



PN Information Sheet – Natchez Campus

PN Selection Process-Natchez Campus

Steps 1-6 will be used in the PN selection process for the Natchez Campus.

APPLY TO COPIAH-LINCOLN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

- 1. Complete Copenh-Lincoln Community College official application
- 2. Must have an accredited high school diploma or its equivalent
- 3. Must have on file at the Natchez campus: an official high school transcript from an accredited high school showing graduation or satisfactory scores on the high school equivalency exam, and transcript(s) from previous college(s) attended. Send to:

Copenh-Lincoln Community College
Director of Admissions
 Natchez Campus
 11 Co-Lin Circle
 Natchez, MS 39120

PN SELECTION PROCESS REQUIREMENTS

- 4. Have on file with Co-Lin an ACT score of 16 or above and math and reading minimum score of 12
- 5. Register for the PN program and *PN ATI TEAS®* at Copenh-Lincoln Community College. **Applicant must meet ACT requirement prior to registering for test.** (See back for registration dates)
- 6. Take the *PN ATI TEAS®* exam at Copenh-Lincoln Community College

(Testing Cost: \$70) See back for testing dates.

AFTER ACCEPTANCE INTO THE PROGRAM

- 7. Attend mandatory practical nursing orientation
- 8. Submit Health Occupations application
- 9. Participate in drug and alcohol testing and a criminal history background check
- 10. Submit Health Form signed by a physician

*Please note: If you fail to meet any of the deadlines, you will not be considered for entrance into the program.

2024-25 TIMELINE PN CLASS

| Action | Deadline For January 2024 (NATCHEZ CAMPUS) |
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| Complete steps 1-4 | September 6, 2024 |
| Register for the PN Program & ATI TEAS® Step 5 | September 12, 2024 Natchez Campus |
| Take the ATI TEAS® Step 6 | September 18 & 19 Natchez Campus |
| Notification of PN Selection | September 30, 2024 |
| If selected, Attend Mandatory Orientation/Pre-registration Step 6 | Date Published in Acceptance Letter |
| Complete steps 8-10 | Date Published in Acceptance Letter |

FAQs

What if I don't meet the minimum ACT score or have never taken the ACT?

Your first step is to register to take the ACT. For more information or to register, please call the Copiah-Lincoln Community College Counseling Center at: Natchez: 601-442-1900

What is the ATI TEAS® exam?

The Assessment Technologies Institute TEAS® exam is a computerized test specifically designed to assist in the selection of practical nursing students. It is an excellent indicator to assess if the student is academically prepared for the practical nursing program.

When and where can I take the ATI TEAS®?

The exam will be administered on the Copiah-Lincoln Community College Natchez campus listed below. The approximate time for the examination is 3 ½ hours.

Natchez Campus (Jan. 2025 class):
REDD Watkins Career Technical Building
Room 207
September 18, 2024
8 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
12 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
September 19, 2024
8 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

How do I register for the ATI TEAS® exam?

The Natchez campus will have a test registration date. The cost of the exam is \$70. Cash or checks made payable to Co-Lin are the only acceptable forms of payment. **You must bring a picture I.D. to register and to take the test.**

Natchez Campus (Jan. 2025 class):
REDD Watkins Career Technical Building
Room 207
September 12, 2024 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

How do I prepare for the ATI TEAS® exam and when will I get my results?

You can purchase an ATI TEAS basic study package at www.atitesting.com for the cost of \$90. Also available on this site, you can purchase the TEAS® Online Practice Assessments Form A and Form B for the cost of \$80. Or you can purchase the comprehensive study package which includes: practice assessments A and B, study manual and smart prep tutorial for \$249. Your ATI TEAS® results will be available to you on your testing date.

What if I've already taken the ATI TEAS® exam?

If you have taken the ATI TEAS® Exam and would like to use those scores, please login to ATI @ www.atitesting.com to retrieve your scores and bring them with you the day of registration. Copiah-Lincoln Community College will accept scores taken within the last 3 years from current testing date.

When will I be notified if I've been selected as a PN student?

Please see timeline on Page 1.

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Questions, complaints, or requests in regard to Title IX directives should be made to Dr. Tiffany Perryman, Director of Institutional Effectiveness & Title IX Coordinator, Ewing Administration Building, 1001 Co-Lin Lane, Wesson, MS 39191, tiffany.perryman@colin.edu, 601.643.8411.

Questions, complaints, or requests in regard to Section 504 directives should be made to:

Section 504 Coordinator for Wesson Campus,
Amber Bowman ... (601) 643-8342
Henley Building, Lester R. Furr Dr.,
Wesson, MS 39191

Section 504 Coordinator for Natchez
Campus, Rukia Abston ... (601) 446-1225
Redd Watkins CTE Building, 30 Campus
Drive, Natchez, MS 39120

Section 504 Coordinator for Simpson Center,
Greshka Stuart ... (601) 849-0121
Sidney Parker Academic Building, 151 Co-Lin Dr.,
Mendenhall, MS 39114