



Jefferson College

PN Admissions Selection Process

APPLICANT'S TOTAL SCORE _____

The Jefferson College Bi-Level Nursing Program utilizes a point system in the Level I/PN admission selection process. Applicants will be ranked for selection based on overall score. The following criteria is assessed when ranking applicants ([GPA Calculator](#)):

HESI A2 OVERALL SCORE _____

381–400 = 5

371–380 = 4

361–370 = 3

351–360 = 2

335–350 = 1

Applicant must make a minimum of 85% (or higher) in three areas and a minimum of 80% (or higher) in the fourth area. The four tested areas must meet this criteria.

***GPA (2.8) _____**

4.0 + = 8

3.8–3.9 = 7

3.6–3.7 = 6

3.4–3.5 = 5

3.2–3.3 = 4

3.0–3.1 = 3

2.8–2.9 = 2

(^) 2.5–2.7 = 1 (see key below for more information)

GPA is calculated using nursing program prerequisite and corequisite courses only. The minimum GPA requirement of 2.8 (or higher) must be met.

#COURSE COMPLETION RATE _____

8 = 5

6–7 = 4

4–5 = 3

2–3 = 2

1 = 1

Course completion rate is the number of nursing prerequisite and corequisite courses the applicant has already successfully completed at the time of application.

@HEALTHCARE CERTIFICATION AND/OR LICENSURE _____

Bonus Point = 1

Key:

(^) If nursing pre/corequisite coursework is in progress, applicants may apply for *conditional approval of application* contingent upon required **2.8** (or higher) GPA by program start date.

Please note, if an applicant is retaking a course(s) to receive a higher grade and increase their GPA, the current grade(s) on their transcript will be calculated into their Application for Admission GPA at the time of application. It will be noted that the applicant is currently enrolled in the course(s). If the applicant's GPA is *lower than 2.5* at the time of application, the applicant is **not eligible** to apply.

Final course grade(s) will be calculated into the Application for Admission GPA; the applicant's final GPA must meet the minimum requirement of **2.8** (or higher). The higher of the course grades will be used.

- (*) GPA is calculated utilizing Level I and Level II pre-requisite and co-requisite courses (PSY 101, BIO 211, BIO 212, BIO 113, PSY 205, ENG 101, ENG 102 **or** COM 100, HST 103/HST104 **or** PSC 102). If ENG 102 **AND** COM 100 have been completed, the higher of the two grades will be utilized. If HST 103, HST 104 **AND** PSC 102 have been completed, the highest of the three grades will be utilized.
- (#) Applicants who have coursework in progress and have not yet completed required pre-requisite courses may apply for *conditional approval of application*. For those applicants, GPA will be calculated utilizing coursework done in preparation for nursing pre-requisites (BIO 101 or CHM 101). Successful completion of pre-requisite courses is required **BEFORE** the start of the program.
- (@) Applicants who have proof of certification and/or license in one of the following healthcare fields will be allowed 1 "bonus" point to be awarded to the pre-requisite and co-requisite point column: **CNA, CMT, MA completed at Jefferson College, PTA, OTA, LMT, EMT, Paramedic, and Rad Tech.**