

# ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING

## ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

### Associate Degree Nursing Program is offered:

On the Pratt Community College campus in Pratt, Kansas, Hybrid /Online and at the Allied Health Center in Winfield, Kansas, through a cooperative agreement with the Cowley Community College

- **Applicants MUST have an active Kansas LPN license or Paramedic Certificate:**
  - LPN license will be verified at: <https://www.kansas.gov/ksbn-verifications/>
  - Paramedic Certification will be verified at: <http://www.nremt.org/>
  - or <https://www.accesskansas.org/ssrv-aivel/welcome.html>
- **Application Period:** September 1 through April 1
- **Pre-Application: May be submitted at any time....prior to submitting the application packet!**
  - Pre-application – is a notice of intent to apply
    - Pre-application does NOT require documentation
    - Pre-application does NOT require prerequisites to have been completed
    - Pre-application REQUIRES application form to be complete & legible
- **Application Deadline –April 1 (no applications will be accept after this date)**
- **Application must be submitted as a “packet of documents” incomplete packets will be returned**
- **Application “Packet” must contain:**
  - Copy – Pre-application that was submitted
  - Official High School transcript in unopened sealed envelope
    - If electronic transcript service orders are placed a copy of the “order request” must be included in the application packet
  - Or Official GED or Home School transcript in an unopened sealed envelope
  - Official College transcript(s) in unopened sealed envelope(s)
    - Must submit Official transcripts from ALL colleges attended
    - If electronic transcript service orders are placed a copy of the “order request” must be included in the application packet
    - Transcripts submitted to PCC within the past 2 years do NOT need to be resubmitted
    - Transcripts do NOT need to be submitted for courses taken at PCC
  - Copy of ATI TEAS® test scores
    - Official scores must be made available to PCC
      - From either
        - Testing center sealed testing center envelope
        - ATI testing website
  - Health Profile Certification (signed)
  - Kansas LPN license (copy) (if applying for Associate Degree Nurse Program)
  - Or Paramedic Certificate / Registration (if applying for Associate Degree Nursing Program)
  - Kansas CNA certificate (copy) required for Paramedics applying for ADN program
  - Cover Page of Performance Reference Appraisal request form (completed)
  - Biography sheet (completed)
  - Copy of Birth Certificate if US citizen by birth
  - Copy of Permanent Residency Certificate or Certificate of Naturalization, if applicable
- **Complete On Line PCC College Application** at: [APPLY NOW](#) or go to: [www.prattcc.edu](http://www.prattcc.edu)
  - Acceptance to PCC does not indicate acceptance into the Nursing Program
- **Pre-Requisite Nursing Program courses**
  - 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 - 5 credit hour with lab (5 year expiration) (course grade of 3.0 or greater)
  - Must be retaken if completed greater than 5 years prior to program enrollment
  - A&P I & A&P II 4 credit hours each, with lab, may be taken as a replacement to A&P
    - Same five year expiration dates apply (course grade of 3.0 or greater)
- Microbiology – 5 credit hour with lab (5 year expiration) (course grade of 3.0 or greater)
- Developmental Psychology – 3 credit hour (course grade of 2.0 or greater)
- **Admissions criteria Nursing Program preparatory courses / Requirements**
  - Paramedic certified applicants, must have additionally completed: Nurse Aide I course (Admission Requirement)
  - CPR Certification : (Admission Requirement)
    - American Heart Association Health Care Provider CPR or American Red Cross Professional Rescuer CPR
  - Student must be “eligible to enroll” in Intermediate Algebra. (Admission Requirement)
    - May be achieved by completing Elementary / Beginning Algebra
    - OR by “scoring into” Intermediate Algebra on the COMPASS, ACT or ACCUPLACER tests
- **A D N Transition Exam** Minimum score required: 78%
- **ATI TEAS®** The ATI TEAS® is the entrance exam for the Nursing Program at Pratt Community College. The exam must be scheduled and completed in a timely manner to ensure that scores are available PRIOR to the application deadline, and can be included in the “application packet”.
  - Schedule ATI TEAS® at: <http://prattcc.edu/nursing/teas-test-registration>
  - Minimum scores required:
    - OVERALL Adjusted Individual 58.7%
    - SCIENCE 50%
    - READING 65%
  - Applicant must take all sections to obtain an “Overall Score”. Individual sections may be “retaken” to raise Science or Reading scores.
- **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS** are required.
  - Applicant MUST collect official transcripts from High School, or GED or Home School, in SEALED unopened envelope(s) that is/are inserted in the Nursing Program Application Packet
  - Applicant MUST collect official transcripts from ALL colleges attended, regardless of courses, taken, length of time attended, or dates attended, in SEALED unopened envelope(s) that is/are inserted in the Nursing Program Application Packet
- **Students with an F-1 VISA must meet all “International Student Requirements”** as identified <http://prattcc.edu/student-services/international>
  - **TOEFL scores of:**      **Writing 15**      **Speaking 15**      **Reading 16**      **Listening 15**
  - Required for all students residing in a non-English speaking country
  - TOEFL scores must be included in the “Application Packet”
- **Fill out the FAFSA** Submit the fasfa as early as possible. If you have completed 96 credit hours or more an appeal must be completed. Contact the financial aid office at: [finaid@prattcc.edu](mailto:finaid@prattcc.edu) or 620-450-2169
- **EMAIL ADDRESS** applicants must provide, use and monitor a valid email account. Failure to respond to notices and / or requests in a timely manner may result in the application being denied
  - All communication regarding requirements, requests, notifications are completed by email
- **ESTIMATED COST** sheets are posted on the Prattcc.edu website, and may be requested at: [nursinginfo@prattcc.edu](mailto:nursinginfo@prattcc.edu)
- **PAYMENT** –Nursing Program participants must pay for, or have financial aid to cover, or make arrangements to pay for tuition and fees on the day classes open.
- **TEXTBOOKS** –Nursing Program participants are required to have textbooks on the day classes open. Textbook information will be distributed during Nursing Orientation.