

*Mercer County Community College*  
*Division of Math, Science, and Health Professions*  
*Nursing Program*

**HESI Admission Exam**

Purpose: All students applying for admission to the Nursing Education program are required to take the HESI RN Admission Assessment Exam prior to petitioning into the program. Only students with a Mercer County Community College student identification number may take the HESI RN Admission Assessment Exam.

Procedure:

1. The HESI RN Admission Assessment Exam has two sections: English language and math.
2. In order to apply to the nursing program, students must obtain the following minimum scores: English language **composite** score of 80% **and** math score of 80%. Scores are not rounded.
3. This is a timed exam. Students receive a maximum of 3.5 hours to complete the exam.
4. Students with differing abilities may be entitled to an extension of testing time. If you have a documented differing ability or think that you may have a differing ability that is protected under the American with Disabilities Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act or college policy, please contact the Mercer County Community College Center for Inclusion, Transition, and Accessibility for information regarding support services.
5. Students may re-take the exam. Students are limited to one attempt per calendar month.
6. HESI RN Admission Assessment Exam scores will be valid for two years from date of testing.

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