

Cleveland Community College Bridge to Professional Advancement in Nursing Partnership with Gardner-Webb University

The Cleveland Community College (CCC) Bridge to Professional Advancement in Nursing Partnership with Gardner-Webb University provides a seamless ASN-to-MSN pathway for CCC nursing students. This agreement offers two pathways for students:

Pathway 1:

Students who are accepted into CCC's PN program are dually accepted into the Advanced Placement LPN option in the Hunt School of Nursing ASN program at Gardner-Webb with a seamless pathway to the Davis RN-to-BSN program and Master of Science in Nursing (Education/Administration) programs.

By collaborative agreement between Cleveland Community College (CCC) and Gardner-Webb University, CCC students in the LPN program are automatically accepted into the Hunt School of Nursing's Advanced Placement LPN option (within the ASN program), conditional upon the following:

- Minimum GPA of 2.85 on a 4.0 scale. Students with 60 or more college credit hours will only have their last 60 hours of GPA calculated for admissions. Students with less than 60 will have their cumulative GPA evaluated for admission,
- TEAS (most recent version) overall score of 65 at minimum. Scores must be within the last two years. Only three attempts are allowed in a 12-month period. **Students with an earned bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited college or university are not required to submit test scores.*
- Completion of Biology, Chemistry, and Algebra with a minimum of "C" in high school or college. These grades must be reflected in the transcripts the applicant provides with the application. The most recent course attempt will be evaluated.
- Satisfactory criminal background check
- Satisfactory health/physical report signed by a healthcare provider.
- BLS CPR Certification for Healthcare Providers through American Heart Association
- Immunizations required by the University,
- Holding an unrestricted practical nursing license,
- Successful completion of Human Anatomy & Physiology I (BIO 203), Human Anatomy & Physiology II (BIO 204), and General Psychology (PSY 201), and
- Request a final, official transcript be sent from all prior colleges to Gardner-Webb University Undergraduate Admissions, P.O. Box 817, Boiling Springs, NC 28017.

Upon receipt of these documents, an enrollment representative from Gardner-Webb will contact the student to assist with registration for classes.

Upon successful completion of the ASN program, students may be seamlessly admitted into Davis RN-to-BSN program.

Pathway 2:

Students who are accepted into CCC's ADN program are dually accepted into the Davis RN-to-BSN program in the Hunt School of Nursing at Gardner-Webb with a seamless pathway to the Master of Science in Nursing (Education/Administration).

By collaborative agreement between Cleveland Community College (CCC) and Gardner-Webb University, CCC students in the ADN program are automatically accepted into the Hunt School of Nursing's Davis RN-BSN program, conditional upon the following:

- Minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. Students with 60 or more college credit hours will only have their last 60 hours of GPA calculated for admissions. Students with less than 60 will have their cumulative GPA evaluated for admission,
- Immunizations required by the University,
- Satisfactory Criminal Background Check,
- Holding an unrestricted nursing license, and
- Request a final, official transcript be sent from all prior colleges to Gardner-Webb University Degree Completion Program, P.O. Box 1896, Boiling Springs, NC 28017.

Upon receipt of these documents, an enrollment representative from Gardner-Webb will contact the student to assist with registration for classes.

Upon successful completion of the Davis RN-to-BSN program and meeting the following requirements, students will be seamlessly enrolled in the MSN (Education/Administration) Program.

- GPA of 2.70 on all undergraduate work OR GPA of 2.7 for last 60 hours of undergraduate or graduate work Completion of (1) NURS 500 *Theoretical Basis for Advanced Practice*; (2) NURS 501 *Nursing and Healthcare Systems and Issues*; and (3) Statistics class, and
- Maintaining good academic standing in the Bridge to Professional Advancement in Nursing program. *Note: Students who delay enrollment beyond one year must submit a new application to the MSN program for consideration.*

Hunt School of Nursing Programs

- Associate of Science in Nursing
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Davis RN-to-BSN
- Master of Science in Nursing (Administration, Education)
- Post-master's certificate, Nursing Administration
- Post-master's certificate, Nursing Education
- Doctor of Nursing Practice, Leadership
- Doctor of Nursing Practice, Family Nurse Practitioner
- Doctor of Nursing Practice, Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner