### Nursing Entrance Exam Preparation

Admission to the Nursing program depends, in part, on how well you do on the preadmission testing exam. Pre-admission testing must be completed at Yavapai College and is offered once a semester.

Test scores from other schools are not accepted. Students may take the test only once during each application cycle. Test scores are good for two consecutive application cycles (students may use the current test score that is the highest).

The program recommends that you give yourself at least six weeks to prepare before taking the ATI **TEAS** or NLN **NACE FON** v1.2 exam. Exam score must be submitted with the nursing application.

### Traditional AAS applicants: ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) Exam

The ATI TEAS cumulative report results are to include student name, testing location, the cumulative score and scores from each of the following categories: Reading, English and Language usage, Math and Science. A minimum cumulative score of **60.0%** is required for application submission. Make sure you are well prepared to do your best! ATI TEAS scores account for 50% of your admission "score" according to the selection criteria.

# LPN-RN AP applicants (only): NLN Nursing Acceleration Challenge Exam (NACE) Foundations of Nursing (FON) v1.2

LPN-RN AP applicants must complete the NLN Accelerated Challenge Exam Foundations of Nursing (NACE-FON v1.2). This exam measures the PN/VN applicant's foundational nursing knowledge, skills, and abilities. Payment for the NACE-FON v1.2 exam can be made directly to NLN **AFTER** scheduling your exam through Yavapai College (more information available on the <u>Testing Services website</u>).

The NLN NACE-FON v1.2 cumulative report results must include the student's name, testing site (participant group), the cumulative score, and scores from the following categories: Assessment, Evaluation, Implementation, and Planning. A minimum cumulative score of 68% is required for application submission. LPN-RN AP applicants must also register to take a dosage calculation competency.

LPN – RN AP applicants must also complete a dosage calculation exam with a score of 95% or higher to apply for advanced placement. If an applicant scores less than 95%, a second attempt is permitted. Follow-up testing is set up through the Testing Center. Study Guides are available.



## In order to make sure you are well prepared, these resources can help you prepare for the ATI TEAS or NLN NACE-FON exam

- NurseHub ATI TEAS resources png
- Study guides by Mometrix
- NACE exam preparation pdf

#### Registration is through the YC Testing Services website

Please refer to the testing center for nursing program admission testing for available dates and payment options:

Testing Center Academic Assessments

YC Learning Center TEAS Study Group information: 928.776.2085 prescottlearningcenter@yc.edu.