

2019-2020

PRACTICAL NURSING (PN) PROGRAM – Application Requirements

The PN Program is designed to provide the Kansas Certified Nurse Aide the opportunity to enter the nursing profession as a Licensed Practical Nurse. The PN Program requirements include:

□ COMPLETE ON-LINE PCC COLLEGE APPLICATION

- [Application Link](http://www.prattcc.edu) via the PCC website (www.prattcc.edu)
 - Acceptance to PCC **does not indicate** acceptance into the Nursing Program

□ PROGRAM APPLICATION

- Open Period: September 1st - January 1st
- **Application Deadline: January 1st** (Applications will NOT be accepted after this date)
- Late / illegible / incomplete application packets will be returned
- Application must be submitted as a "packet of documents" (see *Nursing Application Checklist*)
 - DO NOT submit individual documents and attempt to verify what PCC has received.

□ PRE-REQUISITE/REQUIRED NURSING PROGRAM COURSES/CERTIFICATES

- ALL Pre-Requisites and Required courses must be completed prior to Jan 1, 2018.

English Composition 1	3 credit hour (course grade of 2.0 or greater)
General Psychology	3 credit hour (course grade of 2.0 or greater)
Anatomy & Physiology (A&P)	5 cr.hr with lab (5 year expiration) (course grade of 3.0 or greater) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A&P I & A&P II - 4 credit hours each with lab, may be taken as a replacement to A&P 5.0 credit hour course.
Beginning Algebra or Higher	3 credit hour (course grade of 2.0 or greater) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OR by "scoring into" Intermediate Algebra on the ACCUPLACER or ACT
Nurse Aide I	5 credit hour (course grade of 2.0 or greater) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Active Kansas CNA Certification: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – The certificate will be verified at: https://ksdhe.qlsuite.us/qlsuiteweb/Clients/KSDHE/public/main.html

□ PROGRAM ENTRANCE EXAM (TEAS® Exam)

- PCC utilizes the ATI TEAS® as the entrance exam for the Nursing Programs. The exam must be available PRIOR to the application deadline, and can be included in the "application packet".
 - Minimum scores required:
 - **Overall Adjusted Individual: 58.7%**
 - **Science: 50%**
 - **Reading: 65%**
- Schedule ATI TEAS® at: <http://prattcc.edu/nursing/teas-test-registration>
- Applicant must take all sections to obtain an "Overall Score". Individual sections may be "retaken" to raise Science or Reading scores.

□ OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS

- Official transcripts from High School/GED and ALL colleges attended are required. Submit official copies of your high school transcript or GED certificate (if applicable) and transcripts from any college previously attended to the Office of Admissions/Registrar.
- Order requests or statement verifying sent via mail must be included in the "application packet"
 - Hard copy transcript to be addressed to
 - PCC Admissions Office/Registrar
348 NE State Road 61
Pratt KS 67124

□ INTERNATIONAL/F-1 VISA STUDENTS

- **Students must meet all "International Student Requirements"** as identified <http://prattcc.edu/student-services/international>
- Students whose first language is not English must document their English proficiency in one of the following ways:
 - **A minimum TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) Score of: 61**
 - Writing 15; Speaking 15; Reading 16; Listening 15

- Completion of the ELS109
- Completion of KAPLAN INTERNATIONAL Intensive English.
- Successful completion of the ESL (English as a Second Language) level 9 at the Hays Language Institute.
- Academic Credit of 12 hours or more from a U.S. Post-Secondary Institution.
- One year from a U.S. High school with a minimum of a 2.5 grade point average.
- Transcript which shows that all instruction was taught in English with a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.