



Student Nursing Entrance Packet

Student Document Checklist

In order to protect students, healthcare providers, and patients, The Institute of Allied Healthcare requires all nursing students, faculty, and staff provide evidence of each item listed below. The following requirements listed are based upon CDC Guidelines for Healthcare Professionals (HCP) and must be in student record to participate in the program. The Institute of Allied Healthcare reserves the right to revoke admission based on adverse criminal background and or drug screening.

- Current Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers from American Heart Association.
 Students are responsible for keeping certification current throughout the course. Certified instructors are on site and can be scheduled prior to enrollment.
- Criminal Background Screening. All students must consent to a criminal background screening and release to the school documentation of the background screening results from an authorized provider. In addition, students are also required to submit a copy of their blue card from the Texas Board of Nursing upon receipt.
- Physical Examination. All students must provide a completed physical examination form as verification of a physical examination performed by and signed by a licensed primary care provider. The Institute of Allied Healthcare will accept physical examinations performed 6 months prior to admission.
- Health Insurance. Students are required to provide evidence of student nursing insurance
- Orug Screening. All enrolled students must agree to drug screening as a condition of enrollment. While enrolled, students may be subject to drug screening requirements based on clinical affiliation agency policy. When drug screening is required, the student will be notified by the Nursing Program Director and will be given instructions on how to complete screening requirements.



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Vaccinations and Immunizations

Students must provide evidence of each of the following vaccinations or immunizations. If medical conditions prohibit a student from meeting these requirements, the student will be required to provide an explanation from a licensed primary care provider and additional paperwork may be required.

MMR-Mumps, Measles, Rubella

Evidence of a two-dose MMR vaccine series administered at least 28 days apart **OR**

laboratory evidence of immunization (not required for students born prior to 1957)

Hepatitis B

Evidence of a three-dose HepB vaccine series

OR

evidence of a two-dose HEPLISAV-B vaccine series

OR

Laboratory evidence of immunization

o TDaP-Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis

Evidence of a single-dose TDaP

OR

Evidence of a single-dose TD accompanied by proof of previous TDaP

TB-Tuberculosis (Annually)

Evidence of series of two injections, given one week apart, read 48-72 hours after injection or two consecutive annual TB tests

OR

Evidence of negative blood test completed by either QuantiFERON Gold TB Test or T-Spot

OR

Students with a history of a positive TB skin test must provide evidence of negative TB risk assessment supported by a negative chest X-ray within the past three years

Varicella

Evidence of two-dose varicella vaccine administered at least 28 days apart

OR

Laboratory evidence of immunity

OR

Students with a history of varicella may provide verification by a healthcare provider noting the month and year of the disease

o Influenza (Annually in the fall or as requested by clinical site)





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Evidence of seasonal influenza vaccine

o COVID-19

Evidence of full vaccination. To be considered fully vaccinated, you must receive both doses of the Pfizer or Moderna Vaccine

OR

The single dose of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Students will be notified of all updates and approved vaccines as recommended by the CDC Guidelines for Healthcare Professionals (HCP).

Additional Clinical Requirements

Clinical sites may require students to provide evidence of immunity or proof of vaccination against other communicable diseases. Students assigned to such site will be required to provide evidence of compliance with all requirements.