

LPN - RN Advanced Placement

The LPN-RN Advanced Placement option offers licensed practical nurses (LPNs) two (2) program options to review content, demonstrate competency and receive credit for Nursing I or Nursing I and II. Applicants must possess a high school diploma (or equivalent) and a valid New Jersey LPN license and be Mercer County residents.

1. Option #1
 - A. Candidates admitted through this option must complete all general education and core science and math courses required for the degree. Science and math courses can be no older than 5 years before beginning the professional phase of the program.
 - B. Submit proof of current licensure as an LPN in the State of New Jersey.
 - C. Submit a letter to the Director of Nursing Education requesting admission into NUR112 (Nursing II).

2. Option #2
 - A. Candidates admitted through this option must complete all general education and core science and math courses required for the degree. Science and math courses can be no older than 5 years before beginning the professional phase of the program.
 - B. Successfully pass the Excelsior examination for Maternal/child Nursing (NURX220).
 - C. Submit proof of current licensure as an LPN in the State of New Jersey.
 - D. Submit a letter to the Director of Nursing Education requesting admission into NUR176 (LPN Advanced Placement II).

Please note that admission to either of the LPN-RN Advanced Placement program options are on a space available basis only.

Students who complete the college's Nursing program earn the Associate in Science (A.S.) degree and eligibility to take the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) for Registered Nurses (RNs).