to and usable by those with physical disabilities.

Any student or applicant for admission with a disability who wishes to request some accommodation must contact the Admissions Office and ask for the Accommodation Request Form. If accommodation is not requested in advance in order to provide the College sufficient and adequate time to meet the student or applicant's needs, Coastal Carolina Community College cannot guarantee the availability of a reasonable accommodation when it is needed.

Any employee or applicant with a disability who wishes to request some accommodation must contact the Office of Personnel Services and Workplace Safety and ask for the Coastal Carolina Community College Accommodation Request Form. This form should be supported by medical, psychological, or other appropriate documentation. Once the request is completed and submitted to the Office of Personnel Services and Workplace Safety, the Director will work with the appropriate Vice President to develop an accommodation plan through interaction with the requestor, seeking consultation as necessary. If an accommodation that is within the resources of the College can be provided, components of the plan will be developed in accordance with the specific needs of the applicant/employee based on the documentation submitted. The decision on whether an accommodation will be made is determined by the President or his designee.

Any student or prospective student who believes that discrimination has limited any educational opportunity, or any College employee who believes employment rights have been denied on the basis of discrimination, or any individual who desires information concerning this policy should contact the following designated responsible employee: Affirmative Action Officer and Title IX Coordinator, Henderson Administration Building, (910) 938-6788.

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#### **Designated Points of Contact**

#### **Academic Advisors for Military Off-Campus Sites**

Provides assistance to Service members seeking information regarding available student support services at Coastal Carolina Community College, in addition to information regarding admissions, distance education, registration, official degree plans, and other military and community resources.

Phone: (910) 451-2391 Email: militaryoffcampus@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Admissions & Counseling Services**

Provides assistance for admissions, placement testing, academic advising, academic counseling, review of satisfactory academic progress, and program of study.

Phone: (910) 938-6394 Email: admissions@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Coordinator for Disability Support Services**

Provides assistance in establishing and maintaining disability support services and advising.

Phone: (910) 938-6331 Email: adasupport@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Financial Aid**

Provides assistance to students in completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) process, scholarships, and Federal Work-Study employment opportunities.

Phone: (910) 938-6332 Email: finaid@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Payment Options**

Pay tuition or make inquiries regarding your billing statements.

Phone: (910) 938-6342 Email: studentpayments@coastalcarolina.edu

#### Registrar

Provides assistance for transcript request and processing, general residency questions, graduation applications, student records, and transcript evaluations.

Phone: (910) 938-6860 Email: registrar@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Success Coaches**

Provides assistance with campus resources, tutoring, and study skills by using methods that help students reach their academic goals and graduate or complete their programs on time.

Phone: (910) 938-6828 Email: studentsuccess@coastalcarolina.edu

#### **Veterans Programs**

Provides assistance to military-connected students with veteran's entitlement benefit questions, benefit application assistance, program certification, and information regarding community resources.

Phone: (910) 938-6316 Email: veterans@coastalcarolina.edu

### Section I: Applying to the PN and/or ADN Programs

#### **Statement of Accreditation**



#### **Associate Degree Nursing**

The associate nursing program at Coastal Carolina Community College located in Jacksonville, North Carolina is accredited by the:

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400 Atlanta, GA 30326 (404) 975-5000

The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the associate nursing program is Initial Accreditation.

View the public information disclosed by the ACEN regarding this program at <a href="http://www.acenursing.com/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm">http://www.acenursing.com/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm</a>.

#### **Practical Nursing**

The practical nursing program at Coastal Carolina Community College located in Jacksonville, North Carolina is accredited by the:

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400 Atlanta, GA 30326 (404) 975-5000

The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the practical nursing program is Initial Accreditation.

View the public information disclosed by the ACEN regarding this program at <a href="http://www.acenursing.com/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm">http://www.acenursing.com/accreditedprograms/programsearch.htm</a>.

#### **College Accreditation**

Coastal Carolina Community College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate degrees, diplomas, and certificates. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call (404) 679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Coastal Carolina Community College.

#### **Important Dates**

Information Sessions	July 3, 2023 – January 26, 2024
Application Period	October 4, 2023 – January 26, 2024
Deadline to Submit:	January 26, 2024
Points Verification Letters Mailed	February 12, 2024
Decision Letters Mailed	March 4, 2024

#### **Seated Information Sessions**

Date	Time	Day	Location
September 7, 2023	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	CCCC, BT 101
September 19, 2023	2:00 p.m.	Tuesday	CCCC, BT 101
October 2, 2023	6:00 p.m.	Monday	CCCC, BT 101
October 25, 2023	2:00 p.m.	Wednesday	CCCC, BT 101
November 9, 2023	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	CCCC, BT 101

Registration is encouraged. All sessions will begin on time and no one will be admitted once a session begins. You must stay for the entire session to receive credit. Please be prepared to stay 1 ½ hours for completion of the session. Children are not permitted into the information sessions. All sessions will be held in the A.D. Guy Business Technology Building in room 101.

#### **Online Information Sessions**

- Available July 3, 2023 January 26, 2024
- To attend an online information session, please read the *Information Sessions* section of <a href="https://www.coastalcarolina.edu/academics/programs/health-science/nursing">www.coastalcarolina.edu/academics/programs/health-science/nursing</a>. Print a Nursing Programs Bulletin to follow along with the presentation. You are responsible for adhering to the information in this Bulletin.
- The session must be viewed all the way through (do not click through slides) to receive credit for attendance. You will not be allowed to complete eligibility if your session shows up as "incomplete". Do not save the session to your desktop before viewing as this will cause the session to show up as incomplete.
- When you complete the online information session, there is a quiz that must be completed with a score of 80% or higher to complete eligibility.

#### Things You Should Know Before You Apply

Upon acceptance into the Coastal Carolina Community College Practical Nursing (PN) or Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) programs, you will be required to:

- Have a physical exam and complete a Student Medical Form documenting a level of physical and emotional health consistent with the ability to practice nursing in an entry-level clinical setting.
- Document that you have had several required immunizations specified on the Student Medical Form.
- Be screened for tuberculosis (both on admission and annually).
- Obtain and maintain current certification in American Heart Association's Basic Life Support for Health Care Providers (often referred to as BLS or CPR).
- Travel at your own expense to out-of-town clinical agency locations (when necessary) in order to complete clinical requirements of the program. You will be expected to make your own arrangements for transportation and meals as necessary for clinical practice rotations.
- Adhere to all aspects of clinical agency dress codes. Most clinical agencies have policies that regulate body jewelry (such as piercings) and/or prohibit visible tattoos.
- At your own expense, have a criminal background check and urine drug screen.
  - These are needed to obtain access to our clinical agencies. The results are provided only to our affiliated clinical agencies. College administration and faculty are not, at any time, allowed to view the criminal background and drug screen results. They do not affect admission decisions, but it is possible that the results may prevent the applicant from participating in the clinical rotations, and thus from continuing in the program.
  - The Board of Nursing in all states also requires fingerprints and a criminal background check prior to issuing a license to practice nursing. A history of felony or misdemeanor convictions could result in denial of a license to practice nursing.

Currently, there are no distance education options for completing the entire ADN or PN programs.

Applicants who are accepted should typically expect to be available Monday through Friday from 8:00 am (6:45 am on clinic days) to 5:00 pm.

Applicants should also be prepared to provide their own transportation to and from clinic sites, which may be outside of the Jacksonville area.

Please note: Coastal's ADN and PN programs are daytime programs.

#### Requirements for Eligibility – Level 1

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the following eligibility requirements (Level 1) are met before completing an Eligibility Application with any Academic Advisor/Counselor in Student Services (Level 2):

- 1. Complete the Residency Determination application. The application is available online at <a href="https://www.coastalcarolina.edu">www.coastalcarolina.edu</a>.
- 2. Submit an application to Coastal Carolina Community College. Applications are available online at www.coastalcarolina.edu.
- 3. View or attend a mandatory Nursing Information Session (see *Important Dates* page for details).
- 4. Submit your official transcript(s) to the Admissions Office.
  - High school (or high school equivalency)
  - All colleges or schools attended after high school
  - CLEP (College Level Examination) scores
  - AP (Advanced Placement) scores
- 5. Demonstrate college readiness in both English **and** mathematics by meeting <u>one</u>, or a combination, of the following to show required knowledge in each subject:
  - i. Graduated from any United States high school within the last 10 years with a GPA of 2.8 or higher, in accordance with Reinforced Instruction for Student Excellence (RISE) guidelines.
  - ii. Completed (with a minimum of the grade indicated) or enrolled in one of the following English courses:
    - DRE 098 (P)
    - BSP 4002 (P2)

- ENG 002 (P2)
- ENG 011 with ENG 111 (C)
- iii. Completed (with a minimum of the grade indicated) or enrolled in one of the following Math courses:
  - MAT 070 (C)

- MAT 003 (P2)
- DMA 010 DMA 050 (P)
- MAT 043 (P)

• BSP 4003 (P2)

- MAT 071 (P)
- iv. Completed (with a minimum of the grade indicated) or enrolled in one of the following:
  - ENG 111 (cannot be concurrently enrolled in ENG 011) or an equivalent College Composition course (C)
  - MAT 143, MAT 161, MAT 171 (cannot be concurrently enrolled in MAT 043 or MAT 071), or an equivalent algebraic College Math course (C)
- v. Completed a College approved placement test (e.g., RISE, NC DAP, COMPASS, ASSET, SAT, ACT, or Accuplacer/CPT) and meet the minimum college readiness scores, as provided in the College Readiness Placement Test Scoring Table. Test scores must be earned on or after August 1, 2021.

#### **College Readiness Placement Test Scoring Table**

RI	SE	NC DA	AΡ	COMPA	SS	ASSET	[	SAT		AC	Γ	Accuplacer/	CPT
English	70 (Tiers 1 and 2)	Reading/ English	151	Combined Reading and Writing	151	Combined Reading and Writing	82	Reading/ Writing	480	English	18	Combined Reading and Sentence Skills/ Next Gen.	166/ 250-300
Math	70 (Tiers 1 and 2)	DMA 010, DMA 020, DMA 030	7	Pre- Algebra	47	Numerical	41	Math	530	Reading	22	Arithmetic/ Next Gen.	55/ 237-275
				Algebra	48	Elementary Algebra	41			Math	22	Elementary Algebra	55

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6. Meet math and chemistry pre-requisites (for ADN only). In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, applicants using course(s) towards points earning a final grade of "PC-19", "P", or a passing grade from a Pass/Fail system, in and/or after Spring 2020, will receive a grade point value of "C" for grade point purposes. If written verification received from an educational institution's Registrar's Office indicates the numerical value and/or letter grade earned, the applicant may receive an alternative grade point value; however, all verifications must be received prior to the program specific points submission deadline.

**Math** – One of the following must be complete within three years of entering the program (Fall 2021 or later) or currently in progress (Fall 2023):

- Algebra II in high school with a grade of C or higher (must be 1 high school credit)
- MAT 171 Pre-Calculus Algebra with a grade of C or higher
- MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy with a grade of C or higher

Note: A transferrable college algebraic math equivalent to, or higher than, MAT 171 may be considered. Approval to use such a math for eligibility must be granted by the Academic Advisor/Counselor overseeing nursing and/or the Nursing and Allied Health Division Chair. Statistics will not count as an algebraic math for the Nursing program.

#### **AND**

Chemistry – One of the following must be complete or in progress (Fall 2023):

- Chemistry in high school with a grade of C or higher (must be 1 high school credit)
  - o Must have been completed Fall 2019 or later.
- CHM 090 Chemistry Concepts at a North Carolina community college (no time limit)
- A transferrable, college-level chemistry (a minimum of 4 semester hours credit) from any college or university with a grade of C or higher (a grade of C- will not transfer) (no time limit)

*Note:* For applicants using course completion to meet placement, both an English and mathematics option must be completed to meet the eligibility requirements, and applicants who are unsure whether or not they meet either the English or the mathematics standards should meet with an Academic Advisor/Counselor. Applicants taking a placement test at a location other than Coastal Carolina Community College must submit official test scores prior to meeting with an Academic Advisor/Counselor to complete an Eligibility Application.

7. Complete the Health Education Systems Incorporated (HESI) A<sup>2</sup> exam and earn at minimum the following scores:

Minimum Scores for ADN and PN Programs					
Subject Area	Minimum Score	Minimum Average Score			
Reading Comprehension	80%				
Grammar	80%	900/			
Vocabulary	80%	80%			
Mathematics	80%				

- If an applicant chooses to take the test at a site other than Coastal Carolina Community College, the official scores must be sent from HESI and received prior to completing an Eligibility Application. See the *HESI Exam Details* page for additional information.
- Applicants must request the HESI payment link from an Academic Advisor/Counselor.

#### Nursing Programs Admission Requirements for Eligibility – Level 2

- 8. Individuals who have met Level 1 eligibility requirements will meet with any Academic Advisor/Counselor in the Student Center on Coastal's main campus to complete an Eligibility Application. Please arrive no later than 30 minutes before closing.
  - Verification of points is completed by the Academic Advisor/Counselor *after* the application period has ended. Advisors/Counselors will not be verifying points when meeting with the applicant to complete the Eligibility Application.
  - If an applicant currently resides at least 200 miles outside of Jacksonville, North Carolina, they must contact the Academic Advisor/Counselor designated for the Nursing programs at (910) 938-6401 before January 26, 2024 to discuss other arrangements.
- 9. Submit documentation to earn additional points (see deadlines listed in *Important Dates*).
  - Any documentation for additional points that is received after the given deadline, regardless of the date postmarked, will not be considered.
- 10. Ensure updated transcripts for courses completed in the Fall 2023 semester (if applicable) are on file at Coastal Carolina Community College by January 26, 2024.
  - Please be aware that if an applicant is completing the math or chemistry course required to apply during the Fall 2023 semester, and the transcript is not on file at Coastal by the deadline (regardless of the date postmarked), the applicant will be ineligible to be considered for the 2024 Associate Degree Nursing program.

#### **HESI Exam Details**

#### **Content**

• Students will be tested in the following areas: reading comprehension, grammar, vocabulary, and mathematics.

#### **Availability**

• The HESI exam may take up to four hours. The exam is available Monday – Thursday (8:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m.) or Fridays (8:00 a.m.), on Coastal's main campus. Available appointment times are viewable two weeks in advance. The testing schedule is subject to change.

#### **Registration and Payment**

- Applicants must register and pay online for the HESI exam ahead of time by setting up an Evolve/Elsevier account. The estimated cost of the exam is \$50, but is subject to change. A study guide is available for purchase in the College Store.
- Payment must be completed at least 24 hours in advance of the testing appointment.
- Applicants will obtain the payment link from an Academic Advisor/Counselor after completing their Eligibility Application.

#### Schedule an Appointment

- Applicants should schedule an appointment with the Testing and Placement Center through the Admissions page on Coastal's website (click on the Placement Testing tile).
- If an applicant must cancel the appointment, they must notify the Testing and Placement Center at least 24 hours in advance. Failure to do so may result in an applicant being unable to make another appointment.
- Due to limited testing space, if an applicant misses or cancels two appointments, they will not be able to reschedule for two weeks after the last missed or canceled appointment.

#### **Scores**

- Official scores may be viewed through the applicant's Evolve/Elsevier account.
- If an applicant decides to test a second time, they must pay the exam fee again (through a payment link obtained from an Academic Advisor/Counselor).
- Applicants may take the HESI twice in an eligibility period (September 1<sup>st</sup> August 31<sup>st</sup>) at Coastal Carolina Community College.
- HESI scores must be completed within three years prior to entering the program to be valid for the application process (on or after August 1, 2021).

#### **Off-Site Testing**

- It is the applicant's responsibility to locate an alternate testing site. Coastal does not have a testing ID to provide to other sites.
- If a student tests at another site, they must request an official transcript to be sent directly to Coastal (through the HESI website) for an additional fee.

#### Remote/Virtual Testing

• Remote/virtual testing is available through ProctorU. The estimated cost of the exam is \$60 but is subject to change. Please see an Academic Advisor/Counselor for more information.

#### Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Accommodations

• Questions about ADA accommodations may be addressed by contacting the Coordinator for Disability Support Service at (910) 938-6331 or <a href="mailto:adasupport@coastalcarolina.edu">adasupport@coastalcarolina.edu</a>.

## Ranking and Selection of Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing Qualified Applicants

Coastal Carolina Community College has a limited number of spaces available in the Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing programs. Every year, the College receives applications from more qualified candidates than the programs can accommodate. In order to be as fair as possible in making admission decisions among so many qualified applicants, Coastal has instituted a point system for ranking applicants.

A qualified applicant is defined as an applicant who meets all Level 2 eligibility requirements and submits a complete Nursing Eligibility Application during the preferred application period (October 4, 2023 – January 26, 2024).

Applicants will be awarded points for grades received in specific Nursing related courses based on the point system that best fits their profile.

#### **Point Systems**

There are two point systems:

- **Point System A** College classes
- **Point System B** High school classes

Courses taken for points must be completed by the end of the Fall 2023 semester. Points will be awarded for classes completed with a grade of C or higher. Grades of C- will not receive points. Additional points may be awarded for approved license or certification, scores on the HESI exam, and completion of ACA 122 College Transfer Success with a grade of A.

#### **Points Verification**

The tabulation of points is completed after the January 26, 2024 deadline to submit documentation. Points verification letters will be mailed to eligible applicants by February 12, 2024. Eligible applicants will be given a specific time frame to be able to question or request a review of the calculated point total. After that time, point calculations are considered accurate and final and will not be recalculated.

#### **Associate Degree Nursing**

- Up to 30 highest-ranking applicants will be *accepted* into the Associate Degree Nursing program.
- All remaining qualified applicants will be placed on an alternate list, and ranked in point order.
  - Should a space become available in the program prior to the start of the program, the next qualified alternate will be notified.
- The following letters will be mailed to qualified Associate Degree Nursing applicants on or before March 4, 2024.
  - Acceptance letter up to 30 highest-ranking applicants
  - Alternate letter next group of highest-ranking applicants

#### **Practical Nursing**

- Up to 20 highest-ranking applicants will be *accepted* into the Practical Nursing program.
- All remaining qualified applicants will be placed on an alternate list.
  - o Should a space become available in the program prior to the start of the program, the next qualified alternate will be notified.
- The following letters will be mailed to qualified Practical Nursing applicants on or before March 4, 2024.
  - Acceptance letter up to 20 highest-ranking applicants
  - Alternate letter next group of highest-ranking applicants

In the event that applicants have the same number of points, the HESI total score will determine ranking. If there is still a tie, the applicant submitting their Eligibility Application first will be ranked higher (date and time will be recorded on the Eligibility Application form).

Once an applicant accepts admission for any 2024 Allied Health program at Coastal Carolina Community College, all applications on file for any other 2024 Allied Health programs at Coastal will be cancelled.

An applicant who, for any reason, does not enter the 2024 Practical Nursing or Associate Degree Nursing program must reapply for the 2025 Nursing program(s), attend a 2025 Nursing Information Session, and meet all admission requirements to be considered for the 2025 Nursing programs.

Applicants who receive acceptance letter or alternate letter will also receive an Agreement Form. This form must be signed, dated, and returned by the deadline indicated in the letter and on the form. Failure to submit this form by the deadline, regardless of the date postmarked, will result in:

- Disqualification for Associate Degree Nursing (accepted and alternates).
- Placement at the bottom of the alternate list for Practical Nursing (accepted and alternates).

It is every applicant's responsibility to notify the Admissions Office as well as the Academic Advisor/Counselor designated for the Nursing programs of any address and/or phone number changes.

#### Point System A

Grade points will be valued according to Coastal Carolina Community College's grading scale and will be awarded according to the letter grade on the transcript.

	Point Values					
Point System A: Associate Degree Nursing Related Courses	Grade: A/A- CLEP: 70+ AP Score: 5	Grade: <b>B+/B/B-</b> CLEP: <b>60-69</b> AP Score: <b>4</b>	Grade: C+/C CLEP: <b>50-59</b> AP Score: <b>3</b>			
BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I*	12	8	4			
BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I Lab* BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II*	3 12	8	4			
BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II Lab* BIO 175 General Microbiology*	3 12	8	4			
BIO 175 General Microbiology Lab*  OR	3	2	1			
BIO 275 Microbiology* BIO 275 Microbiology Lab*	12 3	8 2	4 1			
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	8	5	2			
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	8	5	2			
PSY 150 General Psychology	8	5	2			
PSY 241 Developmental Psychology	8	5	2			
CIS 110 Introduction to Computers	8	5	2			
Humanities/Fine Arts Course (1)	8	5	2			

<sup>\*</sup> Biology classes taken before Fall 2019 are considered ineligible for points purposes for admission into the 2024 Associate Degree Nursing program.

Approved Humanities/Fine Arts Electives for Associate Degree Nursing (choose one)						
ART 111 Art Appreciation	MUS 110 Music Appreciation	PHI 215 Philosophical Issues				
ART 114 Art History Survey I	MUS 112 Introduction to Jazz	PHI 240 Introductions to Ethics				
ART 115 Art History Survey II						

	Point Values				
Point System A: Practical Nursing Related Courses	Grade: A	Grade: <b>B</b>	Grade: C		
Tractical Nursing Related Courses	CLEP: <b>70</b> +	CLEP: <b>60-69</b>	CLEP: <b>50-59</b>		
	AP Score: 5	AP Score: 4	AP Score: 3		
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	8	5	2		
PSY 150 General Psychology	8	5	2		
CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy*	8	5	2		
BIO 106 Intro to Anat. & Phys./Microbiology**	12	8	4		
BIO 106 Intro to Anat. & Phys./Microbiology Lab**	3	2	1		
OR					
BIO 163 Basic Anatomy and Physiology**	12	8	4		
BIO 163 Basic Anatomy and Physiology Lab**	3	2	1		
OR					
BIO 168 and BIO 169 Anatomy & Physiology I & II**	17	13	9		
BIO 168 and BIO 169 Lab Anatomy & Physiology I & II Lab**	3	2	1		

CIS 110 Introduction to Computers may substitute for CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy.

CIS 111 and BIO 106 are not a part of the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science curriculums.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Biology classes taken before Summer 2019 are considered ineligible for points purposes for admission into the 2024 Practical Nursing program.

<sup>\*\*</sup> BIO 168 and BIO 169 grade point value will be averaged in place of the BIO 106 or BIO 163 grade points. (Ex: BIO 168-A, BIO 169-B, so 20+15=35; 35/2= 17.5 so 17.5 points will be given for BIO 106 requirement.)

#### Point System A (continued)

- Applicants are not required to complete these related courses prior to beginning the program.
  - o However, it is helpful to the applicant's overall ranking to have completed as many of these courses as possible by the end of Fall 2023 for points.
  - Applicants completing related courses prior to beginning the ADN program may not be considered full-time status once accepted into the ADN program.
- Applicants may be awarded points for equivalent courses completed at another accredited college with a grade of C or higher. In order for these courses to be considered for points, transcripts must be received by 5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2024. Courses with a grade of C- will not count for points.
- Submission of Advanced Placement (AP) or College Level Examination Program (CLEP) scores may satisfy the requirement for a related course.
  - o An applicant who submits scores and takes the course may not receive points for both.
- For applicants with both AP or CLEP scores and a grade for the same course, the higher number of points will be used.
- In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, applicants using course(s) towards points earning a final grade of "PC-19", "P", or a passing grade from a Pass/Fail system, in and/or after Spring 2020, will receive a grade point value of "C" for grade point purposes. If written verification received from an educational institution's Registrar's Office indicates the numerical value and/or letter grade earned, the applicant may receive an alternative grade point value; however, all verifications must be received prior to the program specific points submission deadline.

#### **Point System B**

- Point System B applies to applicants who:
  - o are still enrolled in their senior year of high school.
  - or who have graduated from high school within three years from the term they will enter the Nursing program (2021 or after for entry into the 2024 Nursing program), but have not yet completed all of the college-level related courses for the Nursing curriculum.
- High school course work may be submitted for points only if the course is worth 1 credit.
- In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, applicants using course(s) towards points earning a final grade of "PC-19", "P", or a passing grade from a Pass/Fail system, in and/or after Spring 2020, will receive a grade point value of "C" for grade point purposes. If written verification received from an educational institution's Registrar's Office indicates the numerical value and/or letter grade earned, the applicant may receive an alternative grade point value; however, all verifications must be received prior to the program specific points submission deadline.
- If an applicant will have completed all of the related courses by the end of Fall 2023, Point System A must be used for their application.

Points are awarded for grades received in the following high school classes for the **Associate Degree Nursing** application:

Point System B:	Grade Point Values				
High School Courses for Associate Degree Nursing Application	A**	B**	C		
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade English	7	4	2		
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English	7	4	2		
Chemistry	14	9	5		
Biology	14	9	5		
Anatomy and Physiology <b>OR</b> Physics*	14	9	5		
Geometry <b>OR</b> Trigonometry*	7	4	2		
Algebra II	7	4	2		
Health Science I <b>OR</b> Biomedical Technology I*	7	4	2		
Health Science II <b>OR</b> Biomedical Technology II*	7	4	2		

<sup>\*</sup> Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category

For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math I=Algebra I, Math II=Geometry, Math III=Algebra II.

Points are awarded for grades received in the following high school classes for the **Practical Nursing** application:

Point System B:	Gr	Grade Point Values				
High School Courses for Practical Nursing Application	A**	B**	C			
11 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English*	7	4	2			
Biology	8	5	2			
Chemistry <b>OR</b> Advanced Biology <b>OR</b> Physics*	8	5	2			
Algebra II <b>OR</b> Geometry <b>OR</b> Trigonometry*	7	4	2			
Health Science I & II						
OR	9	7	3			
Biomedical Technology I & II*						

<sup>\*</sup> Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Honors, AP, and IB designated courses with grades of A or B will receive one additional point in each category.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Honors, AP, and IB designated courses with grades of  $\overline{A}$  or B will receive one additional point in each category. For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math  $I=Algebra\ I$ , Math II=Geometry, Math  $III=Algebra\ II$ .

#### Additional Points for Point Systems A and B

Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing applicants may earn additional points for the following:

- A. License and/or Certification
- B. HESI Score
- C. Completion of ACA 122 College Transfer Success with a grade of A (Point System A only)

#### A. License and/or Certification

• Applicants may receive points for current license and/or certification in the areas listed below. Other licenses and certifications, health care related or otherwise, will not be considered.

License/Certification	Points
Licensed Practical Nurse (for ADN applicants only)	6
Paramedic	6
Corpsman/Medic*	6
Surgical Technologist	4
Medical Laboratory Technologist	2
NC Certified Nursing Assistant I or II	2
Medical Assistant	2
Phlebotomist	2

<sup>\*</sup> Corpsmen may submit a copy of their Verification of Military Experience and Training (VMET) for work experience points. Primary occupation description must specify "without close supervision".

• Current license(s)/certificate(s) must be submitted directly to the Academic Advisor/Counselor designated for the Nursing programs by emailing <a href="mailto:nursingadmissions@coastalcarolina.edu">nursingadmissions@coastalcarolina.edu</a> from your Coastal email account. This must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2024.

#### Additional Points for Point Systems A and B (continued)

#### North Carolina Certified Nursing Assistant

• If you are a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) listed on the North Carolina Nurse Aide I or II Registry and have no substantiated disciplinary findings, you may submit documentation for points as shown by visiting one of the following websites: <a href="www.ncnar.org">www.ncnar.org</a>, <a href="www.ncbon.org">www.ncbon.org</a>. To be considered, NC Nurse Aide Registry documentation must be received by the Academic Advisor/Counselor designated for Nursing by 5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2024.

The maximum amount of CNA points to be awarded is 2. Additional points will not be awarded for being on both the NC Nurse Aide I and Nurse Aide II registries.

#### B. Health Educational Systems, Inc. (HESI) A<sup>2</sup> Exam

• Students submitting the HESI exam may receive additional points according to the following table:

Cumulative Percentage Range	Points Awarded
93 – 100	15
85 - 92	10
80 - 84	5

• Cumulative scores are not rounded.

#### C. ACA 122 College Transfer Success (for Point System A only)

• Applicants who take ACA 122 College Transfer Success, and earn a grade of A in the course, will be awarded 2 additional points.

#### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### **Applying**

- **Q**: Can I use the scores I received at a previous school?
- A: Yes, as long as they are RISE, NC DAP, COMPASS, ASSET, SAT, ACT, or Accuplacer scores and meet the previously specified time requirements. Additionally, the official scores must be sent to Coastal Carolina Community College from the school where testing occurred.
- **Q**: If I attended a Nursing Information Session last year, do I have to attend another one this year?
- A: Yes, because the requirements and selection process may differ yearly.

#### **Points**

- **Q**: Can I earn points from courses in both the A and the B point systems?
- A: No, only one point system may be used.
- **Q**: When is the deadline for which a course must be completed to earn points?
- A: Courses to be evaluated for points for the 2024 Nursing programs must be completed during the Fall 2023 semester and official transcripts showing completion need to be received by the office of the Academic Advisor/Counselor designated for the Nursing programs by January 26, 2024.
- **Q**: What is the time frame for which my biology courses are valid for the 2024 Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing programs?
- A: Biology courses taken in/after Fall 2019 are valid when applying to the 2024 Associate Degree Nursing program and Summer 2019 are valid when applying to the 2024 Practical Nursing program.
- Q: Can my high school equivalency (formerly GED®) scores be used to determine Point System B?
- **A**: No. Only courses actually completed in high school, for which you received an overall grade for performance, can be utilized to determine points.

#### **HESI Exam**

- **O:** I want to try to improve my scores. Can I take just one section of the exam or do I have to retake all of them?
- A: You will need to retake the entire exam. The highest total HESI score will be used for eligibility and points.
- **Q:** Am I allowed to take a break during the exam?
- **A:** Yes, but you will need to complete the exam the same day, within the four hour window.
- **Q:** I took the HESI previously. Will I have to retake it?
- A: If you took the HESI within three years of applying for the program, your scores are still valid.
- **O:** How often can I test?
- A: Applicants may test twice at Coastal within an eligibility cycle (September 1<sup>st</sup> August 31<sup>st</sup>).

#### **Related Courses**

- **Q:** If I take all the related courses prior to applying, will I still be full time during the program?
- A: No, refer to the Curriculum Description. This only applies to the Associate Degree Nursing program. Students taking related courses early will eliminate those courses during the scheduled semester. This may affect your total semester credits.

#### 2024 Nursing Programs Quick Reference Check List

- □ Completed mandatory Nursing Information Session (online or seated)
- □ Completed Coastal Carolina Community College Admissions steps (new or returning student)
- □ Coastal has **all** official transcripts on file
  - o High school transcript (required for all students, regardless of higher education)
  - o All secondary educational institutions (regardless of completion or transferring of credits)
  - O Updated official transcript once final grades are submitted (if taking courses during current fall semester at another educational institution)
- □ Completed HESI A² exam and met minimum scores required (see HESI Exam Details for more information)
- □ All Level 1 Eligibility requirements met
- □ Completed Eligibility Application with an Academic Advisor/Counselor (for all programs you are interested in)
- □ Submitted license/certification documentation directly to <a href="mailto:nursingadmissions@coastalcarolina.edu">nursingadmissions@coastalcarolina.edu</a> (if applicable)

Congratulations! You have completed all of the necessary steps toward applying to the upcoming 2024 Nursing programs. Continue checking your Coastal Carolina Community College email for notifications and refer to the Important Dates for information on when point verification letters and decision letters will be mailed.

## Section II: Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing Program Information

#### **General Information**

Once a student has started in the Associate Degree Nursing or Practical Nursing program, all Nursing related courses not previously completed must be taken as listed in the student's catalog of record.

- For Practical Nursing, course substitutions must be completed prior to the start of the program.
- If a student who has been accepted into the Practical Nursing program prefers to take one of the approved course substitutions, it will be their responsibility to make the changes on their summer semester schedule.

Once accepted in the Associate Degree Nursing or Practical Nursing program, students must meet the following academic standards:

- Associate Degree Nursing students maintain grades of C+ (77%) or higher on all nursing (NUR) courses and a grade of C- (70%) or higher on general education courses. Students will be disenrolled if requirements are not met. See NUR course syllabi and the *Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing Handbook* for additional academic course requirements.
- Practical Nursing students maintain grades of C+ (77%) or higher on all nursing (NUR) courses and a grade of C- (70%) or higher on general education courses. Students will be disenrolled if requirements are not met. See NUR course syllabi and the *Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing Handbook* for additional academic course requirements.

Candidates who are admitted to the Associate Degree Nursing or Practical Nursing programs need to be aware of the importance of regular class attendance in order to be successful in their classes. It is vital to have child care arrangements worked out in advance in case of children's illnesses, teacher work days, etc. If excess absences are accumulated, then the student will be disenrolled from the program in accordance with the attendance guidelines in the *College Catalog*.

For patient safety, all students must have accurate dose calculation skills. Each semester, a medication calculation test is given and students must pass with a score of at least 90%. Students who are not able to demonstrate this level of math competency will be dismissed from the program.

#### Readmission/Transfer Procedure

Any student interested in applying for readmission or transfer must contact the Director, Associate Degree and Practical Nursing Programs to discuss educational goals and plans for readmission/transfer. The Director, Judith Thompson, can be reached at (910) 938-6272 or <a href="mailto:thompsonju@coastalcarolina.edu">thompsonju@coastalcarolina.edu</a>.

The student must hold at least a 2.0 GPA to be considered for readmission into the program. The full readmission policy may be found in the current *Associate Degree Nursing and Practical Nursing Handbook*.

A student may not be considered for regular admission into a program in which they are currently enrolled but must follow the readmission policy.

#### Associate Degree Nursing (A45110) Curriculum Description

The Associate Degree Nursing curriculum provides knowledge, skill, and strategies to integrate safety and quality into nursing care, to practice in a dynamic environment, and to meet individual needs which impact health, quality of life, and achievement of potential.

Course work includes and builds upon the domains of healthcare, nursing practice, and the holistic individual. Content emphasizes the nurse as a member of the interdisciplinary team providing safe, individualized care while employing evidence-based practice, quality improvement, and informatics.

Graduates of this program are eligible to apply to take the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-RN). Employment opportunities are vast within the global health care system and may include positions within acute, chronic, extended, industrial, and community health care facilities.

Coastal Carolina Community College offers an Associate in Applied Science Degree. This has been identified as a limited enrollment program and may involve certain deadlines. See an Academic Advisor/Counselor for additional information.

The appropriate course work is listed below as of this printing date but may be subject to revision for the 2024-2025 academic year.

			I	lours F	er Weel	k
<b>FALL</b>	<b>SEME</b>	STER (1st year)	Class	Lab	Clinic	Credit
BIO	168	Anatomy and Physiology I	3	3	0	4
NUR	111	Intro to Health Concepts	4	6	6	8
NUR	117	Pharmacology	1	3	0	2
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	0	3
		-	11	12	6	17
SPRIN	NG SEN	MESTER (1st year)				
BIO	169	Anatomy and Physiology II	3	3	0	4
<b>ENG</b>	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	0	3
NUR	112	Health Illness Concepts (1st 8 weeks)	3	0	6	5
NUR	211	Health Care Concepts (2 <sup>nd</sup> 8 weeks)	3	0	6	5 5 2
NUR	118	Nutrition/Diet Therapy	2	0	0	2
PSY	241	Developmental Psychology	3	0	0	3
			17	3	12	22
SUMN	MER SI	EMESTER (1st session)				
		Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3	0	0	3
NUR	114	Holistic Health Concepts (1st 5 weeks)	3	0	6	5
			6	0	6	8
<b>FALL</b>	<b>SEME</b>	STER (2 <sup>nd</sup> year)				
CIS	110	Intro to Computers	2	2	0	3
ENG	112	Writing/Research in the Disc	3	0	0	3
NUR	113	Family Health Concepts	3	0	6	3 5 5
NUR	212	Health Systems Concepts	3	0	6	5
			11	2	12	16
	NG SEN	MESTER (2 <sup>nd</sup> year)				
BIO	175	General Microbiology	2	2	0	3
NUR	213	Complex Health Concepts	4	3	15	10
			6	5	15	13
		Total Semester Hours:				76

#### **ADN Related College Courses**

Because of the academic demands of the Associate Degree Nursing program, it is to the advantage of the applicant to complete as much of the related coursework as possible before beginning the actual Associate Degree Nursing program.

Candidates may take the following courses at Coastal Carolina Community College or receive credit for equivalent courses with a grade of C or higher at an accredited college. Anatomy and Physiology and Microbiology must be completed within five years of the entry term of the program (Fall 2019 or later).

Students should check with the appropriate Student Services personnel (Financial Aid, Veterans Programs, etc.) to determine how taking these related classes may affect financial aid or veteran's benefits.

Related Courses
BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I*
BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II*
BIO 175 General Microbiology**
CIS 110 Introduction to Computers
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry
ENG 112 Writing and Research
PSY 150 General Psychology
PSY 241 Developmental Psychology
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective (See list below)

<sup>\*</sup> Five-year limit.

It is **strongly** recommended that all candidates complete ACA 122 College Transfer Success before entering the Associate Degree Nursing program.

#### **Approved Course Substitution**

Required Course	Approved Substitution	
BIO 175 General Microbiology	BIO 275 Microbiology	

#### **Approved Humanities and Fine Arts Electives**

(Choose one class)

ART 111 Art Appreciation	MUS 112 Introduction to Jazz
ART 114 Art History Survey I	PHI 215 Philosophical Issues
ART 115 Art History Survey II	PHI 240 Introduction to Ethics
MUS 110 Music Appreciation	

<sup>\*\*</sup> Five-year limit. See course substitutions.

#### Practical Nursing (D45660) Curriculum Description

The Practical Nursing curriculum provides knowledge and skills to integrate safety and quality into nursing care to meet the needs of the holistic individual which impact health, quality of life, and achievement of potential.

Course work includes and builds upon the domains of healthcare, nursing practice, and the holistic individual. Content emphasizes safe, individualized nursing care and participation in the interdisciplinary team while employing evidence-based practice, quality improvement, and informatics.

Graduates are eligible to apply to take the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-PN) which is required for practice as a Licensed Practical Nurse. Employment opportunities include hospitals, rehabilitation/long term care/home health facilities, clinics, and physicians' offices.

Coastal Carolina Community College offers a Diploma. This has been identified as a limited enrollment program and may involve certain deadlines. See an Academic Advisor/Counselor for additional information. The appropriate coursework is listed below.

			Hours Per Week			
SUMN	<b>IER SEME</b>	STER	Class	Lab	Clinic	Credit
BIO	106*	Introduction to Anat/Phys/Micro	2	2	0	3
CIS	111*	Basic PC Literacy	1	2	0	2
<b>ENG</b>	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	0	3
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	0	3
			9	4	0	11
<b>FALL</b>	<b>SEMESTE</b>	R				
NUR	101	Practical Nursing I (10 weeks)	7	6	6	11
NUR	102AB**	Practical Nursing II (6 weeks)	4	0	5	5
		<u> </u>	11	6	11	16
SPRIN	IG SEMES	ΓER				
NUR	102BB**	Practical Nursing II (6 weeks)	3	0	4	5
NUR	103	Practical Nursing III (10 weeks)	6	0	9	9
		,	9	0	13	14
Total S	Semester Ho	ours:				41

* Approved Course Substitutions				
Required Course	Course Substitution			
BIO 106 Intro to Anat/Phys/Micro	BIO 163 Basic Anat and Phys or			
	BIO 168 Anat and Phys I and			
	BIO 169 Anat and Phys II			
CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy	CIS 110 Introduction to Computers			

<sup>\*\*</sup> Applicants must complete both NUR 102AB and NUR 102BB before credit can be awarded.

#### **Tuition and Expenses (Approximate Costs)**

Projected Expenses	Associate Degree Nursing	Practical Nursing
Tuition and student fee	\$5,309	\$3,051
Books/supplies	\$2,519	\$1,605
Uniform	\$250	\$250
NCLEX preparation resources	\$500	\$350
Liability insurance	\$32	\$16
Immunizations	\$1,000	\$1,000
CPR course and book	\$120	\$120
Drug screening/criminal background check	\$122	\$122
Immunization tracking system	\$40	\$40
TOTAL:	\$9,892	\$6,554

Costs listed above are estimates and subject to change. The In-State tuition rate is based on \$76 per credit hour plus student fee. Tuition rates are determined by the North Carolina General Assembly and are subject to change at their discretion. All prices are subject to change.

Information regarding purchasing uniforms and textbooks, immunizations, drug screening and criminal background checks, and the immunization tracking system will be supplied at Orientation.

If you have any questions regarding the Student Medical Form, criminal background check, drug screening, or how the submission of these documents may affect your progression in the program, please contact the Director, Associate Degree and Practical Nursing Programs, Judith Thompson, at <a href="mailto:thompsonju@coastalcarolina.edu">thompsonju@coastalcarolina.edu</a> or (910) 938-6272 prior to enrollment.

#### **Financial Aid Information**

#### **Federal Aid Sources**

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
  - O Apply online as soon as possible at <a href="https://www.studentaid.gov">www.studentaid.gov</a>. Awards are made until funds are depleted.
  - o You will need several documents to complete the FAFSA online.
    - 2022 federal tax returns
    - 2022 W-2s
  - o Financial Aid services are available for students Monday, 8:00 a.m. − 7:30 p.m., and Tuesday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. − 5:00 p.m. You may contact the Financial Aid Office at (910) 938-6332 or <a href="maid@coastalcarolina.edu">finaid@coastalcarolina.edu</a>, or visit them in the Student Center building.
  - The Student Services Office can also provide assistance with filling out the FAFSA.

#### **State Aid Sources**

- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
  - o The Human Services Office can provide assistance with applying for the WIOA scholarship. They can be visited Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. − 5:00 p.m. in the Kenneth B. Hurst Continuing Education Building, room 109, or contacted at (910) 938-6258.
  - o This scholarship may be able to provide assistance with childcare and uniforms.
  - O You will need to have already completed the FAFSA.

#### **Local Aid Sources**

- Coastal Carolina Community College Foundation Scholarships
  - o Scholarships are available from the College Foundation Office to Coastal students who qualify under specific criteria.
  - o For a complete listing of College Foundation scholarships available, please visit the College Foundation Office in the James Leroy Henderson, Jr. Administration Building or contact them at (910) 938-6792.
  - O You will need to have already completed the FAFSA.

Visit www.CFNC.org for more financial aid opportunities and information.

#### **Scholarships**

Applicants are encouraged to complete the FAFSA and Coastal Carolina Community College Foundation Scholarship forms as soon as possible. The following scholarships are available specifically for Medical/Allied Health students:

- Agnes Vergon/EMS Scholarship
- Shields Sparkman Medical/Allied Health Scholarship
- Shirley J. and Albert P. Rachide Scholarship
- Star of Life Scholarship

Please contact the College Foundation Office at (910) 938-6792 or <u>foundation@coastalcarolina.edu</u>, or in the James Leroy Henderson, Jr. Administration Building, for specific information about these and other scholarships.

#### **MyCAA**

My Career Advancement Account (MyCAA) Scholarship Program is a workforce development program that provides tuition assistance to eligible military spouses. Scholarships help military spouses pursue licenses, certificates, certifications, or associate degrees necessary to gain employment. Please visit <a href="www.coastalcarolina.edu/military/military-family-students">www.coastalcarolina.edu/military/military-family-students</a> for more details.

#### **Scholarships**

Please contact Coastal Carolina Community College's College Foundation at (910) 938-6792 or <a href="mailto:foundation@coastalcarolina.edu">foundation@coastalcarolina.edu</a> for more information regarding the availability of these scholarships.

Scholarships listed below are offered to the program(s) marked by a check.	ADN	PN
Timothy F. Edwards, M.D., P.A. Scholarship	✓	✓
Victor M. and Mary Muller Beverage Scholarship	✓	✓
Dr. and Mrs. Jeffrey L. Gross Scholarship	✓	✓
Beverage and Wilson Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Linda Holtz Hiehle Scholarship	✓	
Lucy Athalia Koonce Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Willis E. Mease, M.D./Onslow County Medical Society Scholarship	✓	✓
Donald Catherine Erny Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Florence Mallard Myers Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Susie and Louis W. Sewell, Sr. Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Rebecca Perry Sylvester Memorial Scholarship	✓	
Coastal Association of Nursing Students Scholarship	✓	
Edna Winn Memorial/Nursing Department Scholarship	✓	✓
Sylvester and Mary Verry Scholarship	✓	✓
Carole Lowell Nursing Scholarship	✓	✓
Willis E. Mease, M.D. Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Willis and Eleanor Mease LPN Scholarship		✓
Willis and Eleanor Mease RN Scholarship	✓	
Sally Yadlowsky Memorial Scholarships (2)	✓	✓
Shields-Sparkman Medical Allied Health Scholarship	✓	✓
Shirley J. and Albert P. Rachide Scholarship	✓	✓
The Physical Therapy Clinic Scholarship	✓	✓
Onslow Memorial Auxiliary Scholarship	✓	✓
Dr. Hunter Heath Memorial Scholarship	✓	✓
Patricia A. Beverage Scholarship		✓
Peter and Ola Eweje Scholarship	✓	✓
Donald Ray Finney Scholarship	✓	✓

Several of these scholarships are also open to students in other curriculum programs. Students who apply for the College Foundation can receive multiple scholarships. The College Foundation application serves as one application. Students with complete applications are automatically considered for all available scholarships.

#### **Core Technical Standards**

Skills / Behavior	Standard	Examples of Necessary Activities (Not All Inclusive)
Critical Thinking	Critical thinking ability sufficient for clinical judgment	Identify cause-effect relationships in clinical situations; develop nursing care plans.
Interpersonal	Interpersonal abilities sufficient to interact with individuals, families and groups from a variety of social, emotional, cultural, and intellectual backgrounds	Establish rapport with patients/clients and colleagues.
Communication	English communication abilities sufficient for interaction with others in verbal and written form (printed and cursive)	Explain treatment procedures, initiate health teaching, document and interpret nursing actions and patient/client responses.
Mobility	Physical abilities sufficient to move from room to room and maneuver in small spaces	Move around in patients' rooms, workspaces and treatment areas; administer cardio-pulmonary procedures.
Motor Skills	Gross and fine motor abilities sufficient to provide safe and effective nursing care	Calibrate and use equipment; position patients/clients.
Hearing	Auditory ability sufficient to monitor and assess health needs	Hear monitor alarm, emergency signals, auscultatory sounds, and cries for help.
Visual	Visual ability sufficient to monitor and assess health needs	Observe patient/client responses.
Tactile	Tactile ability sufficient for physical assessment	Perform palpation, functions of physical examination and/or those related to therapeutic intervention and insertions of a catheter.
Environmental	Ability to tolerate environmental stressors	Safely work with potentially harmful chemicals used in health care settings to include exposure to communicable diseases, body fluids, and toxic substances.

#### Associate Degree Nursing Applicant Points Worksheet – Point System A

(To be used by applicant to track course completion and points earned)

College Coursework – Point System A				
Related Courses or Equivalent	Grade	Points		
BIO 168 Class*				
BIO 168 Lab*				
BIO 169 Class*				
BIO 169 Lab*				
BIO 175* or BIO 275 Class*				
BIO 175* or BIO 275 Lab*				
ENG 111				
ENG 112				
PSY 150				
PSY 241				
CIS 110				
Humanities/Fine Arts (1 course)				
Humanities/Fine Arts (1 course)  * Biology classes taken before Fall 2019 are considered inelig	rible for admission into the 202	4 Associate Degree		

Nursing program.

	Total Points for Related Coursework:
Additional Points	
License/Certification	
• HESI Score ()	
<ul> <li>ACA 122 College Transfer Success (grade of A only)</li> </ul>	<del></del>
TOTAL POINTS	<del></del>

#### For Reference (Point System A)

	Point Values			
Point System A: Associate Degree Nursing Related Courses	Grade: A/A- OR CLEP: 70+ OR AP Score: 5	Grade: B+/B/B- OR CLEP: 60-69 OR AP Score: 4	Grade: C+/C OR CLEP: 50-59 OR AP Score: 3	
BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I* BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I Lab*	12 3	8 2	4 1	
BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II* BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II Lab*	12 3	8 2	4 1	
BIO 175 General Microbiology* BIO 175 General Microbiology Lab* OR	12 3	8 2	4	
BIO 275 Microbiology* BIO 275 Microbiology Lab*	12 3	8 2	4	
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	8	5	2	
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	8	5	2	
PSY 150 General Psychology	8	5	2	
PSY 241 Developmental Psychology	8	5	2	
CIS 110 Introduction to Computers	8	5	2	
Humanities/Fine Arts Course (1)	8	5	2	

<sup>\*</sup> Biology classes taken before Fall 2019 are considered ineligible for points purposes for admission into the 2024 Associate Degree Nursing program.

#### **Additional Points**

- License/Certification
- HESI Score
- ACA 122 College Transfer Success (grade of A only) = 2 points

See Additional Points for Point Systems A and B.

#### Associate Degree Nursing Applicant Points Worksheet - Point System B

(To be used by applicant to track course completion and points earned)

Point System B:	Grade Point Values			
High School Courses for Associate Degree Nursing Application	A**	B**	С	
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade English				
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English				
Chemistry				
Biology				
Anatomy and Physiology or Physics*				
Geometry or Trigonometry*				
Algebra II				
Health Science I or Biomedical Technology I*				
Health Science II or Biomedical Technology II*				

<sup>\*</sup> Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category.

	<b>Total Points for Related Coursework:</b>
Additional Points	
<ul> <li>License/Certification</li> </ul>	
• HESI Score ( )	<del></del>
<b>Total Points</b>	

See Additional Points for Point Systems A and B.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Honors, AP, and IB designated courses with grades of "A" or "B" will receive one additional point in each category. For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math I=Algebra I, Math II=Geometry, Math III=Algebra II.

#### For Reference

Point System B:	Grade Point Values			
High School Courses for Associate Degree Nursing Application	A**	B**	C	
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade English	7	4	2	
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English	7	4	2	
Chemistry	14	9	5	
Biology	14	9	5	
Anatomy and Physiology or Physics*	14	9	5	
Geometry or Trigonometry*	7	4	2	
Algebra II	7	4	2	
Health Science I or Biomedical Technology I*	7	4	2	
Health Science II or Biomedical Technology II*	7	4	2	

<sup>\*</sup> Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category.

#### **Additional Points**

- License/Certification
- HESI Score

<sup>\*\*</sup> Honors, AP, and IB designated courses with grades of A or B will receive one additional point in each category. For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math I=Algebra I, Math II=Geometry, Math III=Algebra II.

#### Practical Nursing Applicant Points Worksheet - Point System A

(To be used by applicant to track course completion and points earned)

College Coursework – Point System A				
Related Courses or Equivalent			Grade	Points
BIO 106** or BIO 163** or BIO 168**	& BIO 169**	Class		
BIO 106** or BIO 163** or BIO 168**	<b>&amp;</b> BIO 169**	Lab		
ENG 111				
PSY 150				
CIS 111 <i>or</i> CIS 110*				

<sup>\*</sup> CIS 110 Introduction to Computers may substitute for CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy.

# Total Points for Related Coursework: Additional Points License/Certification HESI Score (\_\_\_\_\_) ACA 122 College Transfer Success (grade of A only) = 2 points TOTAL POINTS Total Points for Related Coursework: \_\_\_\_\_\_

#### For Reference

	Point Values			
Point System A:	Grade: A/A-	Grade: B+/B/B-	Grade: C+/C	
Practical Nursing Related Courses	CLEP: <b>70</b> +	CLEP: <b>60-69</b>	CLEP: <b>50-59</b>	
	AP Score: 5	AP Score: 4	AP Score: 3	
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	8	5	2	
PSY 150 General Psychology	8	5	2	
CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy				
OR	8	5	2	
CIS 110 Introduction to Computers*				
BIO 106 Intro. to Anat./Phys./Micro.**	12	8	4	
BIO 106 Intro. to Anat./Phys./Micro. Lab**	3	2	1	
OR				
BIO 163 Basic Anatomy and Physiology**	12	8	4	
BIO 163 Basic Anatomy and Physiology Lab**	3	2	1	
OR				
BIO 168 and BIO 169**	17	13	9	
BIO 168 Lab and BIO 169 Lab**	3	2	1	

<sup>\*</sup> CIS 110 Introduction to Computers may substitute for CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy.

CIS 111 and BIO 106 are not a part of the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science curricula.

#### **Additional Points**

- License/Certification
- HESI Score
- ACA 122 College Transfer Success (grade of A only) = 2 points

<sup>\*\*</sup> Biology classes taken before Summer 2019 are considered ineligible for points purposes for admission into the 2024 Practical Nursing program. BIO 168 AND BIO 169 grade point value will be averaged in place of the BIO 106 grade points. (Ex: BIO 168-A, BIO 169-B, so 20+15=35; 35/2=17.5 so 17.5 points will be given for BIO 106/163 requirement.)

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#### **Practical Nursing Applicant Points Worksheet - Point System B**

(To be used by applicant to track course completion and points earned)

High School Coursework – Point System B			
Related Courses Or Equivalent	Grade	+ 1 Point (Honors, AP, or IB A or B)	Points
11 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English*			
Biology			
Chemistry or Advanced Biology or Physics*			
Algebra II or Geometry or Trigonometry*			
Health Science I & II or Biomedical Technology I & II*			

<sup>\*</sup> Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category.

For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math I=Algebra I, Math II=Geometry, Math III=Algebra II.

		Total Points for Related Coursework:
Additi	ional Points	
•	License/Certification	
•	HESI Score ( )	<del></del>
	TOTAL POINTS	

#### For Reference

Point System B:		Grade Point Values (Honor A or B)			
High School Courses for Practical Nursing Application	A**	B**	C		
11 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade English*	7	4	2		
Biology	8	5	2		
Chemistry <b>OR</b> Advanced Biology <b>OR</b> Physics*	8	5	2		
Algebra II <b>OR</b> Geometry <b>OR</b> Trigonometry*	7	4	2		
Health Science I & II <b>OR</b> Biomedical Technology I & II*	9	7	3		

Points will be awarded for **only one** course in each category

For the purpose of North Carolina Common Core Integrated Math courses, the following are equivalents under Point System B: Math I=Algebra I, Math II=Geometry, Math III=Algebra II.

#### **Additional Points**

- License/Certification
- HESI Score

<sup>\*\*</sup> Honors, AP, and IB designated courses with grades of "A" or "B" will receive one additional point in each category.

#### **Contact Information**

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Transcripts may be mailed or submitted electronically:

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Americans with Disabilities Act Support:

Coordinator for Disability Support Services (910) 938-6331 adasupport@coastalcarolina.edu

Request for Accommodation Information:

Students requesting disability accommodations must self-identify to the Coordinator for Disability Support Services. Students are required to submit current documentation of their disability to the Coordinator for Disability Support Services in order to determine eligibility prior to any implementation of accommodation services. Students requesting accommodations from the College must have a disability, as defined by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act. Self-identification and providing documentation can be initiated at any time; however, the student must allow reasonable time for accommodations to be implemented.

Pregnant students who would like to request accommodations must contact the Coordinator for Disability Support Services. Students will be required to submit current documentation to the Coordinator for Disability Support Services in order to determine their eligibility prior to any implementation of accommodation services.

#### Notes