

Revised

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I. Statement of Policy:

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPNs) may apply for and receive advance placement in the program.

II. Scope:

Applicants to the School of Nursing who are currently LPNs.

III. Procedure:

- A. All admission and prerequisite requirements must be met.
- B. The applicant must be a graduate of a Board-approved program.
- C. The applicant must have a current LPN license and be in good standing in Pennsylvania.
- D. Two years of LPN work experience are preferred within the past 5 years.
- E. All written work and testing must be met with satisfactory performance in the transition course in order to continue in the program.
- F. Additional theory and clinical time may be recommended, even if advanced standing is granted.
- G. The applicant who receives advanced placement will automatically be excused from N111: Nursing Fundamentals, N122: Professional Nursing Communication, and N213: Critical Thinking.