



Alcorn State University

Thank you for your interest in Alcorn State University (ASU) School of Nursing. Our LPN Advanced Placement Option caters to licensed practical nurses who graduated from a practical nursing program and want to pursue an Associate of Science registered nursing degree over a 3 semester time frame.

Requirements for admission to the LPN Advanced Placement Option are as outlined in the specific criteria and requirements below.

ADMISSION CRITERIA AND REQUIREMENTS FOR LPN ADVANCED PLACEMENT OPTION:

The applicant must:

1. submit a copy of a current unencumbered practical nurse (LPN) license.
2. be eligible for undergraduate admission to Alcorn State University;
3. submit an official high school transcript or documentation of GED;
4. submit official transcript(s) from each college/university attended (The official transcripts from every college or university attended must reflect grades posted through Fall 2019);
5. have an American College Test (ACT) composite score of 18 or greater (15 or higher prior to October 1989);
6. have an American College Test (ACT) sub-score of 18 or greater in Math (15 or higher prior to October 1989);
7. have an American College Test (ACT) sub-score of 18 or greater in Reading (applicants who took the ACT prior to October 1989 must retake the ACT to obtain the Reading sub-score);
8. have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale on transferable college credits;
9. achieve the required score for admission on a credit examination for NU118: Foundations of Client-Centered Care.
10. complete the prerequisites: BI114: Anatomy and Physiology I; BI114L: Anatomy and Physiology I Laboratory; BI214: Anatomy and Physiology II; BI214L: Anatomy and Physiology II Laboratory; UL101: University Life; MA121: College Algebra; EN111: English Composition I; and SY235: Introduction to Sociology with a grade of C or better before admission to the first clinical nursing course (NU128). (The application may be submitted pending completion of the prerequisite courses.)
11. complete an Alcorn State University Application for Undergraduate Admission; and
12. complete an Application for Admission to the LPN Advanced Placement Option Nursing Program.
13. 2 Letters of Recommendations (1) Supervision Letter, (1) Academic or Community Service Letter
14. Resume
15. Personal Statement

In addition, the application process for the University requires submission of:

1. a copy of your immunization record
*****PLEASE DO NOT SEND A COPY OF YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY CARD*****

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Attached you will find the Alcorn State University Undergraduate Application for Admission and the Application for Admission to the LPN Advanced Placement Nursing Program Option.

Alcorn State University's School of Nursing has a very competitive selection process. Selections for program admission are based on a rating scale that is completed for each qualified applicant. Qualified applicants with complete files are ranked from highest to lowest based on the points reflected on the LPN Advanced Placement Selection Sheet (attached). Program selection begins with those applicants who have the highest number of total points and continues until all available seats are filled.

CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JANUARY 31, 2023, IS THE DEADLINE for submission and receipt of both applications and all other required admission documents. There will be no exceptions granted to this deadline, regardless of reason

Please remember, it is your responsibility to ensure that all documents needed to complete your application file have been received by the School of Nursing.

Please refer to the current ASU undergraduate catalog (https://www.alcorn.edu/uploaded/personal/3007/ASU_General_Catalog_2018-2020.pdf) and the School of Nursing website (<https://www.alcorn.edu/academics/schools-and-departments/school-of-nursing>) for additional program information.

ALL INFORMATION SHOULD BE SENT TO asuson@alcorn.edu, ALCORN STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING, 15 CAMPUS DRIVE, NATCHEZ, MS 39120.

Thank you so much for your interest in Alcorn State University School of Nursing. Remember, if you have questions about any of the above information, please feel free to email asuson@alcorn.edu. Always AlcoRN!