

## Standard College Healthcare College of Nursing

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# INFORMATION BROCHURE

## ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN NURSING (A.A.S.N)

### MISSION STATEMENT

Standard College of Nursing is a student-centered institution that provides high quality and dynamic nursing education to its students in preparation for licensure as professional/vocational nurses and entry into the field of nursing, as well as provide them with the foundation needed to further their long-term educational and professional goals. Our core mission is to support and inspire our students to achieve excellence in nursing by being innovative, exhibiting a spirit of inquiry, and seeking continuous quality/performance improvement. We aim to inculcate professionalism, caring, and the pursuit of knowledge as a lifelong enterprise, in a culturally diverse and supportive learning environment.

### SCHEDULES

#### Spring Class Schedule:

Wednesdays: 5:00 pm -10:00 pm, Saturdays: 8:00 am – 1:00 pm, Sundays: 4:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### Fall Class Schedule:

Tuesdays and Thursdays: 5:00 pm -10:00 pm, Saturdays: 8:00 am –1:00 pm

#### Summer Class Schedule:

Mondays and Thursdays: 5:00 pm – 10:00pm, Sundays: 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm

To apply to the Program, click on the link [here](#).

The Admission Office can be reached with any questions at [nstandardcollege.edu](http://nstandardcollege.edu).

## ADMISSION PROCESS

To be considered for admission to LPN to RN Transition Program, applicants must meet the following requirements by the program deadline. There are two phases in the admission process.

### PHASE I

1. Attend the Information Session

2. Take the HESI LPN to ADN Entrance exam and achieve a score of “750” or higher.

The HESI LPN to ADN entrance exam is a nursing exam for Licensed Practical nurses seeking entrance into the LPN to RN Transition program. Students are given up to 2 hours and 15 minutes to take the Exam.

Study Materials include the NCLEX PN book or PN Course Textbooks. Exam content areas include Fundamentals, Pediatric Nursing, Maternity, Professional Issues, Medical- Surgical, Psychiatric/Mental Illness. **The cost of the exam is \$62.00**

[Click Here to register to take the HESI LPN to ADN entrance exam at Standard College.](#)

3. Submit an Online Application with 3 references, along with the non-refundable application fee of \$100.00.

The references must be one supervisory work reference and two character references. No reference may be related to the applicant.

4. Submit the required official transcripts: College prerequisite courses and high school graduation

#### High School Transcript

The student must provide an official High School Transcript or GED transcript. High school diplomas/transcript from other countries are acceptable toward the student eligibility high school requirement, as long as it is equivalent to a U.S high school diploma as determined by a Standard College recognized evaluation agency.

**College Prerequisite Courses.** The seven (7) required prerequisite courses consist of the courses listed below:

1. Anatomy & Physiology I
2. Anatomy & Physiology II
3. Microbiology
4. Introduction to Psychology
5. College Mathematics
6. College English Composition
7. Speech/Public Speaking/Communication

Students must achieve a grade of “C” or better in each course. The courses must be at least 3 credits and from an Institution of Higher Learning accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.

5. Submit copy of LPN License. The applicant must be a LPN with a current license in good standing and qualified to practice in Virginia.

6. Attend an Interview.

Following receipt and review of all required documentation within the established timeframe, the applicant will be notified in writing of the admission decision. Applicants provisionally accepted to the program move on to Phase II.

### PHASE II

1. Successfully complete the Fundamental Skills and Concepts Validation Course with a grade of 79.50% or better.

2. Complete a Criminal Background Check and Drug Test for purposes of participating in the Clinical placement.

3. Complete and submit Physical Exam, required immunizations, and TB testing.

4. Submit American Heart BLS CPR certificate.

5. Timely finalizing the registration process by submitting the required financial documents and tuition payments.

Comprehensive information on the LPN to RN Transition Program requirements can be found in the [Student Catalog](#).



The LPN to RN Transition Program consists of four terms. Students take one course at a time and must pass each course in order to proceed to the next course. A student passes a course with a grade of 79.5% or higher. Students receive an Associate's Degree upon graduating from the program.

Standard College utilizes a blended learning environment. Course lectures in the LPN to RN Transition Program are held online. Students come to campus to participate in the Skills Lab and to take select exams. Students complete the clinical practicum onsite at a healthcare facility located in Virginia or Washington, D. C. Students must have regular access to a computer with a camera and internet access in order to successfully participate in the program.

### CLINICAL SCHEDULE

Due to the competitive nature of clinical placement, clinical sessions may be held on weekdays, weekends, and evenings. Clinical assignments are based on clinical agency availability as determined by the agency. Students must be flexible regarding clinical schedule.

### COVID-19 Vaccine Policy

To participate onsite at the clinical facilities, students must be vaccinated against COVID-19. Information on Standard College's COVID-19 Vaccine Policy can be found [here](#).

### RECOMMENDED STUDY TIME

A basic rule for any degree is to spend the same number of hours studying per week as you are in class. Since you will be taking 16 hours of classes each week, you should be studying 16 hours per week at a minimum. Depending on the difficulty level of the course, may need to study more than 16 hours weekly.

### TUITION AND FEES

**FUNDAMENTAL VALIDATION COURSE:** \$1,295.00

**PROGRAM COST:** \$31,123.50

The total program cost covers tuition, fees, and E-books. A flexible payment plan is available for tuition and school fees.

### FINANCIAL AID

To use financial aid, submit the FAFSA application by the program deadline. Go to [www.studentaid.gov](http://www.studentaid.gov). Standard College's School Code is 042210. You are welcome to contact the Financial Aid Office at [financialaid@standardcollege.edu](mailto:financialaid@standardcollege.edu).

Financial aid does not cover the Validation course. **All applicants pay for the Validation course out-of-pocket.**

**NCLEX PASS RATES:** Standard College NCLEX rates can be found at <https://standardcollege.edu/nclex-rates>

Standard College offers educational programs. Completion of a program does not guarantee job placement or employment upon graduation.

The information in the Brochure is provided as a general guide for prospective students and is subject to change without prior notice. Applicants are encouraged to visit the College's website for the most current program requirements and updates.



## APPROVALS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND ACCREDITATIONS

Standard College is institutionally accredited by the Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools (ABHES)  
6116 Executive Blvd., Suite 730  
North Bethesda, MD 20852  
Phone: (301) 291-7550  
<https://www.abhes.org>

STANDARD COLLEGE Nursing Programs are approved by the Virginia Board of Nursing (VBON)  
Virginia Board of Nursing 9960 Maryland Dr., #300  
Richmond, VA 23233  
Tel: (804) 367-4515  
<https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/Nursing/>

STANDARD COLLEGE is Certified to Operate by the State Council for Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV):  
James Monroe Building, 9th Floor 101 North 14th Street  
Richmond, VA 23219  
Phone: (804) 225-2600, Fax: (804) 225-2604  
<https://www.schev.edu>

The Associate Nursing Program at Standard Healthcare Services College of Nursing is accredited by the:  
Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)  
3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400  
Atlanta, GA 30326  
(404) 975-5000  
<https://www.acenursing.org/>

The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the Associate Nursing Program is Initial Accreditation. View the public information disclosed by ACEN regarding this program on the ACEN website.

NC-SARA Approved Institution  
Standard College has been approved to participate in the National Council for State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements.  
3005 Center Green Drive, Suite 130, Boulder, Colorado, 80301  
(720) 680-1600  
<https://nc-sara.org>