Pre-Admission Exam for Geisinger Lewistown Hospital School of Nursing

As part of our admission process, the GLHSON requires that the NLN Pre-Admission Exam be taken. This test is mandatory for all applicants and an overall score in the 60th percentile rank or higher is preferred.

All pre-admission exams will now be handled through Proctorio and will be taken at home at the tester’s convenience. The test consists of 3 sections (verbal, math, science). It is the responsibility of the tester to read the guidebook and to create an account through the NLN website and to get registered for a test using Proctorio. Once a test is purchased, testers will have 90 days to complete it. It is the tester’s responsibility to then notify the school when their score is available.

- CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE GUIDEBOOK FOR PAX AND NACE REMOTE TESTING
- VIDEO WALKTHROUGH REMOTE TESTING PAX AND NACE
- Student Guide to Hyflex Testing (Proctorio) Student Pay

Student customer support form: NLN Student Smart Form

Exam details:

- Pre-admission Exam for HyFlex (H-PAX_1). A $55.00 fee payable to the NLN will be required when you register online. (Price subject to change). When purchasing exam it will read “Verbal”, but there are 3 sections total (verbal, math, science).

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*Details Field- When creating a student account, there is a field called “Details” This field allows examinees to enter a unique identifier for export to student management system. (Not applicable at this time)

PAX ADA Candidates:
Please note the NLN no longer requires or accepts requests for ADA testing needs. In the event that your institution has approved an individual for additional time, please direct the student to purchase the P-PAX ACC version in the student score. The cost of the exam is the same as the standard version.

Refunds
Please note that once you have applied to take the NLN RN Pre-Admission Exam all fee and fees associated with score reports are non-refundable.

Repeating the Exam (GLHSON Requirement)
Any individual wishing to retake the NLN Pre-Admission Exam will get two test tries per application, pending time allowed. **There is a 3 month wait period between tests.**

Test scores are considered confidential information. Your test score will be made available to you by the NLN, approximately 4 hours after the end of the test. Directions for scoring are on the NLN website or your account.
INFORMATION ABOUT NATIONAL LEAGUE FOR NURSING (NLN) PRE-ADMISSION EXAMINATION – R.N.

To better prepare applicants, a series of prep products have been created by the NLN. These have been designed to help students learn and retain the material by simulating the actual PAX. These products can be found on the NLN store once you have created your account. You can also download an NLN PAX exam prep app by searching apps on your phone.

The following textbooks may also be helpful in preparing for the exam:

1. **Barron’s Nursing School Entrance Exam**  
   Corrine E. Grimes and Sandra Swick (2007)  

2. **Nursing School and Allied Health Entrance Examination**  

3. **Review Guide for RN Pre-Entrance Exam**  
   Mary McDonald, Jones & Bartlett Learning (2003)  

4. **Review Guide for RN Pre-Entrance Exam**  
   Emily Ekle/Amy Sibley/Patricia Donnelly, Jones & Bartlett Learning (2008)  
   3rd Edition  13-978-0763762711

The *Review Guide for NLN-RN Pre-Entrance Exam, Third Edition* provides a sound basis for successful preparation for a nursing pre-admission exam. It also provides an overview of the math, science, and reading comprehension skills necessary for admission to AD and BS programs. This best-selling study guide includes review questions and practice exams in each of the three test areas and includes helpful tips for test preparation and for becoming a more effective learner and test taker.