# Nursing Associate Degree Admissions Guide

The Nursing Associate Degree prepares you to successfully pass the Registered Nurse (RN) NCLEX Exam. There are several steps required for admission, it is important to get started on them right away. Below is the recommended order:

ITEM	COMPLETED
Apply to the Nursing Associate Degree Pre-Program Choose either the full OR part time option and location <u>nwtc.edu/Apply</u>	
Send high school AND college transcripts (if applicable) to transcripts@nwtc.edu	
<b>Complete Assessment**</b> ( <i>If Applicable</i> ) The assessment may be waived if your high school or college GPA is 3.0 or higher; or if you have already taken the ACT or Accuplacer. It is important that all transcripts are sent (for review) to determine if the assessment is needed.**	
<b>Complete DHS Nursing Assistant</b> ( <i>NWTC Catalog #30543300</i> ) Submit certificate or transcript to <u>admissions@nwtc.edu</u>	
<b>Complete Chemistry</b> ( <i>NWTC Catalog #10806134</i> ) Chemistry is waived if you have completed two semesters of high school chemistry with a C or better or college chemistry with a C or better	
<b>Complete Intro to Biochemistry</b> (NWTC Catalog #10806186) A Grade of "B" or higher required	
<b>Submit Background Check/Health Records</b> When the above steps are completed (or you have started Intro to Biochemistry), visit <u>www.nwtc.edu/cbc</u> to create a CastleBranch account. After you create your account, complete your background check and upload your immunization records.	

Failure to complete on time could delay your enrollment.

\*\* The below scores determine placement in courses. It is important to work with an academic advisor to discuss which additional courses are required. Call 920-498-5444 to schedule an appointment!

Exam Name	Math	Reading	English	Elementary Algebra
ACT	18	21	21	21
Accuplacer	263	263	263	263
Accuplacer (Old)	80	90	95	65
TABE 9/10	12.8	12.6	12.8	
TABE 11/12	800	800	800	
COMPASS	50	87	91	47

View your application checklist and progress anytime at <u>nwtc.edu/mynwtc!</u> Navigate to "Admissions" and select "Application Checklist". Need Help? Contact us at 920-498-5444 or <u>start@nwtc.edu</u>



The Nursing Associate Degree has a limited capacity. Once it fills to capacity, students will be offered a place on a waiting list based on their eligibility date. Once all items on page 1 have been completed, you will be able to accept your position on the waitlist. Wait times change often due to fluctuations in student interest. While waiting you can complete the following courses:

Course Name (CATALOG NUMBER)	Credits	Pre-requisite	Completed/ Semester
College 101 (10890101)	1		
English Comp 1 (10801136)	3		
<b>Gen Anatomy &amp; Physiology</b> (10806177) Grade of B or higher	4	Chemistry (10806134)	
Developmental Psychology (10809188)	3		
Oral/Interpersonal Comm (10801196)	3		
<b>Adv Anatomy &amp; Physiology</b> (10806179) <i>Grade of B or higher</i>	4	General Anatomy & Physiology (10806177)	
Microbiology (10806197) Grade of B or higher	4	General Anatomy & Physiology (10806177)	
Intro to Psychology (10809198)	3		
Intro to Sociology (10809196)	3		

## FAQs

### Q. How long is the wait list ?

**A.** Wait times vary due to fluctuations in student interest. You will accept your position on the wait list WHEN all admissions items are completed. Wait times can be greater than 6 Months. If you have completed all admissions items contact admissions@nwtc.edu for your tentative start time.

#### Q. What if I have transfer credits?

**A.** A transfer review is automatically completed AFTER you have applied AND submitted your transcripts. If you had fewer then 60 college credits at a C or higher, you must also send your high school transcripts. It can take up to 2 weeks for transfer credits to be processed. If you have completed Nursing CORE courses at another college, you must be in good standing and core courses are reviewed for approval by the health division.

#### Q. What if I don't have a 3.0 GPA or my assessment scores are not high enough?

**A.** It is common for students to take developmental courses to ensure their success at NWTC. Your first step is to apply and send your transcripts. Once your transcripts are processed, you may need additional testing to help determine which courses to start with!

#### Q. How flexible is the schedule?

**A.** NWTC offers a part time Nursing track at the Green Bay Campus. Due to in person clinicals and labs, you can expect 2-3 evenings/week in person. Some clinicals may begin as early as 2-3:30pm. The part time track takes 3 years to complete.