

ForsythTech

More Than You Know



FALL 2013 ONLY

**ONLINE NURSING
INFORMATION SESSION**

Welcome to Forsyth Tech!



- Find what you are looking for at www.forsythtech.edu
- Print the packet of admissions requirements for your program: [admissions/allied-health-nursing-admissions](#)
- Keep yourself informed and stay on track!
- Contact the Admissions Office or your academic advisor if you have questions

Application Process- Phase I



- Complete the Forsyth Tech application.
- Complete the online Nursing Information Session and **return the confirmation form provided at the end of this session.**
- Request official high school transcript or GED scores.
- Request official college transcripts from **ALL** colleges and universities attended since high school. Hand delivered transcripts must be in an official sealed envelope.
- Complete placement testing if required.

Minimum Admissions Requirements

Phase II

- ❑ **Placement testing - must be met by one of the following:**
 - CPT, ASSET, or COMPASS placement test in Reading Comprehension, Sentence Skills, Arithmetic & Algebra (see packet for required scores)
 - SAT or ACT (see packet for required scores)
 - College credit with a “C” or higher in math and/or English composition.

- ❑ **Biology competency:** Applicants **MUST** have completed a high school (D or higher) or college level (C or higher) biology course. There is **NO** age limitation on the course.

“C” or Higher Policy- Phase II cont.



Applicants with a “D” or “F” in a related course (see packet) as of the deadline or after acceptance **WILL NOT** be eligible for admission to a nursing program.

This policy applies to any courses taken at Forsyth Tech or at any outside institution.

If you choose to repeat a course for a better grade, remember we will use the **LAST GRADE EARNED.**

Transfer Credit Notes



- Equivalent related courses taken at another college will transfer if completed with a grade of “C” or higher
- No age limitations for anatomy/physiology courses
- BIO 165/166- Both must be completed at the same college to transfer
- BIO 168/169- Not restricted to taking both at the same college to transfer
- Computer course has a 10 year age limitation

New Step for A.D.N. AND LPN-RN Applicants!



Minimum Admissions Requirements (MAR) Review

Minimum Admission Requirement Review- Phase III (MAR Review)



After completing Phase I and II, applicants are eligible to meet with an Admissions Counselor for a MAR review. Applicants for the program **will not** be considered for admission **nor** be eligible to proceed to Phase IV (TEAS testing) until this step is completed. Therefore, applicants are encouraged to complete the MAR review as early as possible to allow time to complete the TEAS by the deadline.

During the MAR Review, points will be explained, calculated, and reviewed with each individual applicant.

The MAR review is done on a walk-in basis only. The office hours for MAR Reviews are: Monday through Thursday 8:00 am to 6:00 pm and Friday 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please refer to the packet for dates that MAR reviews **will not** be conducted.

Minimum Admission Requirement Review- Phase III (MAR Review cont.)



IMPORTANT: It is mandatory that you complete the MAR review before you will be eligible to take the TEAS or be considered for selection. Failure to complete the MAR review in a timely manner could impact your ability to complete the TEAS at Forsyth Tech by the February 28th deadline!

When Can I Complete My MAR Review?



- **MAR reviews will be conducted**
 - Monday-Thursday- 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
 - Friday- 8:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
- **All MAR reviews must be completed by the February 28th deadline.**

LPN-RN Transition Applicants **Only!**



Mandatory Courses

The following courses must be completed by the time of the MAR Review with a “C” or higher.

BIO 165 or BIO 168*

BIO 166 or BIO 169*

PSY 150

PSY 241

* Applicants may also use a combination of BIO 163 and 271 to meet the A&P sequence requirement.

Practical Nursing Applicants **Only!**



- The Admissions Process has not changed for 2013.
- You are still required to complete your admissions file before it will be reviewed for TEAS eligibility.
- Qualified applicants will be notified regarding TEAS testing by the TEAS Coordinator.
- Applicants not notified within 2 weeks of completing this session or prior to the deadline should contact Admissions.

TEAS V- Phase IV

(Test of Essential Academic Skills)



What is the TEAS V?

This test will indicate how academically prepared you are to be a successful nursing student.

When can you take it?

- A.D.N. and LPN-RN applicants will receive information on TEAS after completing the MAR Review.
- PN applicants will be notified once their admissions file is complete and all minimum requirements have been met.

The test is given on scheduled dates by appointment only.

TEAS V Preparation



- www.atitesting.com /ATI Product Solutions
- ACA 085 (1 credit hour course)
- Study Manuals are available in the library on Main Campus and at the Off-Campus Centers. Manuals cannot be checked out.

TEAS V

(Test of Essential Academic Skills) cont.



What is the minimum score needed for all nursing programs?

A.D.N. and LPN-RN applicants must have a score of **60%** or higher on the *Adjusted Individual Total Score*. **Please note the increased score.**

PN applicants must have a score of **42%** or higher on the *Adjusted Individual Total Score*.


TEAS V scores are valid for 2 years.

TEAS Results Sample



Individual Performance Profile

Test of Essential Academic Skills V Form A

Individual Name:	Jane Doe		Adjusted Individual Total Score:	42.0%
Student Number :	55555555		ATI Academic	Basic
Institution:	Forsyth Tech		Preparedness Level:	
Program Type:	PN		Mean – National:	66.1%
Test Date:	1/01/2011		Mean –Program	64.1%
# of Questions	150		Percentile Rank– National:	66
Attempt:	1 of 2		Percentile Rank – Program:	68
Days since last attempt:	55			

Ranking Process- Phase V



- Applicants who satisfy all criteria by the deadline date make up the applicant pool and compete with other qualified applicants. A point system is used to rank applicants for selection.
- Points are calculated from the grades earned in any related courses completed at time of deadline and the TEAS Adjusted Individual Total Score. Adding these together will give the total rank score.

The goal is to achieve as many ranking points as possible.

Ranking Process- Phase V cont.



The ADN program accepts **72** students

The PN program accepts **80** students

60-Main Campus- Day

20- Stokes County- Evening & Weekend

The LPN to RN accepts **24** students.

Alternate lists are maintained in ranking order for each of the programs.

Calculating Your Points- Sample Only



Related Courses Completed	Grade	Credit Hours x	Quality Points	=Pts.
PSY 241 Development Psych.	B	3	3	9
ENG 111 Expository Writing	C	3	2	6
PSY 150 General Psychology	A	3	4	12
Total:				27
TEAS Adjusted Individual Total Score				80.3
Total Points:				107.3

Fall 2013 Deadline



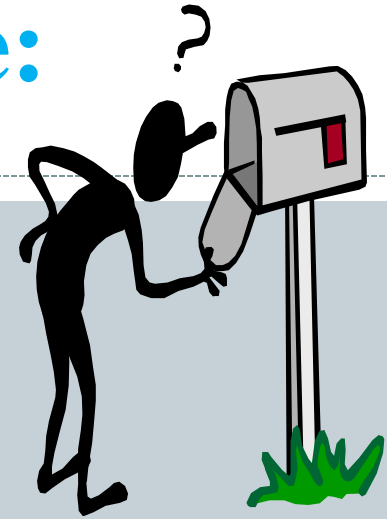
**Associate Degree Nursing, Practical Nursing
and LPN to RN Transition Program**

February 28, 2013

****** IMPORTANT REMINDER ******

All criteria including the TEAS test **must be completed** by the deadline date stated above.

After the deadline:



All qualified applicants will be notified **by mail** **within 4 weeks** of the designated deadline.

Alternates are maintained in ranking order and will be notified if a space becomes available.

CNA I & CPR- Accepted Students Only



CNA I- Certified Nursing Assistant

(Completion of a North Carolina approved Nurse Aide I Training Program)

CPR- American Heart Association - Health Care Provider level

Although you do not have to be licensed as a CNA I and CPR certified to apply to a nursing program, proof of these certifications must be provided by the deadline date specified in the conditions of the acceptance letter.

For more information.....



For specific information and registration for
CNA I and CPR courses, please contact:
Forsyth Tech West Campus- Bolton Street
(336) 761-1002

Website information:

<http://www.forsythtech.edu/cce/continuing-education/health-amp-safety-careers>

Next Steps for Accepted Students ONLY!



Deadline dates will be established by the nursing department and indicated in the conditions of the acceptance letter for receipt of the following documentation:

- Student Medical History Form
- CNA I & CPR (Health Care Provider) certifications

Information regarding the process for criminal background checks will be given at the orientation for accepted nursing students.

ADN Accepted Point Ranges



<u>TEAS- Version 4</u>	<u># ranked</u>	<u>point ranges</u>
Fall 2009	119	137.7 – 183.5
Spring 2010	155	145.1 – 182.4
Fall 2010	174	148.1 – 179.4
Spring 2011	169	154.9 – 191.1
Fall 2011	214	157.1 – 191.1
<u>TEAS-Version 5</u>		
Spring 2012	351	154.0 – 183.7
Fall 2012	421	156.3 - 187.8
Spring 2013	213	157.7 - 188.7

LPN-RN Accepted Point Ranges



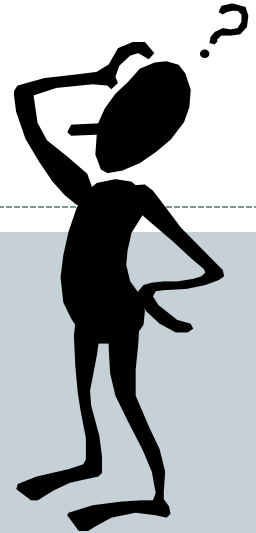
<u>TEAS- Version 4</u>	<u># ranked</u>	<u>point ranges</u>
Fall 2008	15	N/A
Fall 2009	15	N/A
Fall 2010	13	N/A
Fall 2011	23	N/A
 <u>TEAS-Version 5</u>		
Fall 2012	88	148.3- 178.7

PN Accepted Point Ranges



<u>TEAS Version 4</u>	<u># ranked</u>	<u>point ranges</u>
Fall 2008	77	73.5 – 125.3
Fall 2009	103	93.3 – 120.2
Fall 2010	94	89.9 – 118.8
Fall 2011	115	100.8 – 121.7
 <u>TEAS Version 5</u>		
Fall 2012	171	(Main) 88-120.7
		(Stokes E/W) 70.3-120.7

Questions?



Admissions Office
Allman Center Room 123

Office Hours:

M-Th 8am – 7pm Friday 8am – 3pm

(336) 734-7556 or

Associate Degree Nursing & LPN-RN Transition-

April Paradis: aparadis@forsythtech.edu

Practical Nursing- Vickie Lindsay: 734-7249

Fall 2013 Confirmation Form



Forsyth Tech Online Information Session Confirmation Form for
FALL 2013 Nursing Applicants ONLY.

I have reviewed this session and fully understand what is required of me prior to the February 28th deadline.

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

Student ID or SSN# _____

Program of Study ___ Associate Degree Nursing

(May only select 1) ___ LPN to RN Transition

___ Practical Nursing- Traditional Day

___ Practical Nursing- Stokes County E&W

Return to:

Forsyth Tech Admissions Office, 123 Allman Center

2100 Silas Creek Pkwy Winston-Salem, NC 27103

Fax: (336) 734-7291 Email: admissions@forsythtech.edu

Office Use Only

Date Reviewed

TEAS eligible/DB

Requirements still
needed
