

NURSING PROGRAM LEVEL 1- FIRST YEAR APPLICATION & ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Submit ALL required application materials listed below in one packet by June 4, 2021.

1. Nursing Program selection criteria, Level 1.
 - *Enclosure Number One*
2. Nursing Level 1 candidates must have a pre-admission assessment with a total score determined by staff. ATI-TEAS testing is offered at Luna Community College. If you have not yet taken a pre-admission assessment, you may call 454-2525 or email Yvonne Piña at ypina@luna.edu for information or scheduling. Exams must be completed by May 28, 2021 before application will be considered.
 - *Enclosure Number Two*
3. **If you have not previously attended LCC, applicant should immediately** apply for admission online via the Luna website, for questions contact the admissions office at Luna Community College (505) 454-2550. Also, if you have graduated with a degree or certificate from LCC or have not been enrolled in any courses for a year or more, you will also need to re-apply for admission.
4. Submit a Letter of Intent.
 - *Enclosure Number Three*
5. Request official High School transcripts and/or official transcript of test results for GED, as well as from post-secondary institutions, if applicable (**applicant must mail**). If you have taken LCC classes, check to see if your high school transcripts are on file. **Applicant must submit** high school transcripts and/or official transcript for the GED to:

LCC Office of Admissions
366 Luna Drive
Las Vegas, NM 87701

If the applicant is planning on **transferring** courses from other post-secondary institutions (*you do not need to request a transcript from LCC*), the **applicant must request** the official transcript(s) be sent to:

LCC Office of Registrar
366 Luna Drive
Las Vegas, NM 87701

Before transfer of credit is to be considered; the transcript(s) must be received at LCC registrar's office by June 4, 2021. Please choose appropriate forms for your official transcript(s). If Transcripts are not received in the registrar's office on or before June 4, 2021, **your packet will be considered incomplete.**

- *Enclosure Number Four*
6. Please complete Declaration of Major form. Your major will be **Allied Health**, your major will be changed to Nursing after you are officially admitted into the Nursing Program.
 - *Enclosure Number Five*
 7. Complete the Nursing Admissions Requirements Questionnaire.
 - *Enclosure Number Six*

Nursing Program Selection Criteria – Nursing Level 1
ENCLOSURE NUMBER ONE

In addition to Luna Community College Regular Admission policies, a Nursing Program applicant must also meet departmental criteria in order to become an eligible candidate. All applications will be screened in June 2021. The applicants will be notified by U.S. mail of their selection status. The notice will be mailed to the current address listed on the application for admission. Applicants are advised not to call regarding the status of their selection unless they have not received notification by **July 13, 2020**.

Eligible LCC Nursing Program candidates are objectively selected by rank order and admitted through an evaluative 100 Point Selection Scale. All eligible applicants compete for available slots for the program. The LCC Nursing Program Admission Committee will calculate the official scores and rank applicants based on total points. All decisions made by the committee are final and not subject to appeal. Official grade transcripts and transfer courses from other accredited institutions of higher education are necessary for the selection review and should be submitted by **June 4, 2021** as outlined on page one.

A total of 100 possible points can be earned from the following criteria:

1. **PRE-ADMISSION EXAMINATION** (50 Points)
Completion of The ATI-TEAS entrance exam is a requirement for admission. Up to 50 points can be gained in this category based on the actual score received.
2. **CUMULATIVE GPA ON PRE-REQUISITE COURSES** (40 Points)
A minimum of 2.75 GPA in pre-requisite courses is required for eligibility. The first five pre-requisite courses used for GPA calculation are listed on Enclosure Number Seven. Example: A cumulative GPA of 4.0 will calculate to 40 points.
3. **OTHER CRITERIA** (10 Points)
These minimum scores on the ATI-TEAS are required in order to be considered for admission: **Reading 72.4, Math 68.6, and Science 57.2**. Up to 10 points can be gained in this category based on the actual scores received.

ENCLOSURE NUMBER TWO

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**A study guide is available:
ATI-TEAS Review Manual, 6th edition
ISBN-978-1565335752**

PLACE: On-line or Allied Health Science Building, Computer Lab

COST: \$65.00 on Campus

OTHER ATI-TEAS INFORMATION/REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicant must present photo identification on the date of the ATI-TEAS exam and must bring debit/credit card for payment.
2. These following minimum scores on the ATI-TEAS are required in order to be considered for admission: **Reading 72.4, Math 68.6, and Science 57.2.**
3. The ATI-TEAS Exam may only be attempted three times each (academic) year and results are only valid for the current (academic) year.
4. If the ATI-TEAS Exam is taken more than once, the highest score per section will be used to calculate the point value.

Sample Letter of Intent

ENCLOSURE NUMBER THREE

All applicants must submit a Letter of Intent

THIS IS A SAMPLE. PLEASE WRITE YOUR OWN.

Date

Maxine Hughes, MSN, RN
Director of Nursing
Luna Community College
366 Luna Drive
Las Vegas, NM 87701

Dear Director:

I understand all the requirements to enter the Nursing Program at Luna Community College (LCC). Please consider me for “Regular Admission” to the Nursing Program for the 2018-2019 school year.

Sincerely,

Prospective Student’s Signature

**Transcript Request for Admissions
ENCLOSURE NUMBER FOUR**

To: _____
High School or GED Center

Street Address or Box Number

City, State, Zip Code

To Whom It May Concern:

I have been provisionally admitted to Luna Community College in Las Vegas, New Mexico. My application requires an official transcript from your institution. Please forward an official transcript of my record(s) to:

**Office of Admissions
Luna Community College
366 Luna Drive
Las Vegas, NM 87701**

Signature

Print Name

Street or Box Number

City, State, Zip Code

Social Security Number: _____

Year Graduated: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Maiden Name: _____

☐ **First Time Major** (if changing from community education/non-degree/concurrent status)

☐ **Change of Major**

☐ **Second Major** (if previously completed a certificate/degree program at LCC)

TERM DECLARED: FALL X SPRING SUMMER 2021

Address:

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

SS# _____ **Phone #** _____

By my signature below, I understand if I am receiving VA benefits and/or student financial aid, it is my responsibility to notify LCC's Veteran's Officer and/or the student Financial Aid Office of my change of major.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

For Office Use Only

Director of Admissions

Date_____

Processed By: _____ Date _____

**Nursing Admission Requirements Questionnaire
ENCLOSURE NUMBER SIX**

Applicant Name: _____ **SS#:** _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone Number: _____

Complete the following questions by checking the appropriate section. (Yes or No)

<u>ADMISSION PREREQUISITES</u>	<u>COMPLETED</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>COLLEGE</u>
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1. Courses

BIOL2210 Human Anatomy & Physiology I ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

BIOL2225 Human Anatomy & Physiology II ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

ENGL1110 Freshman Composition I ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

Basic Lab Science (Med Micro, Chem, or Bio) ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

PSYC1110 Introduction to Psychology ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

PSYC2120 Developmental Life Span ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

BIOL2510 Pathophysiology ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

2. Co-requisite Course

ENGL1120 Freshman Composition II ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

MATH1350 Introduction to Statistics ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO** _____

3. Pre-admission Exam

Have you taken the ATI-TEAS exam? ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO**

Please attach a copy of scores