Pre-Nursing Worksheet for Students Entering <u>Fall 2021</u>

I. Admission Requirements:

A. High School graduate or high school equivalency (GED/HiSET/TASC) – transcript **MUST** be on file **(foreign transcripts must be evaluated by ECE or WES and contain the statement "has the equivalent of a US high school diploma")**.

B. All applicants **MUST** take the Kaplan Test Prep: **Applicants must test only on designated Kaplan Test Prep Exam dates** (see Nursing Application for a list of exam dates). Applicants are allowed one test attempt per application cycle. Score will be valid for 2 years from date of administration. Must achieve a minimum composite score of 50% per section. Exam consists of Reading, Math, Writing, and Science.

C. Complete 10 semester hours of college credit: BIO 203 (4), PSY 101 (3), ENG 101 (3).

D. All applicants **MUST** attend a Nursing Information Session during the current application cycle.
Prior year attendance DOES NOT count (see Nursing Application for a list of dates).

II. Special Notes:

A. **Current CPR certification must be completed prior to the start of the Nursing program through the <u>AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION CPR course</u>.** The card **<u>must</u>** read **"<u>BASIC LIFE SUPPORT PROVIDER</u>" and will be valid for a 2-year period. Red Cross certification is <u>NOT</u> acceptable**. CPR certification is a program requirement, not an admissions requirement.

B. Since nursing applications are reviewed in June, all admission requirements must be completed by the end of the spring 2021 semester. **MEETING THESE MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS <u>DOES NOT</u> GUARANTEE ADMISSION TO THE NURSING PROGRAM.** The number of students that can be accommodated in this program is limited.

III. General Education Requirements:

Applicants who complete all of these courses increase their chance for admission.

PREREQUISITES				
Course	**Term**	**Grade**	**Sem. Hrs.**	**Description**
BIO 203			4	Human Anatomy and Physiology I **(pre-requisite or co-requisite CHM 100 or BIO 102)**
ENG 101			3	Rhetoric I
PSY 101			3	Intro. to Psychology
OTHER GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS				
BIO 204			4	Human Anatomy and Physiology II **(Must be completed by the end of the first semester of the Nursing Program)**
PSY 215			3	Life Span: A Survey of Human Development **(Must be completed by the end of the second semester of the Nursing Program)**
ENG 102			3	Rhetoric II **(Must be completed by the end of the third semester of the Nursing Program)**
BIO 212			4	Microbiology **(Must be completed by the end of the third semester the of Nursing Program)**
HUM: _____			3	Any Art, Language, **HIS** 103 **or** 104, Humanities, Literature, Music, Philosophy, or Theater Arts course **(Must be completed by the end the of fourth semester of the Nursing Program)**

Nursing Pre-Req./Gen. Ed. Checklist – Fall 2021

APPLICATION ONLY AVAILABLE AFTER ATTENDING A MANDATORY INFO SESSION

Application Submission Period: 10/5/2020 through 3/5/2021
Proof of In-District Employment Deadline: 3/5/2021
High School and College Transcript Deadline: 5/24/2021

ALL PROGRAM GENERAL EDUCATION COURSEWORK, INCLUDING PREREQUISITES*, AND NURSING COURSEWORK MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A GRADE OF "C" OR BETTER. <u>HOWEVER, PLEASE NOTE THAT THE NURSING GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A MINIMUM GPA OF 2.5 FOR ADMISSION CONSIDERATION.</u> ADDITIONALLY, THE MORTON COLLEGE CUMULATIVE GPA MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 2.0. IF THERE IS NO MORTON COLLEGE GPA, GPA WILL BE CALCULATED USING TRANSFER TRANSCRIPTS.

Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher for required general education courses: _____

Kaplan Test Prep Exam – minimum composite score of 50%: _____

Course	Grade		Multiplier	Points		A = 4	B = 3	C = 2
*BIO 203	_____	x	8	_____				
*ENG 101	_____	x	3	_____				
*PSY 101	_____	x	3	_____				
BIO 204	_____	x	8	_____				
BIO 212	_____	x	8	_____				
ENG 102	_____	x	3	_____				
HUM ____ (3)		NO POINTS AWARDED						
PSY 215	_____	x	3	_____				

PLEASE NOTE:
Attendance at a Nursing Information Session is *MANDATORY*!!
See Academic Advising to schedule a session.

TOTAL _____ *(144 maximum points for courses)*

*PREREQUISITE COURSES: These courses must be completed by the end of spring 2021 for admission consideration and ranking point calculation

Nursing program admission is based on a point ranking system, with the highest ranked applicants admitted to the program. For each of the above completed courses, multiply the grade points earned by the multiplier listed for each course. For example, an A in BIO 203 earns 32 points (4 x 8). The final ranking is the number of points earned through the spring 2021 semester from all of the completed courses listed.

*BONUS OCCUPATIONAL POINTS:
- LPN – 20 points
- EMT – 15 points
- Medical Assistant – 10 points
- CNA – 5 points

FINAL SCORE: *Total course points _____ + Bonus Occupational Points _____ = _____*
(464 maximum rank points)

- Students are allowed only <u>ONE READMISSION</u> to the Nursing Program after first admission.
- A physical examination is required. Updated immunization(s) may also be required.
- Medical insurance is required prior to starting the Nursing Program.
- Kaplan Test Prep exam results will be valid for 2 years from the date of administration. Applicants are allowed one test attempt per application cycle. Applicants are responsible for the Kaplan Test Prep exam fee.
- A criminal background check (requiring a Social Security Number) will be conducted upon admission to the Nursing Program.