

MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DIVISION OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS
NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAM

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO ONLINE NURSING PROGRAM

1. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher at the time of petitioning.
2. Completion of all pre-requisite coursework (including NRS101 and NRS102) for the nursing program in three or fewer attempts.
3. Score of at least 75% on the HESI Admission Assessment Exam.
4. Score of 40% or higher on the Computer Skills Placement Test.
5. Students may schedule for the Computer Skills Placement Test by contacting the Testing Center at 609-570-3295 and informing them that you need to register for the computer skills test for the nursing program. Successful completion of IST101 exempts student for taking this exam.
6. Experience in the health care field is recommended, but not required. Preference will be given to students with previous or current health care experience.
7. Computer with broadband internet access.