



Associate Degree Nursing Program Admission Criteria
Please read all application instructions before completing your application.
The application is not complete until all required documentation is received.

Students who apply for admission to the Associate Degree Nursing program will be selected on the basis of the highest ACT/SAT test scores or the highest grade point average of specific courses taken at San Jacinto College dependent upon the option under which they apply (Option A and/or Option B below).

Option A: ACT composite score of 19 or greater on test taken on or after October, 1989, or ACT composite score of 15 or greater on test taken before October, 1989.

SAT score of 900 or greater on test taken within the last 10 years.

Option B: Coursework earned at San Jacinto College. Option B applicants must complete at San Jacinto College ten semester hours as specified below earning a minimum of a B average on the three courses with no grade lower than a C.

(1) BIOL 2401 or BIOL 2402 or BIOL 2420 or BIOL 2421 and

(2) ENGL 1301

(3) MATH 1333 or MATH 1314 or higher level mathematics course

**Biology courses must be taken within the last five years with no grade less than a "C"!!

***Please refer to the San Jacinto Community College District 2008-2010 Catalog,**

Page 179, for a complete course list of prerequisites that are required prior to enrolling in any nursing course.

To avoid duplication of courses completed at other regionally accredited institutions, applicants seeking admissions by Option B may petition the Coordinator of Admissions to take a more advanced mathematics, or English course at San Jacinto College (if they have completed the courses identified above with a grade of C or above at another regionally accredited institution).

Students must apply for admission to the Associate Degree Nursing program by submitting an Associate Degree Nursing Program Request Form and all required official documents to the Central Campus Office of Enrollment Services during the application period stated below:

Application Periods

Fall Term: April 1 – June 1

Spring Term: September 1 – November 1

Note: Students should request transcripts and test scores be mailed directly to the Central Campus Office of Enrollment Services as soon as possible. Transcripts and test scores may be requested prior to the application period beginning dates. You will need to fill out a Transcript Evaluation Form if transferring any courses. Requesting transcripts and test scores as soon as possible will expedite the processing of applicants' documents. Do not send documents to the North Campus or the South Campus. It is imperative the Central Campus Office of Enrollment Services be made aware of all names utilized on prior documents if names differ from the name submitted on the Associate Degree Nursing Program Request Form.

A Criminal Background Check and Drug Screening is now required prior to enrolling in the Nursing program and as part of the application process. A valid receipt from PreCheck, Inc. and Deer Park Family Clinic must be submitted with your application to Enrollment Services. Please note that the criminal background check and drug screening should be completed and submitted with the application period **ONLY**. Any criminal background check or drug screening done outside the application period will **NOT** be considered.

Applicants to the Associate Degree Nursing program will be notified by email regarding their program admission status. Applicants who are not selected for admission to the Associate Degree Nursing program must re-apply. Applicants who are accepted for admission to the Associate Degree Nursing program, but who do not enroll, must also re-apply.