

2022-2023 Nursing LPN to RN Advanced Placement Admission Packet

Deadline — January 18, 2022
Application available November 1



All students **must** complete a KCC General Application and have met **all** admissions requirements prior to applying to the Advanced Placement Nursing program.

To apply for the Advanced Placement Nursing program, please go to kellogg.edu/nursing-admissions



Admissions

450 North Avenue
Battle Creek, MI 49017-3397
269 965 4153
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Welcome to Kellogg Community College's Nursing LPN to RN Advanced Placement Program!

Registered Nurses (RNs) are health professionals who serve individuals, families and communities with actual or potential health care needs. They are leaders, communicators, advocates, educators and care providers in the management of actual and/or potential health problems.

KCC's Nursing Advanced Placement program option is available for current LPNs who are seeking to complete Level II coursework, earn an Associate in Applied Science degree in Nursing, and be eligible for the RN-NCLEX.

The Advanced Placement program is offered in full-time and part-time options.

Once in the program, the full-time option takes three semesters to complete. The part-time option takes five continuous semesters to complete. Both full-time and part-time options will include NURS 136 (The Transition) in the first semester. Class and clinicals can occur during day and evening hours for both the full-time and part-time programs, depending upon the schedule.

Important to Note

- Future employers may require proof of high school or GED completion as an employment requirement.
- Students accepted into the Nursing program are required to undergo a physical examination, immunizations, a drug screen and a criminal background check. Individuals may obtain a preliminary determination from the State of Michigan's Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) concerning whether any court judgments against him or her would likely result in a denial of a license. The form to request this preliminary determination can be found by going to: www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/PHC_Predetermination_form_651538_7.pdf

Who do I contact....

Do I meet the requirements to apply?
Did my courses transfer in from another college?



contact: **Academic Advising**
269-965-4124
advising@kellogg.edu

What is the deadline to apply?
How do I fill out a Nursing application?



contact: **Admissions Office**
269-965-4153
seladm@kellogg.edu

What is it like to be in the program?
How many days a week is the program?



contact: **Nursing Department**
269-565-2007
nursing@kellogg.edu

Do I qualify for any accommodations?



contact: **Center for Student Success**
269-965-4150
css@kellogg.edu

Advising Notes

- Meet early and often with an Academic Advisor after submitting KCC's General Application and college transcripts, but prior to submitting the Nursing Application to review course specific requirements and transfer equivalences.
- Transfer transcripts should be on file and evaluated by KCC's Registrar's office before meeting with an Academic Advisor to get the most out of your appointment. Please note that it can take a maximum of two weeks for in-state transcripts and four weeks for out-of-state transcripts to be evaluated.

Nursing LPN to RN Advanced Placement Admission Checklist 2022/2023

REQUIREMENTS FOR KCC STUDENTS

(For students who have **only** attended KCC)

- 18 years of age at the start of the Nursing program
- KCC grade point average of 2.0 or higher
- Current Michigan LPN licensure
- Biology course requirements**
Must be completed with a grade of B- (2.67) or higher
 - BIOL 201 Human Anatomy (or equivalent)
 - BIOL 202 Human Physiology (or equivalent)
- Math requirement (must meet one of the following requirements)**
 - **Math 101/102 or higher**
Must be completed with a grade of B- (2.67) or higher
 - **ACCUPLACER® Quantitative Reasoning score of 250 or higher**
 - **PSAT/SAT Mathematics score of 25 or higher**
 - **ALEKS Mathematics score of 46 or higher**
- General Education Admission requirements**
Must be completed with a grade of C or higher
 - **ENGL 151 or 152** Freshman Composition (or equivalent)
 - **PSYC 201** Introduction to Psychology (or equivalent)
 - **PSYC 220** Developmental Psychology (or equivalent)
- Submit Nursing Advanced Placement Application (final step)**
Application includes writing assignment (see pg 3)

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REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

(For students who have **previously or are currently** attending other colleges or universities)

- 18 years of age at the start of the Nursing program
- Submit ALL official accredited college or university transcripts to:**
 - Kellogg Community College
Registrar's Office
450 North Ave.
Battle Creek, MI 49017-3397
records@kellogg.edu
 - Official transcripts from all accredited colleges/universities must reflect up-to-date completed coursework.
 - Institutions attended will be compared to a national database and includes those attended while participating in dual enrollment or early college program.
- Grade point average of 2.0 or higher from each accredited college/university
- Current Michigan LPN licensure
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Nursing LPN to RN Advanced Placement Program Application Writing Assignment

The purpose of this writing assignment is two-fold. It requires time for self-reflection related to the rigors of the program and how you plan to be successful in the program. KCC will evaluate your ability to follow detailed instructions, which is important in nursing and the Nursing LPN to RN Advanced Placement program.

Please address each of the following questions thoroughly. Include your name at the top of the page. Use the following formatting: size 12 Times New Roman font, double-spaced and one inch margins.

1. Why do you wish to advance your nursing career from a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) to a Registered Nurse (RN)? *Answer in 50-75 words*
2. This is a very rigorous and time intensive program. The full-time program requires approximately 40-60 hours per week of class, clinical and study time. The part-time program requires approximately 20-30 hours per week of class, clinical, and study time.

What adjustments will you make to your schedule to ensure you have the time necessary to dedicate to this program and be successful? In your response, please indicate which program you are seeking, full-time or part-time. *Answer in 75-100 words*

3. Aside from time, what potential obstacles do you foresee that could prevent you from successfully completing this nursing program? Please address what your plan is to overcome those obstacles and what resources would be necessary. *Answer in 75-100 words*
4. Please provide an example of a time when you overcame a stressful situation. Include the challenge(s), and what skills you used to successfully overcome the situation. *Answer in 75-100 words.*

Additional Graduation Requirement Coursework (not required for admissions)

- SOCI 201** Introduction to Sociology (or equivalent)
- FYS 101** First Year Seminar (see Academic Advisor to determine if you will be required to complete this course)
- Plus minimum number of elective credits required** (see Academic Advisor for details)

Admission Request for Consideration

KCC's Admissions office recognizes that students may experience special circumstances beyond their control that may impact their academic success. Students may submit a Request for Consideration for extenuating circumstances that contributed to their inability to meet admission requirements. All decisions are made in the best interest of the student and aim to ensure the integrity of program requirements.

Students who believe they are eligible for this Request for Consideration can contact Admissions or Academic Advising to obtain this form.