LVN to Associate Degree Nursing (RN) Program

Application Requirements

1. **You must be currently licensed** as a Vocational Nurse and submit a copy of your license with your application.

2. **ENGLISH**: Completed at LBCC with a passing grade or successful completion of a college English course at the level of English 1 from another college/university that has been equivalency approved by the chair of the English Department. *To determine which level of English is required, please see a Counselor.*

3. **SCIENCES**: **ANATOMY 1** (Human Anatomy), **PHYSIOLOGY 1** (Human Physiology), and **BIOLOGY 2** (General Microbiology). These courses must be completed within five (5) years prior to the application deadline with a grade of C or higher and have a combined GPA of 2.5 or higher. *Courses taken at another college/university must be evaluated for equivalency by the Life Science Department Chair. You may use the Nursing and Allied Health “Life Science Department Equivalency Form.” available in C-100C or D254, for course equivalency evaluation for application purposes.*

4. **PSYCHOLOGY & SOCIOLOGY**: PSYCHOLOGY 1 and SOCIOLOGY 1 must be completed with a grade of C or higher.

5. **PROFICIENCIES....A.A/A.S. Graduation Proficiency Requirements**: We do not accept assessment test results from other schools. For more information refer to the graduation proficiency requirements section under Plan A of the General Education Plan or see a Counselor.

   **READING**: Satisfying this proficiency may be achieved by any one of the following: A qualifying score achieved through multiple LBCC assessment measures, OR completion of READ 82 or 83 (“C” or better) at LBCC (courses taken at other colleges may be individually reviewed for equivalency) OR a Bachelor’s Degree from a regionally accredited college or university. *For more information see a Counselor.*

   **MATH**: Satisfying this proficiency may be achieved by any one of the following: A qualifying score on the LBCC Assessment Test which places a student in Mathematics 37, 37H, 40, 45, Statistics 1, 1H, or higher; OR completion of a college math course at the level of Mathematics 120, 130A, 130 or higher (or 110 prior to Fall 2009) with a grade of “C” or higher; OR a Bachelor’s Degree from a regionally accredited college or university. *For more information see a Counselor.*

To schedule assessment tests go to [www.lbcc.edu](http://www.lbcc.edu) and click on Students, Assessment/Orientation Center and register online. You may also contact the LAC office at *(562) 938-4049* or PCC office at *(562) 938-3920* to schedule the tests.

**INFORMATION COMPETENCY** Satisfying this proficiency may be achieved by one of the following: Take and pass (with a grade of “C” or better) an Information course and a Technology course; OR a Bachelor’s Degree from a regionally accredited college or university. Courses that meet either component of this proficiency requirement are subject to catalog rights. *For more information see a Counselor.*
6. **HIGH SCHOOL/GED** (mandatory): All applicants must provide a copy of a High School transcript/diploma or GED certificate. International transcripts must be evaluated by ACEI (Academic Credentials Evaluation Institute, Inc.). For additional information their website is [www.acei1.com](http://www.acei1.com).

7. **OVERALL/CUMULATIVE GPA**: must be 2.5 or higher; based on all grades from all colleges attended. Attach an unofficial transcript of LBCC courses and an official, sealed transcript from all other colleges to your application. Classes taken at other colleges must be evaluated and approved for equivalency. International transcripts must be evaluated by ACEI (Academic Credentials Evaluation Institute, Inc.). For additional information their website is [www.acei1.com](http://www.acei1.com). Make an appointment with the LBCC Counseling Office at 562-938-4560 and give the Counselor an official transcript to submit for evaluation.

8. **INFORMATION MEETING**: Attend an information session. Meetings are generally conducted only during the Academic Year and are held on the first Wednesday and third Tuesday of the month at the Liberal Arts Campus, Building M, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Room M-206. No food, drinks, or children are allowed in the room. The meetings are subject to change and/or cancellation.

9. **SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE**: Attach a stamped, self-addressed envelope, size 9 1/2” x 4” (available at LBCC Bookstore) to your application.

10. **Communications 10 (Public Speaking) OR Communications 20 (Interpersonal) OR Communications 30 (Group)**: Completion with a grade of “C” or higher of one of these courses is recommended for application, but required for graduation.

Applications are available on the website: [www.LBCC.EDU/nursing](http://www.LBCC.EDU/nursing)

Applications are accepted once per year in August. Only completed applications will be accepted. Selection is based on GPA. If additional selection criteria are needed, it will be based on completion of courses needed for graduation.

Once students are provisionally selected, the student must pass the TEAS V.0 entrance exam and have a CLEAR background check in order to register for the ADN 20A “Transition to Second Level of Nursing” course. For more information see the website: [www.LBCC.EDU/nursing](http://www.LBCC.EDU/nursing)