

## NAVARRO COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM (RN) GUIDE TO ADMISSION FOR 2025

### STEP ONE: TO BECOME ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR 2025 ADN ADMISSION:

- Attend or view an Information Session Presentation between Sept. 2024-January 2025. For applicants who prefer a live session, a few sessions will be offered via Zoom. Please see the schedule on the ADN and LVN-RN Bridge websites. Zoom links will be posted prior to each Zoom meeting.
  - **Zoom sessions:** No need to register. Must login to the Zoom meeting on time. Latecomers (after 5 minutes) will not be admitted.
  - **Recorded Sessions:** Must view the entire session.
- Apply to Navarro College if you are not already a student here.
  - Make sure you are under the correct degree plan. Prior to acceptance to the program, you should be on: Pre-Bachelor of Science in Nursing-AS (AS.BDN)  
**Link:** <https://www.navarrocollege.edu/academics/pre-nursing.html>
  - Send ALL OFFICIAL transcripts, from EACH college/university attended to NC Registrar/Office of Admissions.  
  
ADN prerequisite courses MUST be completed before the application deadline. Note: For Traditional ADN Applicants only, science prerequisite courses taken more than 7 years prior to application deadline, will not be accepted.
- Take the TEAS Test
  - Once you have achieved the required TEAS score, proceed to Step 2. \*Students must achieve a 66% or greater Total TEAS Score to be eligible for admission.
  - Students have two opportunities per application cycle (March 1, 2024- application deadline- January/February 2025) to achieve the required total TEAS score of 66%.

### STEP TWO: APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO THE ADN PROGRAM

Mail or hand deliver a hard copy of the following documents:

- ADN Application for Admission (located online; MUST be typed).  
**APPLICATION DEADLINES:** LVN-RN Bridge= Jan. 13, 2025; Traditional RN= Feb. 10, 2025
  - The ADN application is located on our website under the Application and Forms tab on the left-hand side of your screen.

- Transcripts from EACH college and/or university you have attended, including Navarro College (Unofficial transcripts are acceptable for the ADN application packet)
- Your TEAS test results
- A copy of your Degree Audit Transcript **MUST** be included with your application packet (Degree Audit Transcripts can be obtained via the NC website under Self-Service-- Academics—Unofficial Transcript). You must be under the correct degree plan. If you are not, contact the Admissions Office.
- Proof of dose 1 & 2 of 3 dose Hepatitis B vaccine; proof of dose 1 for 2 dose vaccine.
- **If mailing the above documents, send them to: NAVARRO COLLEGE, Attn: ADN Health Professions, 1900 John Arden Drive, Waxahachie, TX 75165.**

## **STEP THREE: BEGIN GATHERING DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION**

Immediately begin working on completing the following immunization requirements and/or gathering documented proof of immunizations. When you are accepted to the ADN program, you will be required to provide proof of the following immunizations.

Must have documented proof of the following immunizations by the Program Orientation Day:

- A. Proof of a negative TB Blood Test: QuantiFERON TB Gold Plus (QFT Plus) or the T-Spot TB test (T-spot). The ADN program will no longer accept TB skin tests due to revised clinical site requirements.
- B. Two immunizations for Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR), or a Positive Antibody Titer showing immunity to all three.
- C. Two immunizations for Varicella (Chickenpox), or a Positive Antibody Titer.
- D. Proof of one dose of Tdap– If no record then you will need to receive Tdap. If Tdap was administered > 10 years ago, you will need Td booster. Td booster is required every ten years thereafter.
- E. Proof of influenza vaccine received in fall 2024 or spring 2025 (LVN-RN Bridge students only). Following admission to the program, flu vaccine will be required for students by October 1, 2025.
- F. Proof of COVID-19 vaccination: Some clinical sites are still requiring students and faculty to be fully vaccinated for COVID-19. Proof of being fully vaccinated (refer to CDC guidelines) must be received prior to attending clinical rotations. For LVN-RN Bridge students, clinical begins in June. For Traditional entry students, clinical begins in mid-September. <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/stay-up-to-date.html>

## WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

- Once you have completed Steps 1 & 2, the ADN program will submit your name to the Texas Board of Nursing (TX BON) as a qualified ADN applicant. The TX BON will submit your name to IdentoGO (fingerprinting agency). You should receive a link to register for fingerprints. Do NOT register for fingerprints until you are offered admission to the ADN program.

NOTE: LVN-RN Bridge applicants may not receive an email from IdentoGO to obtain fingerprints if prints have been taken in the past.

- Faculty will meet, to rank all qualified applicants. Offers of admission will be sent out by April 1, 2025.
- Admission letters will include important information regarding next steps which will include:
  - Registering for Fingerprints (if applicable)
  - Submission of “blue card” sent to you by the TxBON, or other required TxBON documentation
  - Registering for a drug screen
  - Proof of American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) Provider CPR.
  - Information regarding MANDATORY program orientation
    - Bridge students= April 18, 2025, for WC or April 25, 2025 for CC
    - Traditional students= July 29, 2025
  - Information regarding dates for clinical site orientation
  - Verification of Social Security card
  - Proof of Health Insurance
  - Copy of front and back of Driver’s License
  - Copy of Auto Insurance

## WHAT CAN I EXPECT WITH THE TEAS TEST?

The ATI TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills) is designed specifically to assess a student's preparedness entering the health science fields. Most likely, you’ve been asked to take the TEAS as part of your basic admissions requirements for nursing or allied health school. That’s because studies show a consistent link between a student’s performance on the TEAS and future academic success. Link to TEAS test information: <http://atitesting.com/teas/teasexam>

*\*Students applying for the Navarro College ADN program MUST score a Total TEAS Score of 66% or greater to be eligible for admission.*

Students may take the TEAS test twice during each application cycle- March 1, 2024, through the Application deadline for 2025 admissions.