

Specific Admission Requirements

1. Meet *one* of the following three admission options.
 - a. Hold an associate degree or higher from a regionally accredited school with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75.
- OR**
- b. Achieve a minimum composite score equivalent to the 60th percentile on the National League for Nursing Pre-Admission Exam (PAX-RN). Scores are valid for 2 years from date of testing. Students may re-test every 6 months.
- OR**
- c. Complete the Pre-Nursing Certificate with a minimum GPA for the Certificate of 2.75. No more than 4 of the 8 courses required for the Pre-Nursing Certificate may be repeated to meet this admission option.

AND

2. Provide proof of current South Carolina certification as a nursing assistant. Submit with application.
3. CNAs from another nursing program or who have been out of TTC's Nursing Assistant Program for two or more years must provide proof (letter from employer) of a minimum of 960 hours (equivalent to six months full time) employment in a hospital or nursing home providing direct patient care to adult medical/surgical patients as a CNA within three years prior to admission to the program. Submit letter from the employer with application. Employment through an agency does not meet this requirement. Work experiences must include demonstrated competencies required by the program.

Recommended Sequence of Courses

First Semester – Fall

BIO 210	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
*NUR 104	Nursing Care Management I	4
NUR 105	Pharmacology for Nurses	1
PSY 201	General Psychology	3

Total 15

Second Semester – Spring

BIO 211	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
NUR 158	Health Promotion for Families I	4
NUR 159	Nursing Care Management II	6
PSY 203	Human Growth and Development	3

Total 17

Third Semester – Summer

CPT 101	Introduction to Computers	3
+NUR 206	Clinical Skills Application	2

Total 5

Fourth Semester – Fall

BIO 225	Microbiology	4
NUR 207	Mental Health Promotion	4

or

NUR 208	Health Promotion for Families II	4
NUR 209	Nursing Care Management III	5

Total 13

Fifth Semester – Spring

MAT 110	College Algebra	3
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or

MAT 120	Probability and Statistics	3
NUR 207	Mental Health Promotion	4

or

NUR 208	Health Promotion for Families II	4
NUR 219	Nursing Management and Leadership	4
**THE 101	Introduction to Theater	3

Total 14

+Requirement may be met through co-op enrollment (CWE 112) or international clinical experience (NUR 246).

**Automatic credit for NUR 102 will be awarded after successful completion of the first clinical nursing course.*

***This course requirement can be met by taking both a Humanities Elective and either SPC 205 Public Speaking or SPC 209 Interpersonal Communication. See Humanities Electives.*

Nursing (ADN)

Associate in Applied Science

CNA to ADN Option Career Path

Credit Requirements: 68 Semester Credit Hours

Students entering Spring Semester

Applicants who are Certified Nursing Assistants from another program or who have been out of TTC's Nursing Assistant certificate program two or more years are eligible to be considered for admission to the CNA-ADN option.

Applicants who have graduated from TTC's NA program less than two years before application must meet Associate Degree Nursing admission requirements.

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In addition to meeting the Program Specific Admission Requirements below, applicants must also meet the General College Admission Requirements and General Nursing Program Admission Requirements.

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Nursing (ADN)

Associate in Applied Science

LPN to ADN Option Career Path

Credit Requirements: 71 Semester Credit Hours

Students entering Fall Semester

Applicants who are Licensed Practical Nurses from another program or who have been out of TTC's PN program two or more years are eligible to be considered for admission to the LPN-to-ADN Option. Students in this option will be required to complete a transition course with a grade of C