

New DACC Nursing Requirement Guidelines

Applying June 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Follow old prerequisite courses ➤ Take HESI exam
Applying October 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Follow old prerequisite courses ➤ Take NLN exam
Applying March 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Encourage NEW prerequisite courses* ➤ Take NLN exam
Applying June 2025 or later	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ New prerequisite courses required ➤ Take NLN exam

***Students need to follow the old prereqs OR the new prereqs (but no mixing/matching) based on the best fit for the student and when they are applying to the nursing program.**

<u>Old Required Prerequisite Courses</u> ENGL 1110G MATH 1220G CHEM 1120G BIOL 2210 and 2225 PSYC 1110G CEPY 1120G	<u>New Required Prerequisite Courses:</u> ENGL 1110G MATH 1130G or higher BIOL 2210 and 2225 PHIL 2110G CEPY 1120G PSYC 1110G or SOCI 1110G AHS 120 or HIT 150
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Exam Details:

- **NLN NEX Exam** will replace the HESI on **June 6, 2024** (NLN NEX Exam - 100% remote/48-hour registration period/Proctor 360 - need camera & microphone/\$68.50 or \$86 for LPN/4 tries maximum/wait 30 days to retest)
- HESI results will be accepted for **1 year** from test date

Nursing Application Details:

- 50% GPA (prerequisites only)
- 50% Exam Results
- Bonus Points for: second time applying, healthcare provider certificate, prereqs taken in the NMSU/DACC system
- The last 2 prereqs can be in progress when they apply to the program as long as their GPA from all other prereqs meet the minimum requirement

Note: NMSU Bachelor of Nursing requirements have **not** changed.

More Questions?!

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