Information - Advising Session

What do I need to gain admission to the Nursing Program at NYCCT?
Is Nursing For Me?

- A service profession that requires educational breadth and depth in the sciences, psychology and humanities
- It requires a love of serving and healing people.
- It will take a significant commitment to complete classroom and clinical experience.
General Requirements

- Residency
- Registration as a student at City Tech
- Required Courses
- Required GPA
- Required pre-admission exam
- Application and transcripts
Residency Requirements

You are responsible for making sure that you have LEGAL residential status in the United States.

This will be validated by the residency office of CUNY.

ALSO NOTE THAT A FELONY CONVICTION MAY NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR A RN LICENSE IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK.
Required courses

- English 1101
- Psych 1101
- Math 1275 or a higher course
- BIO 2311

Of the above ONLY one course with a higher grade may be substituted.

These above courses MUST be completed before admission.
Registration as a Student

- You will need to be registered as a matriculated student in the semester that you are applying.
- You must be taking at least one course and have declared a major.
- Summer semester DOES not count.
GPA scores

- At minimum a 2.5 GPA is required
- We begin to admit applicants with the highest GPA and work down from there, e.g., 4.0.
- We rarely get below 3.3 GPA
The pre-admission exam link and schedule is posted on the nursing site.

You must achieve passing scores on **Reading - 72, English - 60, Math - 63.3, and Science 45.8.**

There will be a fee for the exam.

There are books to assist your preparation for the exam. The library also has copies of the preparation book on reserve.

The pre-admission exam is good for one year.
Application and transcripts

- **Once of you have:**
  - Achieved a satisfactory GPA and
  - Attained a passing score on all four domains of the pre-admission test

*You should THEN:*

- Download the APPLICATION FROM NURSING WEBSITE AND submit your application WITH
  - CUNY ASSESSMENT SCORES FROM NAMM 101
  - Copies of ALL transcripts (INCLUDING CITYTECH)
  - TEAS exam score Reading - 72, Math – 63.3, English - 60, & Science – 45.8,

THE ABOVE ARE SUMBitted TO The Nursing Office. Pearl 505
From Monday MARCH 25, 2013 to Friday APRIL 12, 2013.

** Please get a copy of your student transcript before March, 25, 2013 to submit with your application. After March 25, 2013 you will not be able to access e-Sims prior to application submission deadline date.**

**YOU SHOULD NOT APPLY IF YOU DO NOT MEET THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS.**
How do I find out about the pre-admit exam?

- There is information on the Nursing Department website regarding the exam, e.g., where and how to register.
Is my overall GPA or GPA on the four pre-reqs most important?

- The admission committee **first** reviews the pre-requisite courses GPA however your overall GPA is also important.
Can I repeat courses to improve my GPA?

- A grade of D is not acceptable for admission to the nursing program.
- You may repeat **ONE** course HOWEVER that course will be used as a substitute course.
- Only one substitute course is allowed.
What about transfer courses?

- The City Tech Nursing Program accepts course work from other colleges.
- Sciences courses must have been taken in the last 5 years.
- The college decides which courses are equivalent.
- Your transcript will show whether you course has been accepted as equivalent.
If I was previously accepted to the program, do I need to re-apply?

- Yes, you must re-submit your application as well as re-take the pre-admission exam in the semester you are applying.
If I was already in another nursing program

- We will consider students who have been previously enrolled in other nursing programs. But will **not** transfer nursing courses from other nursing programs.
Are there courses I should take while waiting to apply?

- You may refer to the catalogue/student handbook for the required course work.
- You may take general course requirements but NO one may take nursing courses unless you are enrolled in the nursing program.
- You will also need to pay attention as to whether taking fewer courses while in the nursing program will jeopardize your student aide.
Once I apply, how will I know if I am accepted?

- You will be notified in writing at least two weeks after the semester has ended for the following semester of enrollment.
More questions....

- If you have further questions, you may.....