METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE-PENN VALLEY-PROFESSIONAL NURSING

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All requirements must be met by all applicants before the start of any given application period.
This includes those with degrees and previous college course work.

Our two-year program gives you hands-on experience and excellent instruction in our state-of-the-art Health Science Institute. Our program gives you an associate's degree and prepares you to apply for the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses. Please note: Completing the program does not guarantee licensing from the State Board of Nursing. For additional information go to www.moga.mo.gov.

- Apply to the College
- Submit all non-MCCKC official transcripts to the Student Data Center - must be received in Student Data Center and evaluated (from all colleges and universities you have attended) before the start of any given application period. (Address: Metropolitan Community College, Student Data Center, 3200 Broadway, Kansas City, MO 64111)
- Compass tests must be completed at any of the five (5) MCC campuses and be less than three (3) years old (MCC will be moving away from using the Compass test November, 2016 for all applications after August 2016, students need to check back on this website for updates). Student must meet or exceed the required score in all three areas; Algebra, Reading, and Writing. All required scores must be obtained on either a first or second attempt when taking the test. Failure to meet the required scores on the second Compass will require the student to take the indicated required classes earning a grade of “C” or better — before the start of any given application period (see table below). Student will not be eligible to apply until the required course(s) listed below have been completed with a grade of “C” or better. Placement scores required; Failure to take all three (3) of the Compass subject areas will result in the application being removed from the applicant pool.

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<td>60</td>
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- Three 3 Pre-requisite courses (PSYC 140, CHEM 105, plus BIOL 109 or BIOL 110 & BIOL 210) — completed prior to the start of any given application period.
- “C” or better in all pre-requisite courses AND a minimum pre-requisite 2.75 GPA — prior to the start of any given application period. A grade of “C” may lower your pre-requisite GPA below the minimum 2.75 requirement. GPA is based on program pre-requisites only.
- The TEAS - V exam must be taken prior to the start of any given application period. A minimum total adjusted score of 60% must be obtained on either a first or second attempt in taking the exam. A third attempt on the exam to obtain the required score would make you ineligible to apply to the program for one year. Go to ATI website (www.atitesting.com), print a copy of the TEAS V results, attach to the application and submit during application period. (You must attach copies of all TEAS scores to your program application).
- Applications will be accepted January 11th through January 25th during normal business hours for a fall start date (August), and August 1st through August 15th during normal business hours for a spring start date (January). The application period ends at 4:30 p.m. the last day of the application period.
- Applicants will be selected based on ranking points. Maximum of 5 possible ranking points can be obtained. A maximum of 4 points are based on pre-requisite courses and 1 point for having Microbiology completed at the time of application.*

*Microbiology cannot be over five (5) years old at the time of application (must include a lab and have earned a grade of “C” or above). Microbiology cannot be grand fathered and must be repeated if over five years old at time of application. If (BIOL 208) Microbiology is five (5) or more years old at the time of application, you cannot receive the ranking point for having it completed.
With the exception of Microbiology any science courses in the curriculum taken more than five years prior to the application date but less than ten years, may be accepted ("grand fathered") if a higher level science course in the curriculum was taken and is less than five years old at the time of application and you earned a minimum grade of “C.”

BIOL 110, Human Anatomy, and BIOL 210, Human Physiology, are the equivalent of BIOL 109, Anatomy & Physiology, and, therefore considered one course and cannot be split for BIOL 210 to grandfather BIOL 208.

1. Admission criteria to the program are subject to change without notice. If changes are made to the admission criteria, the applicant will need to meet all requirements that are in effect at the time of application.

2. Successful completion of the requirements necessary for admission to the program does not guarantee acceptance to the program.

Once accepted into the nursing program, students will attend a mandatory meeting to discuss the next steps and the required information below:

- Health Records
  - Certified Profile
  - Physical Exam
  - Immunizations for: chicken pox, measles, mumps, rubella, tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis, influenza, hepatitis B (waiver accepted for Hepatitis B immunization)
- Recent photo on file
- CPR
- Background Check
- Family Care Safety Registry
- Drug screen to be done at the site required by MCC. A positive screen may result in further requirements and a delayed entry into the program.
- Reliable transportation: Assignments to clinical sites are done on a random basis. Many sites are not accessible by public transportation.
- Child care, if needed
- Work schedule that is flexible to accommodate class and clinical requirements. NOTE: Clinical schedules are not typically available until close to the start of the semester.
- Plan for payment of program costs. MCC requires payment on the day of enrollment.

Students are required to attend a mandatory program orientation.