



HESI Admissions Assessment for Nursing (Health Education Systems Inc.)

Once you have completed 12 credits of the ADN general education courses, you will be eligible to take the HESI Entrance Assessment. An email will be sent to your LTC email account notifying you of your eligibility and how to schedule the exam. This email will also include directions on how to set up an account in Evolve prior to testing. You will need to print out the eligibility email and bring it with you to your testing appointment. You may also show the email on your phone, as long as your name is visible. Make sure to bring your new Evolve User ID and password with you.

The HESI entrance exam is comprised of different modules designed to evaluate several areas that are essential for academic success. The module that the ADN program will be evaluating is the English Composite piece which includes: Reading, Vocabulary and General Knowledge. You will be given 4 hours to take the exam. Though it is unlikely that the exam will take 4 hours, please allow yourself the entire time so you do not feel rushed. It is highly recommended that you wait until you are almost finished with your general education courses to take the HESI as it should help you improve your score.

There is currently a \$44 fee (this fee is subject to change) to take the HESI Entrance Assessment. A book will be on reserve in the LTC Cleveland Campus library if you wish to prepare for the Assessment. The HESI email you are sent will also include a link to a website where you can see and answer sample questions. It is strongly encouraged that you utilize these prep options.

A score of 75% or higher is required on the English Composite piece in order to be eligible to enter the nursing program. Upon completion of the HESI, you will be given a printout of your scores immediately. If you do not get the required score, you will be emailed remediation materials and will be directed back to your advisor to go over options.