

## **Information on Application Process for Clinicals starting Fall 2009**

**First Year Courses:** All first year courses must be completed successfully by end of spring 2009 semester. Successful completion requires a C- or better for general education courses and a C or better for all HSCI courses.

**Minimum GPA:** Your cumulative GPA must be 3.3 or higher at the end of the spring 2009 semester. The GPA calculation will include all previous college coursework and courses taken at UCCS.

**Current Active Students:** Applicants must be active at UCCS, and must have successfully completed at least one course at UCCS over the three semesters prior to taking the exam.

**Intent to Apply Form:** There will be a form to complete and submit online to state your intent to apply to the clinical portion of the Nursing program that starts in Fall of 2009. The form is available online. Deadline to submit the form is **May 15, 2009**.

**Profile:** The profile is the second part of the Intent to Apply which allows us to gather some demographic information to be used for research purposes only.

**Entrance exam:** HESI-A2 Review book is available in the UCCS Bookstore for \$25 (ISBN: 978-1-4160-5635-5). The exam will primarily cover material learned during the first year courses, but check the review book for additional topics. Although Physics is included in the review book, it is not on the exam.

**Exam dates** are posted on line and are as follows:

Date: May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
Time: 1-4 pm  
Room: DH122

Date: May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
Time: 3-6 pm  
Room: DH 122

Date: June 2, 2009  
Time: 1-4 pm  
Room: DH 122

Once you have given your Intent to Apply to the nursing advisor:

1. Contact Linda Matthies regarding which time you will be attending at 719-255-4169.
2. Bring with you to the exam a **Money Order** in the amount of **\$25** made out to **Elsevier Science**.

3. You may not bring anything other than the Money Order with you such as a backpack, purse, water bottle, pen, pencil, paper, cell phone, or calculator. There will be a basket available for car keys.

If you wish to find out more about the exam you can visit this website:

<https://www.hesiinet.com/> and review the student instructions for taking the exam. There will be instructors present during the exam to assist you.

**Waiver:** Nursing Prep students who are currently on the waitlist and choose to apply for a clinical position and take the exam will be required to sign a waiver stating their understanding that they will be dropped from the waitlist. The waiver must be signed at the time of the exam.

**Limits:** Students have 2 opportunities to take the exam.

**BETH EL COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**University of Colorado at Colorado Springs**

**Intent to Apply for a Clinical Position**

The purpose of this Intent to Apply is to notify the nursing advisor that you have completed the pre-requisite courses and desire to start the clinical portion of the nursing program.

**Instructions:**

Download the form to Word. Complete the form then print it out. Sign on the signature line. Submit the form to Carolyn Daley, Nursing Advisor in Student Success.

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student ID#** \_\_\_\_\_

(Print name legibly)

The criteria for applying for a clinical position are the following:

1. **First Year Courses:** All first year courses must be completed successfully by the end of the semester in which you are applying. Successful completion requires a C- or better for general education courses and a C or better for all HSCI courses.

Bio 201 Anatomy & Phys	4	Bio 202 Anatomy & Phys	4
Psy 100 Gen Psychology	3-4	Eng 141 English Comp	3
Eng 131 English Comp	3	HSci 207 Nutrition	3
General Education Elective	3	Anth 104 Cultural Anthropology	3
Chem 101 Chemistry	4	Chem 102 Chemistry	4

2. **Minimum GPA:** Your cumulative GPA must be 3.3 or higher at the end of the semester in which you are applying. The GPA calculation will include all previous college coursework and courses taken at UCCS.
3. **Current Active Students:** Applicants must be active at UCCS, and must have successfully completed at least one course at UCCS over the three semesters prior to taking the exam (fall, spring or summer semester).

**I acknowledge that I have met the above criteria and desire to take the exam the next time that it is offered.**

**I also acknowledge that the results of the exam may be used for research for the purpose of identifying those factors that are predictive of success in the nursing program. I further understand that no identifying information will be included in the research.**

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences  
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HESI-A2 Examination Waitlist Waiver

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that by taking the HESI-A2 Admission Assessment examination that I relinquish my position on the Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences Waitlist. I also understand that successful completion of the examination does NOT guarantee that I will be accepted to a clinical slot.

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Student Signature

Date

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Nursing Advisor

Date

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Received by Admissions and Records

Date

NCR Form

Pink – Student

Yellow – Nursing Advisor

White/Original – Admission and Records for inclusion in Student File