



Nursing (NUR) Entrance Requirement Checklist

Academic Readiness

Successful applicants will demonstrate academic readiness for the NUR program through academic coursework and the TEAS Exam **OR** through Multiple Measures as defined below.

Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS)	Multiple Measures
<p>Minimum TEAS Composite Scores of 70</p> <p>Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher (high school and college)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>A Grade of B or Better in these Prerequisite Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• BIO 213 – Anatomy & Physiology I• ENG 101 – College Composition• MAT 111 – Quantitative Reasoning <p>The TEAS may be taken a total of three (3) times—original test plus two (2) re-takes.</p> <p>Each re-take includes all subtest scores and attempts must be taken 45-days apart</p>	<p>Completion of the Health Science Certificate with a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher</p> <p>AND</p> <p>A Grade of B or Better in these Prerequisite Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• BIO 213 – Anatomy & Physiology I• ENG 101 – College Composition• MAT 111 – Quantitative Reasoning
<p>Academic Standing – Students must maintain a GPA of 3.0 from acceptance until entering the Nursing Program.</p>	
<p>LPN Upgrade Applicants – Must provide a copy of their LPN license, college transcripts, documentation of one year of clinical work as an LPN within two years of application and participate in an interview with the Nursing Department Chair.</p>	

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CLINICAL SITE IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS	
<p>Applicants are required to purchase an account with Complio for immunization approval and will not be reviewed for admission into the program until their Complio account is <u>fully Compliant</u>.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">www.kvcccompliance.com</p>	
Immunization and CPR Requirements	Important Information
CPR Certification—Basic Life Support (BLS) American Heart Association (AHA)	In-person or hybrid class are acceptable.
Proof of Immunization against TDAP	Within the last 10 years
Proof of Immunization against Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR)	If non-immune, 2 doses MMR vaccine is required for persons born after 1957
Proof of Immunization against Hepatitis Series B with Titer to test for antibodies required	6+ month process. If non-immune, a waiver is required.
Proof of Immunization against Chickenpox or a Varicella Titer	If titer is non-immune, 2 doses of Varicella virus vaccine is required.
*Influenza Vaccine (is not required for admission to program)	Vaccine will be required for clinical experiences

Post Acceptance

<p>Nursing Accepted Student Event Accepted students are required to attend (either in person or virtually) an accepted student event scheduled in June. You will be notified of the date by the Department Chair</p>
<p>Technology Requirements All students are required to have their own laptop computers or similar device with the capability to access Brightspace or similar online learning resources. Students must also have access to high-speed internet service.</p>

For information regarding the admission, general information about the program or campus tour, contact:

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Notice to Applicant

Criminal Background Checks

Applicants to certain programs need to note that a criminal background check will likely be required while enrolled in the program or as a condition of employment in the field. Certain internship and/or practicum sites, such as health care facilities, may limit or deny clinical privileges to those students who have a prior or current criminal record.

- Should a clinical facility refuse to permit a student to complete a clinical rotation based upon the student's criminal background check, the student may not be able to complete the program. In the event a student is denied placement at a clinical site the college will likely be required to enter an academic dismissal from the program.
- Additionally, certain licensing and credentialing boards may refuse to issue a license to practice based upon prior or current criminal offense (s). To learn more about whether the program or profession in which you are interested has such requirements or limitations, contact the appropriate Department Chair.

Infectious Diseases

Applicants who consider a career in Nursing or the Allied Health professions should be aware that during their education and subsequent employment, they will be working in situations where exposure to infectious diseases is probable. This is an occupational risk for all health care workers. Persons should not become health care workers unless they recognize and accept this risk. Proper education and strict adherence to well-established infection control guidelines, however, can reduce the risk to a minimum. Thorough education in infection control procedures is an integral part of each health care program.

Exposure to Latex

Additionally, applicants should be aware that exposure to natural rubber latex (NRL) is likely. Individuals exposed to NRL products may develop allergic reactions such as skin rashes; hives; nasal, eyes, or sinus symptoms; and, rarely, shock.

Costs

Costs associated with required immunizations, criminal background checks, finger printing (when applicable) and admission testing are the responsibility of the applicant.

Clinical/Fieldwork Placement

Students may be scheduled for day, evening and night clinical/fieldwork experiences in some programs. It is expected that the student is able to make the necessary arrangements in order to complete all scheduled times. Placement is State-wide. The student is responsible for all travel and/or living related to the clinical or fieldwork experience.

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For more information, contact the Dean of Students at (207) 453-5019.

The admission requirements are set from September 2025 through August 2026. KVCC reserves the right to change these at the beginning of a new academic year.

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