

PLEASE READ ALL INFORMATION CAREFULLY

The Practical Nursing Program (LPN Program) at Bainbridge College welcomes applications from all qualified individuals who wish to pursue a Certificate in Practical Nursing. Admission to the LPN Program is a competitive process. Completion of the admission requirements only places you in the pool of eligible candidates and does not guarantee admission. Applicants with the strongest academic credentials will be selected. Selection takes place by midterm of the semester prior to the expected program starting semester.

There are several steps to the admission process. **FIRST**, please complete the admission application enclosed and return it to the Technical Studies Division with a postmark date of no later than the first day of the prior semester's first day of class. All required information must be included for the application to be considered.

Second, please contact the Testing and Career Development Center to register for a placement exam. The placement exam is required the first day of classes for the semester prior to the program starting semester to be considered for admission. You may contact the Testing and Career Development Center at (229) 248-2579 to schedule an appointment. You will be required to bring a picture I.D. and a check made out to Bainbridge College (or cash) for the appropriate testing fee.

Selection for admission to the Practical Nursing program is based upon the following criteria:

- submission of the LPN admission application.
- points awarded for admission placement scores on the TEAS exam
- academic grades, with emphasis on certain specific occupational core class grades, and

A letter will be sent to inform the applicant of acceptance into the program. Applicants who are not selected for admission may elect to re-submit an application for the following entry date and are considered with the next applicant pool.

The Faculty and Staff of the Practical Nursing Program are excited about your interest in our program, and wish you luck in the application process. If you have any questions regarding the application or program, please call 229-243-6490.

Best Wishes!

LPN Program Faculty and Staff
Technical Studies Division

Admission Standards for Licensed Practical Nursing Program

Minimum admission standards for the program include:

1. Complete the application process for admission to Bainbridge College, including all transfer classes to be accessed.
2. Have completed successfully all developmental classes required. All core classes must be completed by midterm the semester prior to expected LPN Program acceptance.
3. Have earned a minimum grade point average of 2.5 in required core classes, including a B grade in AHEA 1130 Anatomy and Physiology or C in BIO 2111 Anatomy and Physiology, and B in TECH 1120 Technical Math.
4. Human Anatomy and Physiology taken prior to program entry within two (2) years.
5. Completion of the entrance examination with scores used as part of the competitive admissions process.

All medical information required by the clinical facility (Physical Exam, Immunizations, Drug Screens, and TB Test/Chest X-Ray etc.) should not be completed until entry into the second semester of the program, and are paid for by the applicant or student.

Bainbridge College
LPN Program
Estimated Cost of Attendance

Application:

Basic Physical Exam	\$40-\$60
Drug Screen	\$35-\$70
TB skin test	\$18
MMR (required for all BC students)	\$18

Tuition & College Fees per Semester

	In State	Out of State
12+ Hours	\$1001	\$2,936
Student Activity Fee		\$50
Parking Fee		\$27
Institution Fee		\$100
Student Life Building FEE		\$125
Technology Fee		\$42
Estimated Books		\$1250 (total)
Testing Fee		\$61-\$81/semester
Skills Lab Kit		\$100
Uniform, shoes, lab coat (2 each)		\$220
Miscellaneous Graduate Expenses (Nursing School pin, graduation fee, LPN licensure application, examination, review course)		\$600

*Costs of transportation to clinical facilities will vary and are the responsibility of the student

All fees must be paid for admittance to class

**Bainbridge College
Licensed Practical Nursing Program**

All **complete** applications, submitted by the deadline, will be reviewed. The following criteria will be utilized to rank the applicants by a composite sum. As stated above, admission to the program is competitive and the number of students is limited by the number of faculty and clinical facilities available.

Applicant scores will be ranked from highest to lowest using the attached selection criteria. Notification of acceptance will be made by mail and/or phone one week prior to classes beginning.

The LPN Committee reserves the right to evaluate and consider special situations in regards to a student admission based on an individual bases.

***** All incomplete applications or applications received after the deadline will not be considered. *****

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Course	Points Available	Points Awarded
ENGL 1101* or TECH 1140	A=3; B=2; C=1; D= -1; F= -2	
BIOL 2111/2111L** or AHEA 1130	A=6; B=4; C=0; D= -1; F= -2	
CSCI 1000 or COMS 1000	A=3; B=2; C=1; D= -1; F= -2	
PSYC 1101 or AHEA 1100	A=3; B=2; C=1; D= -1; F= -2	
TECH 1120	A=6; B=4; C=0; D= -1; F= -2	
AHEA 1140	A=3; B=2; C=1; D= -1; F= -2	
TOTAL	Maximum points=27	

***Add one point for degree level English course.**

****Add two points for degree level Anatomy and Physiology course.**

All classes must be completed prior to admission.

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Placement Test Score _____

Criteria	Total
Criteria I	
Criteria II	
Final Total	

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Jimmie Murkerson, Sheriff

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CRIMINAL HISTORY CONSENT FORM

Please print all information

I hereby authorize _____ Mrs. Joan Simpson, Director _____
(Name and Title of Agency Official requesting Criminal History)

with _____ BAINBRIDGE COLLEGE-EARLY COUNTY CENTER _____
(Name of Agency requesting Criminal History)

to receive any criminal history information pertaining to me, which may be in the files of any state or local criminal justice agency in Georgia.

Full Name: _____
Last Name, First Name Middle Name/Maiden Name (NO INITIALS)

Address: _____
Physical Address (NO P.O. BOXES)

City State Zip

Date of Birth: _____ SSN: _____
(Example: 01/23/45) (Example: 123-45-6789)

Race: _____ Gender: _____
(Black, White, Hispanic, Indian, Asian, etc. (NOT Multi-Racial or Bi-Racial) (Male or Female – NO INITIALS)

This person will be working with the following (mark any and all that apply):

_____ **Children** _____ **Elderly** _____ **Mentally Ill**

Signature

Date

Notary Public

Date

Acknowledgements and Clinical Informed Consent and Information Release Form

I, the below named faculty, understand and approve the following statement and authorize release of said records to all facilities providing clinical experiences for Bainbridge College students:

- ✓ **I authorize Bainbridge College to release any necessary records including but not limited to criminal background records, physicals, and drug screen results to facilities providing clinical experiences.**

- ✓ I understand that clinical eligibility will be determined by the contracted facilities' procedures, and I will **NOT** hold Bainbridge College responsible for those decisions. I further understand that to appeal any "not eligible" decision by a contracted clinical facility, I must contact the Human Resources Director for that Facility. I understand that Bainbridge College is not responsible for clinical decisions of eligibility or the appeal process for the faculty.

- ✓ I have provided a current copy of my Drivers License and Social Security card.

Signature

Date

Name (print):

Social Security Number:
