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.

<u>All pre-admission exams will now be handled through Proctorio</u> and will be taken at home at the tester's convenience. 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 60 days to complete it. <u>It is the tester's responsibility to then notify the school when their score is available</u>. Deadline to submit score is April 30, 2021.

- 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. A <u>\$55.00</u> fee payable to the NLN will be required when you register online. (Price subject to change).

| Student Purchase in NLN Store | | |
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| 1. | Read the User Guide pdf document | |
| 2. | Create an account for our institution | Geisinger School of Nursing |
| | go to | |
| 3. | Details alphanumeric field* | Not applicable |
| 4. | Click email link to set up a password | |
| 5. | Click Buy Exam: | Follow instructions to pay by Credit Card |
| | | Other test prep material may be purchased at this time. |
| 6. | Click My Assessments | Schedule or Launch |

***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, <u>pending time allowed</u>. **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:

- <u>Barron's Nursing School Entrance Exam</u> Corrine E. Grimes and Sandra Swick (2007) 3rd Edition ISBN# 13-978-0764136979
- Nursing School and Allied Health Entrance Examination Marion F. Gooding, ARCO Publishing Co. (2003) 16th Edition ISBN# 13-978-0768911954
- <u>Review Guide for RN Pre-Entrance Exam</u> Mary McDonald, Jones & Bartlett Learning (2003) 2nd Edition ISBN# 13-978-0763724863
- <u>Review Guide for RN Pre-Entrance Exam</u> 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.

Directions to Geisinger Lewistown Hospital School of Nursing Test Site (when applicable)

Take 322 E (Coming from State College)

Exit 322 E. at Electric Avenue – come to stop sign turn right onto Ort Valley Road. Follow until you reach a red light, turn left onto Electric Avenue follow until next red light (KFC on your right.) Travel straight through red light and take the next left turn. Hospital is on the left. Travel to the top of the hill and turn right into the visitor's parking lot. The School of Nursing Learning Center is located at the end of the parking lot at 100 North 5th Street, the corner of 5th and Highland Avenue, (across from the Rhodes Memorial Church). **Do not park in front of the administration office**, please use the visitor parking lot.

Take 322 W. (Coming from Harrisburg)

Exit 322 W. at Electric Avenue - come to stop sign yield onto Electric Avenue. Follow until you reach a red light (KFC on your right.) Travel straight through red light and take the next left turn. Hospital is on the left. Travel to the top of the hill and turn right into the visitor's parking lot. The School of Nursing Learning Center is located at the end of the parking lot at 100 North 5th Street, the corner of 5th and Highland Avenue, (across from the Rhodes Memorial Church). **Do not park in front of the administration office**, please use the visitor parking lot.

From 522 S (Coming from Selinsgrove)

Upon entering Lewistown, travel through the red light and take a right turn onto 322 W. Travel a very short distance and exit 322 W. onto Electric Avenue exit, come to stop sign yield onto Electric Avenue. Follow until you reach a red light (KFC on your right.) Travel straight through 1st red light and take the next left turn. Hospital is on the left. Travel to the top of the hill and turn right into the visitor's parking lot. The School of Nursing Learning Center is located at the end of the parking lot at 100 North 5th Street, the corner of 5th and Highland Avenue, (across from the Rhodes Memorial Church). **Do not park in front of the administration office**, please use the visitor parking lot.

From 522 N (Coming from Huntingdon)

Follow 522 N until the Electric Avenue exit, come to stop sign, take a right onto Ort Valley Road. Follow until you reach a red light, take a left onto Electric Avenue. Travel straight through 1st red light (KFC on your right) and take the next left turn. Hospital is on the left. Travel to the top of the hill and turn right into the visitor's parking lot. The School of Nursing Learning Center located at the end of the parking lot at 100 North 5th Street, the corner of 5th and Highland Avenue, (across from the Rhodes Memorial Church). **Do not park in front of the administration office**, please use the visitor parking lot.