



DAYTONA STATE COLLEGE

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How To Apply To The Associate Degree Nursing Program

(For Continued Enrollment)

- (1) Submit an application to the college or readmit if it has been two major semesters or longer since you last attended Daytona State College.
- (2) Have official transcripts (high school, GED, college) sent to Daytona State College Admissions Office. All official transcripts must be received by Daytona State College within 14 days of the close of the application period.
- (3) Apply to Financial Aid if desired.
- (4) All new and readmitted students will be required to complete the college Orientation. Students can complete the orientation online.
- (5) Take the Postsecondary Education Readiness Test (PERT) (if required) unless you have credit for College Composition (ENC1101) & Intermediate Algebra (MAT1033) with a "C" or better grade or have current SAT's or ACT's.
- (6) Meet with an academic advisor in the Academic Advising Office to obtain PERT results for English and Math placement (if required).
- (7) **The TEAS test must be taken at Daytona State College on the Daytona, DeLand or Deltona campus and an appointment is required.** Prior to the exam, create an account online with ATI <http://www.atitesting.com> with log in information which will be required to take the TEAS test. Obtain an Assessment Services Test Fees form for the TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills) from Assessment Services. Pay the proctoring fee to the college cashier. You will be placed in a testing room where internet options will allow you to log in to your ATI account and pay online for the TEAS test through the ATI self-pay method. **Prepare to spend 4-4½ hours from beginning to end for registration and testing.**
- (8) During the application periods of May and September, bring to the Academic Advising Office a completed Nursing Application form, copy of unofficial transcript(s) and/or license if necessary. The advisor will check to make sure that you qualify for both College Composition (ENC1101) and College Algebra (MAC1105) through course work or appropriate placement test scores. ATI TEAS results must meet the minimum requirements of 69th percentile in reading comprehension and 63rd percentile in mathematics, and an adjusted individual total score (AITS) at the 59th percentile or better. **Tests may not be combined to show minimum score achievement, the scores must be achieved in each category on the same test attempt. Examinees may test a total of two (2) times within a calendar year (Jan-Dec). TEAS scores are valid three (3) years from test date.**
- (9) Applicants must have an overall grade point average of at least 2.50. Overall grade point average will be determined at the time of application submission. Courses in progress without a grade will not be included in overall grade point average.
- (10) LPN/ADN and Paramedic/Respiratory/ADN Transition applicants must bring in a photocopy of their current Florida license. Additionally, Paramedic/Respiratory/ADN Transition applicants must provide proof of employment as a Certified Nursing Assistant, completion of CNA program of study, CNA review program or provide evidence of a current Florida Certified Nursing Assistant license. Provide a letter from employer indicating length of work experience.
- (11) The Academic Advising Office will complete the checklist and assemble the materials into a packet for you. On the Daytona campus students will be referred to Melissa Brown, Bldg. 320, Rm. 549 to submit the application once the applicant has obtained an advisor signature.
- (12) Decision letters will be sent approximately six weeks following the application period. Applicants not accepted will receive a declination letter and may apply during the next application period.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM SELECTION PROCESS

Submit completed application packet to the Academic Advising Office in May or September

(The following categories are used to rank applicants according to academic standing. Placement in a category does not guarantee admission to the program.)

CATEGORY 1

Successful completion* of ALL the required nursing pre and co-requisite courses with a cumulative GPA of 3.50 to 4.00.

CATEGORY 2

Successful completion* of ALL the required nursing pre and co-requisite courses with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 to 3.49.

CATEGORY 3

Successful completion* of ALL the required nursing pre and co-requisite courses with a cumulative GPA of 2.50 to 2.99.

CATEGORY 4

Students who are missing any of the following pre or co-requisite courses:

- A. College Composition (ENC 1101)
- B. Literature and Composition (ENC 1102)
- C. College Algebra (MAC 1105)
- D. General Psychology (PSY 1012)
- E. Oral Communications (SPC2608)
- F. Humanities (Refer to Catalog)
- G. Anatomy and Physiology I (BSC 1085/L)
- H. Anatomy and Physiology II (BSC 1086/L)
- I. Microbiology (MCB 1010/L)

Applicants are given priority of admission within each category based upon:

- A. Successful completion of ALL the required nursing pre and co-requisite courses.
- B. Cumulative GPA at the time of application submission.
- C. TEAS reading comprehension score.
- D. TEAS mathematics score.
- E. TEAS Adjusted Individual Total Score (AITS).

TRANSITION INTO PROFESSIONAL NURSING ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- A. RRT and Paramedic applicants must provide proof of employment as a Certified Nursing Assistant, completion of CNA program of study, CNA review program or provide evidence of a current Florida Certified Nursing Assistant license.
- B. Work experience, minimum one year.

*** PROGRAM PRE AND CO-REQUISITES AND NURSING COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A "C" GRADE OR BETTER.**