COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLETE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM (Only LPNs eligible to apply)

Remotely testing of TEAS scores will not be accepted.

Application & Admission Procedure

General Information

The application submission time frame for the Associate Degree Nursing Program is **January 18**th to March 31st.

Contact the Nursing Department (662-621-4210) for clarification or questions regarding Application. Application can be made in the last semester of completing pre-requisites.

Summer Requirements for fall 2023 admission to the Associate Degree Nursing Program:

If accepted to the Associate Degree Nursing Program, the following <u>must be completed</u> by end of spring 2023 before enrollment is allowed:

- 1. Successful completion of all pre-requisite course requirements for admission.
- Failure to submit required documents (such as physical and immunization records including COVID vaccine and COVID booster) by May 8, 2023, application is incomplete and you cannot attend class.

Note: Immunization Records must include the following: MMR series- 2, HepB Series-3, Varicella-2, Adult TD, 2 step TB skin test, and annual TB skin test, COVID vaccine-2, and COVID booster.

Must take the Flu shot by September 19, 2023

- 3. Successful completion of the *Health Sciences Summer Enrichment Camp* **May 16-18, 2023 (Mandatory),** 9:00am to 3:00pm at the CCC Robert G. Mason Health Sciences Building.
- 4. Successful completion of additional program-specific requirements.
- 5. If applicant has been unsuccessful in another RN program, you must submit a letter of good standing from previous program.

Application to Coahoma Community College:

An application to Coahoma Community College **must be completed online** Click on the following hyperlink to access the CCC Application for Admission.

The four requirements for general admission are a completed CCC application, Official High school transcript, ACT, and social security card.

Pre-Admission for Associate Degree Nursing:

- 1. All requirements for general admission to the college must be met.
- 2. Must complete general admission to the college online.
- 3. General Education courses are to be completed by the end of the spring semester or prior to beginning the program.

General Education Courses

Semester Hours Credit

ENG 1113 English Composition I	3
BIO 2513 Anat & Physiology I Lect	3
BIO 2511 Anat & Physiology I Lab	1
BIO 2523 Anat & Physiology II Lect	3
BIO 2521 Anat & Physiology II Lab	1
EPY 2533 Human Growth & Development	3
BIO 2923 Microbiology Lecture	3
BIO 2921 Microbiology Laboratory	1
BIO 1613 Nutrition	3
MAT 1233 Intermediate Algebra or Mat 1313 College Algebra	3
PSY 1513 General Psychology	3
ART 1113 Art Appreciation or MUS 1113 Music Appreciation	3
LLS 1311 General Orientation	<u>1</u>
Total Hours	31

- 4. An ACT composite score of 18 or greater and/or per IHL requirements. (ACT score less than 18 can take the ACT exam in April, if not too late.
- 5. A cumulative GPA of 2.50 is required on nursing pre-requisites.
- 6. A minimum grade of "C" is required in all courses.
- 7. Anatomy and Physiology I & II, Microbiology & Microbiology Lab must have been taken within the last **7 years**.
- 8. Admission to the Associate Degree Nursing Program (ADN) is competitive according to weighted criteria. **Meeting pre-acceptance requirements does not guarantee admission.**

Application Process:

The following documents must be submitted to the Associate Degree Nursing Program by March 31st for an applicant to be considered for admission:

- 1. Completed CCC Associate Degree Nursing application (Incomplete application will not be considered for admission).
- 2. Official copy of transcripts from each college or university attended. Request two (2) official copies of transcripts from each college/university attended; one for the College and one for the ADN Program, to be sent to student directly and then submitted with the application. To be official, transcripts must remain sealed in

the original envelope. Failure to submit transcripts of all colleges or universities attended will be considered as an incomplete and/or falsified application.

- 3. **CCC transcripts**-submit a written transcript request form to CCC's Admission Office for an official CCC transcript to be sent to the Associate Degree Nursing Program.
- 4. **Official ACT** (American College Test) scores
- 5. **TEAS** scores-a student copy or copy printed from the internet is **NOT acceptable. Remotely testing of TEAS scores will not be accepted.**
- 6. Official high school transcript
- 7. Signed nursing program performance standards
- 8. Signed criminal background check information form
- 9. Signed drug policy understanding
- 10. Current LPN license without restrictions to practice in Mississippi
- 11. Must have at least 6 to 9 months of continuous nursing practice documented by employer.

<u>LPN Students</u> **Requesting Readmission** to the ADN Program)-in addition to the above must submit a letter which includes the following:

- request for readmission
- semester requested
- reason(s) program was not completed
- completion of Action Plan for Success form

All application information must be received by the Associate Degree Nursing Program no later than **March 31**st to be considered. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Submit COMPLETED application packet to the Robert G. Mason Health Sciences Building, 901 Ohio Street, Clarksdale, MS, 38614 by mail or in person.

Notification of Acceptance/Non-acceptance

Letters of acceptance or non-acceptance will be mailed. The recipient should respond within one week in **writing** using the "Confirmation of Acceptance" form included with the letter. Not confirming acceptance within a week can result in the admission slot being given to another applicant.

• Students accepted into the Associate Degree Nursing Program are required to register for NUR 2013 for the 1st summer term.

Post Acceptance Requirements:

Once accepted into the associate degree nursing program, students will receive additional information on the following that will be due no later than May 8th at the student's expense:

- 1. Physical examination form is included in the admission packet must be completed which includes if a student requires accommodations for any disabilities.
- 2. Documentation of all vaccines and immunizations previously listed. Applicants files are incomplete without required clinical documentation and will not be considered for admission to the program.

- 3. CPR certification for healthcare provider current for 2 years. This must be maintained until graduation.
- 4. Criminal background check clinical clearance letter IHL requirement (To be announced)

Students will not be able to start classes if the above requirements are not met by May 8, 2023.

Other Important Information:

- 1. Student malpractice and accident insurance are obtained through the school and charged to the student after the fall semester begins.
- 2. Student is responsible for cost of Criminal Background check and drug screen which will be administered by the college.
- 3. Each student is responsible for their own transportation which includes access to a dependable car at their own expense, a valid driver's license, and proof of insurance as requested by law.
- 4. Travel to clinical facilities in adjacent counties for required clinical experiences is the responsibility of the student.
- 5. Clinical hours may be scheduled on day, evening or weekend shifts with varying hours that may vary from 4 to 12 depending on the clinical requirements.
- 6. Students must have access to the internet, a computer, e-mail and a working telephone number.

COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM APPLICATION

Coahoma Community College complies with all applicable laws regarding affirmative action and equal opportunity in all its activities and programs and does not discriminate against anyone protected by law because of age, color, disability, national origin, race, religion, sex, handicap, or status as a veteran or disabled veteran.

Date of Birth	Social Sec	curity Number_		
Student's				
Name				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		(Maiden)
Address				
(Street)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(County)
Mailing				
Address				
Telephone Number(s)				
(Home)	(Work)			(Cell)
E-mail Address				
	No			
Have you ever been admitted When				
If yes, under what name?				
Admitted to any other RN p				
Where	•			
Reason for				
noncompletion				
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CREDENTIAL INFORM	ATION			
1. State and licensure number	er where registered			
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2. Status of LPN licensure: a	active inactive	_ other If ot	her, please e	explain.
3. Place of employment (Pre	esent or most recent)			
4. I understand that if I am a successfully complete the				
Signature				

PRIOR EDUCATION:

_	School graduation date	High Sc	chool GPA
Collec	ge DegreesI	ast college attended	
	ou currently enrolled in college		
	score (composite)		
Course	es presently enrolled in		
_	you receive a loan or scholarship s, describe	to assist with your edu	ucation? YES NO
	ou plan to work while you are in cyPl		
	ional information based on the	e current MS Board (of Nursing RN licensure
1.	Have you ever been convicted are charges pending against your traffic violation, in any state of YES NO If yes, please explain	ou for a felony or misder jurisdiction?	emeanor, other than a minor
2.	Have you ever been arrested o and/or alcohol? YES NO If yes, please explain		
3.	Have you ever been denied lic pending against you by a board certification organization in an Yes NO If yes, please explain	d of nursing or any oth ny state or jurisdiction?	
4.	Have you ever been placed on Yes NO If yes, please explain		
5.	Have you within the last five y dependency to alcohol or illeg Yes NO If yes, please explain	al chemical substances	?

6.	Ye If y	ve you ever been disciplined by or administratively discharged by the military? s NO ves, please blain
7.	felo sex lare bat	ve you ever been convicted of a felony, or plead guilty to, or plead no contest to a ony of possession or sale of drugs, murder, manslaughter, armed robbery, rape, tual battery, sex offense listed in Section 45-33-23 (f), child abuse, arson, grand ceny, burglary, gratification of lust or aggravated assault, or felonious abuse and/or tery of a vulnerable adult? YES NO
All ap	plic	ants should be advised of the following:
	1.	Any statement made on this application which is false and known to be false by the applicant at the time of making such statement, shall be deemed fraudulent and subject the applicant to disciplinary proceedings.
	2.	According to the State of Mississippi Law and Rules and Regulations regulating the Practice of Nursing in Mississippi, an individual's application to take the licensing exam may be denied (See Mississippi Nursing Practice Law 73-15-29 at https://www.msbn.ms.gov/nursing-practice-act
	3.	Admission to the Associate Degree Nursing Program may be denied based on the results of the criminal background check.
I certif	fy th	at the information on this application is true and accurate.
Applic	cant'	s Signature Date

COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM

Mailing Address and Physical Location:

901 Ohio Street Clarksdale, Mississippi 38614 Telephone:

(662)621-4210 Fax (662)624-2231

Website Address: www.coahomacc.edu

Type of Program:

• LPN to RN Associate Degree Nursing Program

Length of Time

• LPN to RN – 3 semesters (after completion of pre-requisites).

Credits required for graduation:

• 72 hours

Degree awarded:

• Associate in Applied Science (AAS)

Estimated Costs/Fees:

See attached estimated costs sheet in package.

COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING

DRUG ABUSE POLICY

It is the goal of Coahoma Community College to maintain an environment that is free from the effects of intoxicants or other behavior affecting substances. It is the college's belief that a drug free environment is to the benefit of students and employees of Coahoma Community College as well as the surrounding community.

drug screens may be done. In addition, if a student exhibits any sensory symptoms or behavior indicative of being under the influence of mind-altering substances, a drug screen

Once admitted to the associate degree nursing program, unannounced and/or random

Date

Return this completed form with your application information.

Student Signature

COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM

Performance Standards for Admission and Progression

The following performance standards provide descriptions of basic cognitive, sensory, affective, and psychomotor requirements for successful associate degree nursing program completion. Applicants and students who cannot meet one or more of the standards will be considered on an individual basis in terms of whether reasonable modification/accommodation can be made. Reasonable accommodations will be examined in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) as well as the Performance Standards for Admission and Progression.

In order to successfully complete the associate degree nursing program, an applicant/student must be able to do the following:

1. Demonstrate critical thinking sufficient for clinical judgment.

Examples

- prioritize information and identify cause-effect relationships in the clinical setting
- analyze assessment findings and use findings to plan and implement care
- evaluate plan of care and make revisions as appropriate
- make decisions using logic, creativity and reasoning to make sound clinical judgments based on standards of nursing care
- demonstrate arithmetic ability to correctly compute dosages, tell time, and use measuring tools

2. Display interpersonal skills sufficient to interact with individuals, families, and groups in a variety of settings in the community.

Examples

- respect differences among clients and exhibit an attitude accepting of clients as individuals
- establish rapport in order to communicate effectively with clients, families, significant others, and health team members
- work effectively in small groups as a team member and a team leader
- recognize crises and institute appropriate interventions to help resolve adverse situations

3. Demonstrate appropriate verbal and written communication skills.

Examples

- speak English coherently to clients, families, and other staff members
- clearly explain treatment procedures and initiate health teaching for clients, families, or groups based on assessed needs, available resources, age, lifestyle, and cultural considerations
- provide clear, understandable written client documentation based upon proper use of the English language

• convey critical information to other caregivers through graphic, print, and/or electronic media in an accurate, timely, and comprehensible manner

4. Exhibit physical ability sufficient to assist clients to meet health care needs in a variety of settings, including moving from room-to-room, to maneuver in small spaces, and to negotiate stairwells when necessary.

Examples

- physical mobility and strength sufficient to propel wheelchairs, stretchers, etc. through doorways and close fitting areas alone or with assistance
- stand, walk up to 75% of 6 to 12 hour shifts
- stoop, bend, squat, reach overhead as required to reach equipment and provide nursing care
- lift a minimum of 20 pounds of weight
- transfer/position up to 300 pounds with assistance while lifting, positioning, and transferring clients
- provide for activities of daily living (bed bath, oral hygiene, dressing, etc.)
- perform CPR satisfactorily and respond quickly in an emergency situation

5. Demonstrate gross and fine motor abilities sufficient to provide safe and effective nursing care.

Examples

- demonstrate physical dexterity and coordination in delivery of care, treatment, and medications
- hold skin taut with one hand while inserting needle in skin or vein with other hand and perform other procedures requiring the use of 2 hands
- pick up, grasp, and effectively manipulate small objects such as dials, syringes, switches
- calibrate and use equipment
- maintain sterile technique when performing sterile procedures

6. Display auditory, visual, and tactile ability sufficient to safely assess and care for clients.

Examples

- hear monitors, alarms, emergency signals, lung/heart sounds, bowel sounds, and cries for help, telephone, intercom interactions, and public address systems (codes)
- perceive and receive verbal communications from clients, families, and health team members
- read written words and information on paper and computer screens, small print, gauges, measuring cups, syringes, and other equipment
- discriminate colors; changes in color, size and continuity of body parts
- discriminate alterations in normal body activities such as breathing patterns and level of consciousness
- observe hazards in environment (water spills, safety rails, restraints) and harmful situations
- perform physical assessment: palpate pulses, feel for heat or cold, tap body surfaces

PLEASE CHECK:	
I do not require special accommodations t	to meet the performance standards.
I will need the following accommodations	s to meet performance standards.
Please list	
I understand the requirements and feel that I can a described for the Associate Degree Nursing Progr	1
Signature	Date

*Return this completed form with your application information.

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION SIGNATURE FORM

All students who will be providing direct patient care in health care institutions regulated by the MS Department of Health should be aware that Mississippi law requires background checks for individuals seeking employment in a health care facility.

According to the Mississippi State Law, an individual may not be eligible for employment if the criminal history record check discloses a felony conviction, guilty plea or plea of nolo contendere to a felony of possession or sale of drugs, murder, manslaughter, armed robbery, rape, sexual battery, sex offense listed in Section 45-33-23 (f), child abuse, arson, grand larceny, burglary, gratification of lust or aggravated assault, or felonious abuse and/or battery of a vulnerable adult that has not been reversed on appeal or for which a pardon has not been granted.

Each student must submit a criminal background clinical clearance letter by May 18th. If a student does not receive a letter of clinical clearance following fingerprinting, the CCC

Health Science Review Committee will determine clinical clearance according to the Student Background Policy as stated in the CCC Student Handbook for Health Science Programs http://www.coahomacc.edu/programs/health-sciences/HS-Student-Handbook

nust be provided to the Associate Degree Nursing Program Nursing Transition.
have read and understand the above information the Law requiring background checks for individuals providing are institutions regulated by the MS Department of Health.

*Return this completed form with your application information.

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Information Sheet for the TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills)

What is the TEAS? The TEAS is a computerized pre-entrance test required for all applicants to the Coahoma Community College (CCC) Associate Degree Nursing Program (ADN) and Practical Nursing Program (PN). The TEAS is used to evaluate applicants for admission to both nursing programs. The TEAS is only one of several criteria used in the selection process. The TEAS evaluates four different academic areas-Reading, Math, Science, and English.

How do I prepare for the TEAS? The TEAS Study Guide is available for sale in the CCC Bookstore or online at www.atitesting.com.

It is highly recommended that applicants take time to prepare for the TEAS. Applicants are scored and ranked according to their TEAS sub-scores, as well as ACT score and GPA on prerequisites-the higher the scores, the better the chance of acceptance into the program.

How do I register to take the TEAS? Complete and submit the TEAS Registration Form along with a \$65.00 money order with your application. (See TEAS Registration Form)

Where do I take the TEAS? The TEAS is given on computer at the CCC Gathwright Workforce Center at 510 Sunbelt Drive, Clarksdale, MS (located on Highway 49 South), phone number (662) 627-9139. Parking is available in the front of the building.

- All applicants must pay according to the above instructions and create an account online prior to the day of testing
 - o Go to www.atitesting.com
 - o At the top left of the screen go to Sign In and click the tab Create an Account
 - o Fill in the information
 - Create a user name and password (write it down so you will remember it on the day of the test as well as for future use once in the program)
 - o After filling in the information click Register
- Bring a picture ID on the day of the test. Applicants will not be allowed to test without it.
- Calculators are not allowed.

What do I need to make on the TEAS to pass? Applicants are ranked according to performance on the TEAS as well as ACT and GPA. A TEAS specific passing score has not been set. The higher the TEAS sub-scores, the better the chances of acceptance are as long as ACT and GPA meet the admission criteria.

How often can I take the TEAS? Applicants may take the TEAS no more than once a year.

Where do I submit the TEAS Registration Form? See Registration form

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TEAS Registration Form

ame
Tailing Address
mail address
hone number
pace is limited so please choose your date for testing. You will receive confirmation by mail. You will not be scheduled for TEAS testing until application is complete. Pates for the TEAS: 9:00 a.m. Note: Cancellation – 48 hour notice required)
emotely testing of TEAS scores will not be accepted.
Wednesday, February 15, 2023 Wednesday, February 22, 2023 Friday, February 24, 2023 Wednesday, March 1, 2023 *Wednesday, March 8, 2023 *Wednesday, March 22, 2023 *Friday, March 24, 2023 *Wednesday, March 29, 2023
Only eight slots available
Enclosed is my money order for \$65.00 made payable to Coahoma Community ollege (required-no personal checks).
Il applicants must have taken the TEAS and submitted their completed application by [arch 31] to be considered for admission to the Associate Degree Nursing Program.
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<u>Associate Degree Applicants</u>-Submit the TEAS Registration form to:

Attention: Bobbie Robertson

Robert G. Mason Health Sciences Building

901 Ohio Street

Clarksdale, MS 38614

(662) 621-4210

Check List for Completion of Application to the Associate Degree Nursing Program
1. Completion of general admission application to CCC online (go to website).
Submit the following to the Associate Degree Nursing Program, 901 Ohio Street, Clarksdale, MS, 38614, (662) 621-4210, by mail or in person.
 2. Completed CCC Associate Degree Nursing application packet. 3. Official copy of transcript(s) from each college/university attended. 4. Official ACT (American College Test) scores 5. Registration for TEAS with \$65.00 money order (Optional-purchase TEAS Study Manual from Bookstore or online at www.atitesting.com to prepare for TEAS) 5. Official high school transcript or GED 6. Signed nursing program performance standards 7. Signed criminal background check information form 8. Signed drug policy understanding 9. Current LPN license without restrictions to practice in Mississippi 10. Employer verification of employment of at 6 to 9 months of continuous nursing practice.
LPN Students Requesting Readmission to the ADN Program-letter which includes the following: 11.Request for readmission12. Semester requested13. Reason(s) program was not completed14. Complete of Action Plan for Success form

All application information must be received by the Associate Degree Nursing Program no later than **March 31** to be considered. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Submit COMPLETE application packet to the attention of Ms. Bobbie Robertson, Coahoma Community College, Associate Degree Nursing Program, 901 Ohio Street, Clarksdale, MS 38614 by mail or in person.

Coahoma Community College Associate Nursing Degree Program Action Plan for Success

(Must be completed only by students applying for readmission to program)

Name		Date					
1. 2. 3.	Year and Course unsuccessful in program						
4.	_	Check other contributing factors you think played a role of unsuccessful performance in the program: (Check all that apply)					
	Academic Factors [] Reading comprehension [] Science background [] Instructor/Student conflict [] Math skills	[] Verbal skills	[] Computer skills				
	Personal Factors [] Personal illness/crisis [] Other List						
	<u>Family Factors</u> [] Family illness/crisis [] Other List						
	Work Factors [] Worked too many hours [] Work and school schedule of [] Other List	conflict					
	Financial Factors [] No financial support [] Other List	[] Limited financial sup	pport				
5.	[] Library Electronic Database	Student Navigator Textbooks Resources					

6.		List other resources you think would have assisted your success in the program.
7.		After identifying your challenges for success in the program, did you seek assistance? Yes No If yes, who and when did you seek assistance?
	8.	If your performance was due to factors listed in #3 or #4, how will you manage those situations or similar issues if they arise in the future?
	9.	What steps have you taken to improve factors that led to your inability to progress in the program?
	10.	List three or more actions you have taken to ensure success in the program if readmitted:
Sigı	ıatı	ure Date

(Adopted from IHL Exit Interview, Dec. 2015) (L. Willingham, Jan. 2019)

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Rating Scale for Admission

Name of Applicant:		
following criteria.	rated competitively for admission acco	rding to the
- ACT Score-maximum of 3	points	Points for ACT
3 Points for 22 or above		
2 points for 20 or 21		
1 point for 18 or 19		
- GPA on AD General Education	on courses – maximum 3 points for	Points
3 points for GPA of 3.5 or gre	eater	
2 points for GPA of 3.0 or 3.	49	
1 point for GPA of 2.5 to 2.9		
Grade/Course	College/Date Taken	In Progress
- ENG Comp I		Calculate Credits Earned: A (4) x 3 hours = 12
- PSY General Psychology		$B(3) \times 3 \text{ hours} = 9$
- EPY Human Growth & Dev.		$C(2) \times 3 \text{ hours} = 6$
- BIO Nutrition		Calculate A.D.N. GPA:
- ART or MUSIC		Total credits earned Total credit hours earned
- College Algebra or Int. Algebra		Total credit flours earlied
- BIO A&P I Lecture		
- BIO A&P I Lab		
- BIO A&P II Lecture		
- BIO A&P II Lab		
- BIO Micro Lecture		
- BIO Micro Lab		
-LLS General Orientation		
TEAS - Pts based on Program		Points
Mean		
-Reading sub score	1 point for Reading 71.2 or greater -	
- Math sub score	1 point for Math 69.8 or greater-	
- Science sub score	1 point for Science 54.3 or greater-	
- English sub score	1 point for English 64.3 or greater-	
Student unsuccessful in any RN		
program will be deducted one point		
from total score.		

Recommended for program: Yes

No

FINAL SCORE

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	COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM					
	ESTIMATED COST - LPN to RN Track- \$9136.40					
Summer	Cost	Fall	Cost	Spring	Cost	Grand Total
Tuition-	510	Tuition-	2040	Tuition-	2040	
ATI CARP	361	Publication Fee -	60	Transcript Fee -	10	
Books-	600	Technology Fee -	50	Technology Fee -	50	
Registration Fee	25	Science Major Fee -	25	Science Major Fee -	25	
Uniforms/Equip	300	ATI CARP	361	ATI Virtual	500	
		MOSA Dues -	20	Books -	100	
		Electronic Health Record	65	TB Certification -	50	
				Board Hearing/Nursing		
		Books -	343	Summit -	100	
		Accident Insurance	54	M-OADN Convention -	75	
		Liability Insurance	15	Graduation Fee -	65	
		Exam Soft	103.70	Pinning Fee -	100	
				NCLEX Review	350	
				Pharm Review -	150	
				MBON-license and bgC -	185	
				NCLEX Fee -	200	
				Exam Soft	103.70	
				Online Course	100	
	\$1,796		3136.70		\$4,203.70	\$9,136.40

Coahoma Community College Health Science Division

Health Science Division Physical Examination (Page 1 of 3)

Sex	AgeWeigl	ht	B/P	Pulse
Respi	ration			
No.	System	Normal	Abnormal	Describe Abnormality
1.	Skin			
2.	Lymphatic			
3.	Eyes/Ears			
4.	Nose /throat			
5.	Chest/ Breast/ Lungs			
6.	Heart rate/Rhythm			
7.	Abdomen/ Liver			
8.	Kidneys/ Spleen			
9.	Extremities			
10	Back/ Spine			
11	Joints			
12	Neurological			
13	Psychological			
regna	of emotional, psychological ntYes No; l	EDC History		

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Program Physical Performance Standards (page 2 of 3)

In order to successfully complete the allied health program, an applicant/student must be able to do the following:

- 1. Exhibit physical ability sufficient to assist clients to meet health care needs in a variety of settings, including moving from room-to-room, to maneuver in small spaces, and to negotiate stairwells when necessary. *Examples*
 - physical mobility and strength sufficient to propel wheelchairs, stretchers, etc. through doorways and close fitting areas alone or with assistance
 - stand, walk up to 75% of 6 to 12 hour shifts
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 - discriminate colors: changes in color, size and continuity of body parts
 - discriminate alterations in normal body activities such as breathing patterns and level of consciousness

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- observe hazards in environment (water spills, safety rails, restraints) and harmful situations
- perform physical assessment: palpate pulses, feel for heat or cold, tap body surfaces

PLEASE CHECK:
The applicant does not require special accommodations to meet the performance standards.
The applicant will need the following accommodations to meet performance standards.
Please list and describe the assistance needed:
Signature of Physician, Nurse Practitioner, or Physician Assistant Date