



*A Unit of the Technical College System of Georgia - Equal Opportunity Institution*

## **Practical Nursing Spring Semester 2024**

### **Program Location:**

Marietta Campus

### **PN Program Admission:**

Students seeking admission to the Practical Nursing (PN) Program must be fully admitted to the college for Summer Semester 2023. To take pre-admission courses, students should enroll in the college's *Healthcare Assistant Certificate, Healthcare Science Certificate or Interdisciplinary Studies-Health Track*.

The PN program has a competitive admission process. The selection criteria consist of Admission Points with a total value of **320 points**. See the PN Admission Points Criteria sheet for additional information.

All students must have a CTC GPA of **2.0** or higher to be considered for program admission. If a student has all transfer credit, and does not have a CTC GPA, this requirement does not apply.

### **Transfer Students / Transfer Credit:**

If you are a transfer student, you must be fully admitted to Chattahoochee Technical College by Summer Semester 2023. The College's document deadline for Summer Semester 2023 is **Friday, May 12, 2023**.

If you are transferring college credit into Chattahoochee Technical College, official transcripts must be received by the college's document deadline, **Friday, May 12, 2023**.

### **Required Pre-Admission Course Work:**

Complete the following pre-admission courses by **Monday, July 31, 2023**.

Course	Course Name	Credit	Grade
<b>ENGL 1101</b>	Composition and Rhetoric	3	
<b>MATH 1012</b> or <b>MATH 1111</b>	Foundations of Mathematics or College Algebra	3	
<b>ALHS 1011</b> or <b>BIOL 2113</b> <b>BIOL 2113L</b> <b>BIOL 2114</b> <b>BIOL 2114L</b>	Structure and Function of the Human Body or Anatomy and Physiology I Anatomy and Physiology I Lab Anatomy and Physiology II Anatomy and Physiology II Lab	5 3 1 3 1	
<b>ALHS 1090</b>	Medical Terminology	2	

**Optional Courses:**

Completion of the following optional courses prior to **Tuesday, August 1, 2023** will provide an opportunity to earn additional admission points. See the PN Admission Points Sheet for more details.

Course	Course Name	Credit	Grade
<b>ALHS 1550</b>	Pharmacology for Health Care	3	

**Additional Required Courses:**

The following required pre-admission courses must be completed or transferred into CTC's Banner system by **Monday, December 11, 2023** with a grade of "C" or higher:

Course	Course Name	Credit	Grade
<b>PSYC 1101</b>	Introduction to Psychology	3	

**Course Attempts and Point Calculations:**

Students are allowed two attempts in the Anatomy and Physiology I and Anatomy and Physiology II and/or ALHS 1011 Structure and Function of the Human Body courses that will be awarded as admission points. Should a student attempt these classes more than twice, only the first two attempts will be considered when calculating admission points.

**ATI TEAS:**

Take the ATI TEAS by **Friday, September 1, 2023** and achieve a minimum total adjusted score of **60.00**. A student may take the ATI TEAS (Version 7) two (2) times in a calendar year and must wait a minimum of 30 calendar days in between attempts. The ATI TEAS score is valid for five years and the highest valid score will be used for points.

The ATI TEAS is a standardized test that measures the student's ability in math, reading, grammar and science. A study guide and practice test can be purchased through the [ATI Website](#). The ATI TEAS is available through Chattahoochee Technical College's [Testing Center](#).

**Immunizations:**

Chattahoochee Technical College does not require vaccinations as criteria for admission and enrollment of students; however, immunizations are required for college health programs by our clinical partners. Students may not complete clinical rotations without meeting clinical site immunization requirements. All required vaccinations must be completed prior to starting clinical practice. Students completing internships or practicums in other majors must adhere to all job site vaccination guidelines. Clinical and job site requirements can and do change without notice or input from the College.

**Application Session:**

All students must attend a Virtual Practical Nursing Application Session and complete a program application during Summer 2023 Semester. Applications are only distributed during the application sessions. A schedule of Practical Nursing application sessions will be available during the Summer

Semester 2023 and posted on the Practical Nursing webpage. Late arrivals will not be permitted to enter the session. For more information on the Virtual Application Process, select the School of Nursing Virtual Application Sessions Q & A found on the PN webpage.

**Final Class Selection:**

Final class selection is based upon the total number of **Admission Points**. The students with the highest point value will be accepted into the program.

**Academic Advisement:**

Students should email an Academic Advisor assigned to the Health Sciences programs with questions about admission criteria or to schedule an advisement appointment. For a list of Health Sciences Advisors assigned to Health Sciences visit the [Office of Advisement](#) webpage.