

**Fall 2019 Admission Requirements for
Practical Nursing Diploma Program**

Traditional One Year Pathway August 2019 to July 2020 (Day Classes)

These items below are required for the PN selection process by January 31, 2019:

- Apply for admission to Richmond Community College and NC Residency Application
- Completed, Passed, or Exempted from DRE 098 & DMA 010 through DMA 050
- Request official high school transcript or GED scores to be sent to Office of Admissions
- Request official transcripts from all colleges and schools since High School to be sent to Office of Admissions
- Complete an application for the Nursing Program(s) between June 1, 2018 to January 31, 2019 to start in Fall Semester 2019
- Take the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) with a minimum composite score of 55. (60 composite score if in a previous Practical Nursing program)
- Must have a calculated a Program GPA of 2.5. (GPA is calculated based on courses completed in Box 1 of the PN point sheet. A PN applicant must have at least 10 credit hours completed or the unweighted high school GPA will be used).

Once a Nursing Applicant has completed the Admission Requirements for PN listed above, the applicant will be entered into a competitive admissions process based on a point system that is explained on the next page. Points are calculated in February 2019. A copy of the point sheet is sent to PN applicants who complete Admission Requirements along with further instructions on the remainder of the Admissions Process by March 15th, 2019.

Richmond Community College
Lillian Duer James School of Nursing
Practical Nursing Admissions Point Sheet
Fall 2019

Applicant: _____ ID# _____

Box 1: Non-Nursing Courses Required to Graduate in Practical Nursing
Scale: A=4 points B=3 points C= 0 points

Course & Semester	Grade	Points
BIO 165*		
BIO 166*		
PSY 150		
ENG 111		

Total Points for Required Non-Nursing Classes:

Box 2: Courses that are NOT required but used for additional points.
Scale: A=4 points B=3 points C=0 points

Course	Grade	Points
CIS 110**		
MAT 140 or higher		
MED 121 (not OST)		
MED 122 (not OST)		

Total Points for Additional Courses

Box 3: Point Allocation for scores on the TEAS

Composite Scores	Points Awarded
91-100	40
78-90	30
69-77	20
58-68	10

Math Scores	Points Awarded
70 or higher	10
60-69	5

Total Points for TEAS Scores

Box 4: Points for previous experience (In order to receive credit certifications and licenses must be current)

Certifications & Licenses	Points
Allied Health I (HS)	1
Allied Health II (HS)	1
CNA I	1
CNA II	1
EMT	1
CMA	2

Diploma or Degrees (points for highest only)	Points
Diploma (not high school)	2
Associate Degree	3
Bachelor or Master	4

Total Points for Previous Experience

Overall Total Points

*No credit given if more than 5 years old at time of admission
**No credit given if more than 7 years old at time of admission