

PRACTICAL NURSE PROGRAM (1350 CLOCK HOURS)

This program is designed to provide students with classroom theory and clinical experience in nursing skills. The program includes the principles of nursing care, guided learning experience in community facilities, and beginning skills necessary to become a licensed practical nurse. The practical nurse program will provide theoretical instruction of the vocational role and function and personal, family and community health concepts, clinical experiences in fundamentals, body structure and function, human growth and development, nutrition, clinical experiences in medical, surgical, and oncology nursing, pharmacology and medication administration, obstetrics, pediatrics, and geriatric nursing; and biological, psychological, social support and current issues in nursing are all components of the program. Practical nursing focuses on the performance of selected acts in the care of the ill, injured, or infirmed under the direction of a registered professional nurse.

Upon completion of this program graduates will be eligible to take the NCLEX-PN exam for licensure as a Licensed Practical Nurse, which will allow them to gain employability in a variety of healthcare settings including hospitals, ambulatory care settings, long-term care facilities, home health agencies, private duty opportunities, and other appropriate medical areas

** Length of program and all costs are approximate and subject to change.*

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission is open to any qualified applicant. No qualified person will be excluded from enrollment at J&J Healthcare Institute, Inc. based on age, race, gender, disability or national origin. Class start times vary depending upon language of instruction.

If under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must enroll the applicant.

1. The applicant should present evidence or attestation of high school diploma, or GED.
2. Students must have a high school diploma or GED and are 18 years of age or older must demonstrate the ability to learn from the program of instruction.
3. Applicants receive a catalog prior to signing an enrollment agreement.
4. All accepted students must complete a PN Application Process Packet.

5. Students receive a catalog at least one week before enrollment commences.
6. J&J Healthcare Institute, Inc. will keep records of prospective students denied admission for at least one year.
7. Prospective students, who were denied admission and would like to view their file, may submit a written request. Access to view the file will be granted within 24 hours of request.

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURES

Each applicant will attend an interview with admissions personnel. We encourage applicants to bring their friends and families or those who are a vital part of their personal “support system”. Both the applicants and family members will have an opportunity to learn more about the institution and its training programs. The interview is designed to evaluate applicants and their commitment to their educational goals

Important Note: Applicants with criminal backgrounds who apply for programs which require state certification or licensure are advised that they will be required to submit to a criminal background check by the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulations as part of the licensure application. Presence of criminal convictions on record may be cause to reject an applicant for state licensure.

LENGTH OF PROGRAM

The practical nursing program to be offered at J&J Healthcare Institute is 1350 hours, 675 Clinical hours. This program will be offered full time at approximately 26 hours per week plus clinicals which spans 52 weeks or 12 months. Part Time will be 17 hours per week plus clinicals which spans 78 weeks or 18 months.

FEE & PAYMENT SCHEDULE

The Registration fee is due at the time of signing the application for admissions. It is suggested the books and materials be purchased prior to attending the first class.

The student has the option of paying the tuition cost:

1. In full prior to attending the first class;
-OR-
2. Paying the balance of the tuition cost in installments as agreed upon with the Business Office. In addition to the Registration fee and down payment, a Student Payment Schedule will be given to the student by the Business Office and payments will be as stated in the Student Payment Schedule.

LICENSING/APPROVAL AGENCIES

J&J Healthcare Institute, Inc. is licensed by the Commission for Independent Education, Florida Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, Florida 32399. Additional information regarding the institution may be obtained by contacting the Commission at 1-888-224-6684. #3590

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Related Links:

- [State Board of Nursing - www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/nursing](http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/nursing)