Associate Degree Nursing Program

Pre-Entrance Exam Test Dates
For Admissions into the Fall 2018 Semester or later

You may register to take the exam beginning Wednesday, September 27, 2017. Deadline for registration is 4:30 p.m. on Friday, September 29, 2017. To register, please email dmcdonou@lc.edu. Please provide the following: your name; your Social Security Number or student ID number – (This is not the number on the back of your L&C photo ID). This number can normally be found on BlazerNet, your schedule, or an invoice from the college; your phone number; and the day you would like to test. We will reply to your email once your registration has been confirmed. If you have questions and would like to talk to someone, please call 618-468-4401. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday, closed from noon – 1 p.m. for lunch.

✓ A photo ID will be required in order to test; i.e. Driver’s License, L&C photo ID card.
✓ Bring a pen or pencil.
✓ Calculators will be provided by the Nursing Program. You cannot use your own.
✓ $50 charge. Payable the day of the test.
✓ Test is given in the Templin Nursing Building, room L203 (lowest level of the Nursing Building).
✓ You are allotted 4 hours to complete the exam. If you complete the exam early, you may leave the room. Check in begins approximately 30 minutes before the start of the exam. Students who arrive after the scheduled start time will not be allowed to take that exam.

Testing Dates:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Time</th>
<th>Room</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Wednesday</td>
<td>October 4, 2017</td>
<td>12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Room NU L203</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thursday</td>
<td>October 5, 2017</td>
<td>4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Room NU L203</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Friday</td>
<td>October 6, 2017</td>
<td>1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Room NU L203</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Saturday</td>
<td>October 7, 2017</td>
<td>8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Room NU L203</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

There is limited space available for each testing date.

You are allowed to take the pre-entrance exam only one time during this semester and retake once within a three-year period. This is an online test. You cannot retake the test again until the Spring 2018 semester (normally end of March/first of April). Once you test, your scores are good for 5 years.

NOTE: These testing dates are for students who wish to be considered for admission in August (Fall semester) of 2018 or later.

HESI Admission Assessment Study Guide: The campus Bookstore carries a limited number of the Study Guide which may be helpful in preparing for the Pre-Entrance Exam. The Bookstore does not guarantee to have the Study Guides in stock. You may order them online at: https://evolve.elsevier.com. Type the ISBN, 9780323353786, in the search bar for the paperback version. You may also call HESI at 800-545-2522. The cost of the book is approximately $45. IMPORTANT – Purchase early to avoid inadequate supplies!! You can also utilize the free practice tests at http://www.hesia2test.com/. Areas to study: Reading Comprehension, Grammar, Vocabulary, and Math. You will also be tested on Critical Thinking, but there is not a section for this in the study guide. It is based on your ability to critically think. There are additional areas in the book besides these, but you will only be tested on the aforementioned areas. Please go to the nursing homepage on the L&C website at www.lc.edu for admission requirements.

Testing Information: Students must receive a minimum of 75% in the areas of Reading Comprehension, Vocabulary, and Math to be considered for the program. Once the minimum requirements are met, you will then receive points for the Reading Comprehension score and the Cumulative Score. Those receiving the top scores and who have met all requirements, will then be selected for admission. If you do not have the minimum requirement, you will not be considered for admission. If you’ve only taken the exam once, you may take it again during the next testing period. You are allowed a total of 2 tests within a three-year period. Students must also have an overall cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better for the last 5 years in order to be considered for admission.