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## **LPN ACCELERATED TRACK FOR ADN APPLICATION PACKET**

The information in this packet allows you to apply for the LPN Accelerated Track for ADN Program at Mississippi Delta Community College. Additional information about this program and other Health Science Programs can be obtained from the MDCC Website at [www.msdelta.edu](http://www.msdelta.edu).

**Please note that the application deadline for this program is March 1, 2023.** This means all application materials (application, transcripts, ACT scores, and TEAS test scores) must be received and on file by that date. Students are encouraged to submit all application material well in advance of the deadline. Turning in an application on the last day may result in the application being incomplete. **Incomplete applications will NOT be reviewed for admission into the program.**

The Associate Degree Nursing Program at Mississippi Delta Community College is accredited by the Mississippi Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning (IHL) and the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). Information regarding accreditation status can be directed to ACEN, 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400, Atlanta, GA 30326, telephone (404) 975-5002.

### **MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR LPN ACCELERATED TRACK FOR ADN:**

Applicants must:

- meet all general admission requirements for MDCC.
- be a high school graduate or have a satisfactory High School Equivalency score (GED or HiSET).
- have a minimum ACT score of 18 if entering college for the first time OR a minimum ACT score of 16 to 17 and have completed at least 12 semester hours with a 2.5 GPA or better on courses that are approved by the college.
- take the TEAS entrance test at the applicant's own expense. Must be taken within 18 months of application deadline. Can only be taken 2 times 45 days apart during the application year if you submit testing taken at any other time the score will not be accepted.
- have a current, unencumbered license as an LPN in the state of **Mississippi**.
- An LPN is eligible to apply for the Accelerated Track if the LPN:
  - has satisfactorily completed all non-nursing science courses up to the sophomore year, and have no more than 9 hours of non-nursing courses to complete.
  - was a generic student who was unsuccessful in completing NUR 1119, and later became an LPN.
- An LPN is **ineligible** to apply for the Accelerated Track if the LPN was unsuccessful in completing NUR 1119 as a generic student after becoming an LPN.

### **DIRECTIONS TO APPLY:**

**1. Mail all application documents to:**

Emily Lewis  
Associate Degree Nursing Program  
Mississippi Delta Community College  
P O Box 668  
Moorhead, MS 38761

- 2. ALL Applicants must **FIRST** log on to the MDCC website at [www.msdelta.edu](http://www.msdelta.edu) to submit an online application for admission/readmission to the school. Please click the **APPLY** button on the home page of the website and**

complete all required fields. No applicant will be considered for admission into a health science program without first applying to MDCC. You may receive future correspondence from the Office of Admissions regarding your admissions status to MDCC.

- a. If you attended MDCC previously, but are not currently enrolled, you will need to complete this step first.
- b. **If you are currently enrolled at MDCC, you DO NOT need to do this step.**
3. E-Script or mail OFFICIAL transcripts to the MDCC Office of Admission. **All transcripts must be on file by March 1, 2023.**
4. **Submit ACT scores with the ADN Application Packet.** (*\*NOTE\* ACT scores are NOT recorded on transcripts from colleges or universities. It is the student's responsibility to submit these scores*)
5. Complete the attached "Application for Associate Degree Nursing Program". Fill out ALL information. Do not leave any question blank.
6. If previously enrolled in a school of nursing, you must submit a letter requesting readmission or transfer according to the policy on readmission and transfer. This letter must accompany the application materials in order to be considered complete.
7. **Register to take the TEAS entrance test.** The cost of the TEAS is \$115.00 remote and \$105.00 in person. All payments will be through ATI for both options. ATI will only take payment by debit or credit card at the time you register. You must register for this test online at [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com) (instructions are found on the last page of this application). The TEAS test must be taken within 18 months of application deadline. Can only be taken 2 times 45 days apart during the application year. If you submit test scores taken at any other time the score will not be accepted. Must be taken prior to April 1st AND must be sent to us directly from ATI, not the student.
8. Complete the attached "Autobiographical Information Form".
9. **LPNs who meet the admission criteria for the LPN Accelerated Track and wish to apply should complete the designated section on the Application for the Associate Degree Nursing Program.**
10. It is the applicant's responsibility to verify that all necessary information has been received. This may be done via email at [adn@msdelta.edu](mailto:adn@msdelta.edu). If all information is not received by the deadline, the applicant will not be considered for admission into the program.
11. All applicants will be notified by letter of conditional acceptance or non-acceptance by the middle of May. Letters of conditional acceptance will include information regarding a required orientation in late May. **NO INFORMATION WILL BE GIVEN REGARDING ACCEPTANCE OR NON-ACCEPTANCE VIA PHONE.**

#### **SELECTION PROCESS:**

No applicant will be considered unless the minimum admission requirements are met. Admission requirements are evaluated by the use of a rating scale (see sample rating scale attached), which includes ACT scores, GPA, entrance test scores, previous degrees awarded, health care background/experience, writing skills, and performance on core courses. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission into the program. The number of applicants accepted is limited due to the nature of the program.

All applicants will be notified by letter of their conditional acceptance or non-acceptance into the program. If an applicant is selected for the program, they will receive a conditional acceptance letter with specific instructions regarding all requirements that must be completed prior to May admission. These requirements are listed below:

- No more than 9 hours of other non-nursing courses to complete.
- Have a current AHA-BLS Providers CPR card.
- Satisfactory criminal background check performed by our office
- Acceptable pre-admission drug screen performed by our office
- Health Exam form completed and signed by a licensed health care provider
- A 2-step TB skin test is required for all new entering students. The 2<sup>nd</sup> step must be completed within 21 days of 1<sup>st</sup> step.
  - The exception is if a returning student has had a negative TB skin test within the last 12 months. This student will only require a 1-step TB skin test.
- A stamped/signed Form 121 Immunization Record must be submitted. Immunizations required include:

- Tdap booster within the last 10 years
- Series of 3 Hepatitis B vaccinations
- Series of 2 MMR vaccinations
- Proof of Varicella immunity (either by series of 2 Varicella vaccinations OR Positive Varicella Titer)
- Flu vaccination (given during flu season before October 1<sup>st</sup>)

#### **COVID Vaccination**

**Please note, the majority of our hospitals and clinical affiliates are now mandating COVID vaccinations of all employees and students who participate in clinical. Several of our clinical affiliates will not allow unvaccinated students in their facilities. Therefore, unvaccinated students will not be able to complete the clinical course requirements. No accommodations will be made to ensure a student obtains rotations through selective clinical affiliations due to unvaccinated status. MDCC will follow clinical affiliations' guidelines as it applies to vaccination exemptions.**

2023-2024



## The First Step to Apply for the Associate Degree Nursing Program is to Apply to MDCC!

Please follow the instructions below to apply!

1. Scan the QR code below or visit [www.apply.msdelta.edu](http://www.apply.msdelta.edu).
2. Complete the Online application.
3. Important information will be sent to you by email, **please provide a current email address.**
4. Provide official transcripts from High School and ALL Colleges attended.
5. Once all documentation has been received, you will be a member of the Trojan Family!



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**MISSISSIPPI DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
DIVISION OF HEALTH SCIENCES**

**APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM ACCELERATED TRACK**

**DIRECTIONS:** Complete all of the following applicable information. Your application will be considered incomplete if blanks are left.

<b>Legal Name:</b> _____				
	Last	First	MI	(Previous Names)
<b>MAILING Address:</b> _____				
	Street Name or PO Box	City	State	Zip
<b>SSN:</b> _____	<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____	<b>Age*:</b> _____	<b>Gender*:</b> _____	<b>Race*:</b> _____
<small>(*Optional – Data is used for statistical purposes only)</small>				
<b>Cell Phone:</b> _____			<b>Home Phone:</b> _____	
<b>Email Address:</b> _____				

<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>1.</b> Have you taken the ACT? If yes, what is your score? _____ Year Taken? _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>2.</b> Do you plan to retake the ACT? If yes, when? _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>3.</b> Have you ever attended Mississippi Delta Community College? If yes, are you currently enrolled? _____
<b><u>List ALL College(s)/Institutions Previously or Presently Attended. Include any attendance at MDCC.</u></b> <i>* Any schools not listed by applicant will be deemed fraudulent*</i>		
_____		
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>4.</b> Have you ever attended a program for nursing? If yes, where? _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>5.</b> Have you ever attended another Health Science Program? If yes, which one and where? _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>6.</b> Do you plan to apply to another Health Science Program this year? If yes, which one(s) and college? _____ If accepted, which is your 1 <sup>st</sup> choice: _____ 2 <sup>nd</sup> choice: _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>7.</b> Do you plan to apply to another school of nursing this year? If yes, where? _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>8.</b> Have you ever been employed in a health care setting? If yes, please explain. _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>9.</b> Have you ever been convicted of, plead guilty or no contest to any charge(s), or are charges pending against you for a felony or misdemeanor, other than minor traffic violations, in any state or jurisdiction? If yes, please explain: _____
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>10.</b> Have you ever been convicted of a felony, or plead guilty or no contest to a felony of possession or sale of drugs, murder, manslaughter, armed robbery, rape, sexual battery, sex offense, listed in Section 45-33-23(h), child abuse, arson, grand larceny, burglary, gratification of lust or aggravated assault, or felonious abuse and/or battery of a vulnerable adult? If yes, please explain: _____ <i>(Health Care Institutions may, at their discretion, refuse clinical experience. Being unable to attend clinical at some clinical facilities may result in a student's failure to progress in their program of study. Please request a personal appointment if you may have a disqualifying offense.</i>
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>11.</b> Have you ever been denied licensure/certification, had disciplinary action or is action pending against you by a board of nursing or any other regulatory agency or certification organization in any state or jurisdiction? If yes, please explain: _____

<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>12.</b> Do you understand that if accepted into the Associate Degree Nursing Program you will be required to undergo a pre-admission drug screening performed by our office? <i>**See our Substance Use Policy found on our website**</i>
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>13.</b> Do you understand that if accepted into the Associate Degree Nursing Program you will be required to be fingerprinted by our office for a Healthcare Criminal History background check? <i>**See our Background Information Policy found on our website**</i>
<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>14.</b> Do you understand the functional skills/abilities that are considered essential for the practice of nursing listed below? <i>These include: critical thinking, interpersonal skills, verbal and written communication skills, physical mobility, fine motor skills, hearing, vision, and reading competencies. **See our Core Performance Standards for Associate Degree Nursing**</i>

**COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS**

1. The year and school you completed PN training. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Current LPN License – MUST list State and License number.  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Place of employment (present or most recent). \_\_\_\_\_
4. I understand to apply for the LPN Accelerated Track I must meet the minimum requirements as listed in this application.
5. I understand that if I am accepted into the LPN Accelerated Track, I must successfully complete the Summer Accelerated Track Course offered Summer 2023.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

**ALL APPLICANTS SHOULD BE ADVISED OF THE FOLLOWING:**

1. Any statements made on this application which are false and known to be false by the applicant at the time of making such statements, shall be deemed fraudulent and subjects the applicant to disciplinary proceedings.
2. According to the Mississippi Board of Nursing Administrative Code regulating the practice of Nursing in Mississippi, an individual's application to take the licensing exam may be denied. (See Mississippi Practice Law 73-15-29 at [www.msbn.state.ms.us/documents/nursingpracticeact.pdf](http://www.msbn.state.ms.us/documents/nursingpracticeact.pdf))

I certify that the information on this application is true and accurate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*In compliance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 of the Higher Education Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Pregnancy Discrimination Act of 1978 and other applicable Federal and State Acts, Mississippi Delta Community College offers equal education and employment opportunities and does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, pregnancy, or veteran status in its educational programs and activities or in its employment practices. The following have been designated to handle inquiries regarding these policies: EEOC Compliance/Non-Discrimination: Dr. Steven Jones, Vice President of Administrative and Student Services; 662.246.6304 or EEOC@msdelta.edu. Title IX: Nakeshia Fipps, Associate Dean of Student Services, 662.246.6444 or titleIX@msdelta.edu. Disability Support Services: Nakeshia Fipps, Associate Dean of Student Services, 662.246.6444 or ADAcompliance@msdelta.edu. The mailing address for the above-named representatives is P.O. Box 668, Moorhead, MS 38761*

**MISSISSIPPI DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM  
COST ESTIMATE 2023-2024**

**Please Note:**

This estimate of costs is meant to be used only as a guide to students, parents, and sponsors. The figures are based upon previous school year averages and are not binding on the college or the nursing program.

In addition to these estimates, students will incur expenses related to travel necessary for clinical laboratory experiences. All students are responsible for their own transportation to class and healthcare agencies utilized in the program's curriculum. All costs are approximate and subject to change without notice and tax is not included.

**LPN ACCELERATED TRACK**

**Summer Session**

Summer Orientation Fee	\$ 15.00
Drug Screen	80.00
Criminal Background check	60.00
CPR Certification	40.00
Tuition	1,570.00
Technology Fee (\$5 per credit hour)	90.00
Resources	1090.00
Textbooks (nursing)	
Testing	
Electronic Resources	
Uniforms	250.00
Supply Case (Stethoscope, bandages, scissors, 4 color pen, Penlight, and pocket holder)	35.00
Nurse-Pak	100.00
ADN Campus Lab Fee	25.00
Liability Insurance	15.00
Accident Insurance	15.00
Duplication Fee	25.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$3,410.00</b>

**Fall Session**

Tuition	\$1,570.00
Technology Fee (\$5 per credit hour)	65.00
Resources	1090.00
Textbooks (nursing)	
Testing	
Electronic Resources	
Textbooks (Non-Nursing)	225.00
Drug Screen	80.00
ADN Campus Lab Fee	25.00
Field Trips (MSH)	50.00
Course Syllabus	50.00
Nursing Club	40.00
Duplication Fee	25.00
Nurse-Pak (Lab supplies)	100.00
Liability Insurance	15.00
Accident Insurance	15.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,350.00</b>

**Spring Session**

Tuition	\$1,570.00
Technology Fee (\$5 per credit hour)	60.00
Resources	1090.00
Textbooks (nursing)	
Testing	
Electronic Resources	
NCLEX Review Course	
Compass	
Drug Screen	80.00
MDCC Nursing Graduate Pin	185.00
Field Trip (UMMC)	50.00
NCLEX Fees	300.00
Nightingale Lamp	15.00
Course Syllabus	50.00
Nursing Club	40.00
ADN Campus Lab Fee	25.00
MBON Criminal Background Check	75.00
ACLS Course	55.00
Transcript Fee	10.00
Nurse-Pak (lab supplies)	100.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,705.00</b>

**Total for Year \$10,465.00**

**ADDITIONAL COSTS FOR BOARDING STUDENTS:**

Boarding student from supporting counties (includes meal ticket & dorm)	
Each Semester	\$1,800.00
<b>Total Cost per Year</b>	<b>\$3,600.00</b>

## FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES ONLY

*Student does not need to complete and return this form. This form is used for information purposes only so the student knows how students are rated for admission into the program.*

### MISSISSIPPI DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING ACCELERATED TRACK FOR LPNS

#### Sample Rating Scale for Admission

	Score		Point Scale	Points Earned
<b>ACT Score</b>		16-17	½	
		18-21	1	
		22-24	2	
		25or >	3	
<b>Cumulative Grade Point Average</b> (Transcript)				
<b>Grade Point Average in Relevant Course Work Approved by Program</b> (Based on min 12 hours)	*	2.5-2.99	½	
		3.0-3.49	1	
		3.5-3.74	2	
		3.75-4.0	3	
<b>Program Approved Credit Hours</b> Courses with a 'C' or higher	*	12-17	1	
		18-25	2	
		26-35	3	
<b>TEAS Scores</b>				
Individual Total		62.0% or >	1	
Reading		66% or >	1	
Math		65.6% or >	1	
<b>Previous Degree Awarded (Highest)</b>				
Requirements for consideration: Degree/Certificate must be of Science or Healthcare emphasis awarded from an accredited college/university.	Associate	Year:	½	
	Bachelor	Year:	1	
	Masters	Year:	1½	
<b>Health Care Background/Experience</b>				
LPN	Year completed:		1	
<b>Autobiography</b>				
		0-4	0	
		5-8	½	
		9-11	1	
		12	1½	
*Calculate Based On Relevant Courses (see program checklist) + Employer verification letter required			<b>TOTAL SCORE</b>	

#### Autobiography Writing Scoring Rubric

Category	Score
Clear and appropriate topic sentence	
Clear and logical organization	
Sufficient and relevant supporting ideas	
Proficient use of grammar, mechanics, vocabulary	
<b>Total</b>	

Score Key: 1 = unacceptable quality    2 = acceptable quality    3 = exceptional quality

**NOT TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT**



MISSISSIPPI DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM  
**CORE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS**

The following performance standards provide descriptions of basic cognitive, sensory, affective, and psychomotor requirements for successful Associate Degree Nursing Program completion. Applicants and students who cannot meet one or more of the standards will be considered on an individual basis in terms of whether reasonable modification/accommodation can be made. Reasonable accommodations will be examined in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) as well as the Core Performance Standards. In order to successfully complete the Associate Degree Nursing Program, an applicant/student must be able to do the following:

1. **Demonstrate critical thinking sufficient for clinical judgment.** *Examples:*
  - prioritize information and identify cause-effect relationships in the clinical setting
  - analyze assessment findings and use findings to plan and implement care
  - evaluate plan of care and make revisions as appropriate
  - make decisions using logic, creativity and reasoning to make sound clinical judgments based on standards of nursing care
  - demonstrate arithmetic ability to correctly compute dosages, tell time, and use measuring tools
2. **Display interpersonal skills sufficient to interact with individuals, families, and groups in a variety of settings in the community.** *Examples:*
  - respect differences among clients and exhibit an attitude accepting of clients as individuals
  - establish rapport in order to communicate effectively with clients, families, significant others, and health team members
  - work effectively in small groups as a team member and a team leader
  - recognize crises and institute appropriate interventions to help resolve adverse situations
3. **Demonstrate appropriate verbal and written communication skills.** *Examples:*
  - speak English coherently to clients, families, and other staff members
  - clearly explain treatment procedures and initiate health teaching for clients, families, or groups based on assessed needs, available resources, age, lifestyle, and cultural considerations
  - provide clear, understandable written client documentation based upon proper use of the English language
  - convey critical information to other caregivers through graphic, print, and/or electronic media in an accurate, timely, and comprehensible manner
4. **Exhibit physical ability sufficient to assist clients to meet health care needs in a variety of settings, including moving from room-to-room, to maneuver in small spaces, and to negotiate stairwells when necessary.** *Examples:*
  - physical mobility and strength sufficient to propel wheelchairs, stretchers, etc. through doorways and close fitting areas alone or with assistance
  - stand, walk up to 75% of 6 to 12 hour shifts
  - stoop, bend, squat, reach overhead as required to reach equipment and provide nursing care
  - lift a minimum of 20 pounds of weight
  - transfer/position up to 300 pounds with assistance while lifting, positioning, and transferring clients
  - provide for activities of daily living (bed bath, oral hygiene, dressing, etc.)
  - perform CPR satisfactorily and respond quickly in an emergency situation
5. **Demonstrate gross and fine motor abilities sufficient to provide safe and effective nursing care.** *Examples:*
  - demonstrate physical dexterity and coordination in delivery of care, treatment, and medications
  - hold skin taut with one hand while inserting needle in skin or vein with other hand and perform other procedures requiring the use of 2 hands
  - pick up, grasp, and effectively manipulate small objects such as dials, syringes, switches
  - calibrate and use equipment
  - maintain sterile technique when performing sterile procedures
6. **Display auditory, visual, and tactile ability sufficient to safely assess and care for clients.** *Examples:*
  - hear monitors, alarms, emergency signals, lung/heart sounds, bowel sounds, and cries for help, telephone, intercom interactions, and public address systems (codes)
  - perceive and receive verbal communications from clients, families, and health team members
  - read written words and information on paper and computer screens, small print, gauges, measuring cups, syringes, and other equipment
  - discriminate colors, changes in color, size and continuity of body parts
  - discriminate alterations in normal body activities such as breathing patterns and level of consciousness, observe hazards in environment (water spills, safety rails, restraints) and harmful situations, perform physical assessment: palpate pulses, feel for heat or cold, tap body surfaces

## TEST OF ESSENTIAL ACADEMIC SKILLS (TEAS) REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

### ABOUT THE TEAS

The Test of Essential Academic Skills (*TEAS*) was developed by Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI) to assist health science programs in guidance and placement of applicants seeking to enter health science programs.

The *TEAS* assesses reading, math, science, English and language. The cost of the *TEAS* is \$115.00 remote and \$105.00 in person. All payments will be through ATI for both options. ATI will only take payment by debit or credit card at the time you register.

**NOTE: IF TAKING IT REMOTE** you must meet certain technical requirements to take this exam. We will be offering limited paper-and-pencil testing here on the Moorhead Campus.

**BEFORE REGISTERING FOR REMOTE TESTING**, ensure that you are able to meet the following technical requirements. A detailed list of requirements can be found on the ATI website: <https://help.atitesting.com/system-requirements-for-teas-at-ati-exam-taken-at-home>

- Microphone: Any microphone, either internal or external
- Webcam: 320x240 VGA resolution (minimum), either internal or external
- Desktop or laptop computer – **NO** iPads, tablets, Google Chromebooks, or phones are to be used
  - Windows 11 and 10- A minimum of 4GB of available RAM is necessary when using LockDown Browser to take an exam that also uses a webcam.
  - Mac: macOS 10.12 to 12.0- A minimum of 4GB of available RAM is necessary when using LockDown Browser to take an exam that also uses a webcam.
- Google Chrome web-browser
- An internet connection of at least 5 Mbps (ideally 10+ Mbps).

*Please Note: You will be downloading an alternative browser on your computer in order to take the TEAS at ATI exam remotely. You will need to have admin rights in order to download this lockdown browser.*

If you do not meet the computer requirements and wish to take the remote test option, MDCC has a computer lab on our main campus in Moorhead MS located in the campus library- please contact Mrs. Bariola at [kbariola@msdelta.edu](mailto:kbariola@msdelta.edu) or by phone: 662-246-6378 to reserve a computer on your test day (keep in mind the library's days and hours of operation which can be found on their webpage: <https://www.msdelta.edu/library/index.php>)

### STEPS TO REGISTER FOR THE TEAS REMOTE OPTION

#### **TEAS REGISTRATION REMOTE AT HOME TESTING:**

**(Test must be taken before application due date and can only be taken 2 times 45 days apart during the application year this includes any testing done at other institutions).**

1. Go to [atitesting.com/teas/register](https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register) Register for the TEAS click "Register Now"
2. You will be prompted to choose how you would like to take your exam- Choose **Remote Online**.
3. You will be prompted to select Program Type drop down. Here you will Select **ATI Remote Proctor-Nursing or ATI Remote Proctor-Allied Health**. (Either one will register you to test for ANY MDCC Health Science program)
4. Select the date range that meets the need of the program admission requirements – click "Search" for availability
5. Once you find an available date click "Select"
6. Review the information provided carefully as it gives you directions on what to do prior to and on test day. **MDCC is not the remote proctor.**
7. If you are applying to more than one school, this screen allows you to purchase additional transcripts credits for those submissions. You may purchase additional transcripts now in the check-out process or after your ATI TEAS Exam via your student account at [www.atitesting.com](https://www.atitesting.com) under ATI TEAS Activity or under the MY RESULTS tab below your TEAS exam results.
8. If this is your FIRST TIME registering for ATI testing, click on "Create an Account" and follow the directions. If you already have an account with ATI, sign into your account.
9. Once you have logged into your account proceed to the payment – ATI will only accept debit or credit cards

10. You will receive an email following registration confirming test details and dry run information
11. **MDCC WILL NOT AUTOMATICALLY RECEIVE YOUR TRANSCRIPT.** You will receive one complimentary transcript. **You will send the transcript following the completion of your TEAS exam** by logging into your student account at [www.atitesting.com/login](http://www.atitesting.com/login) and selecting SEND TRANSCRIPT under TEAS ACTIVITY or by selecting the MY RESULTS tab and clicking SEND TRANSCRIPT below your scored proctored TEAS exam results. Send the transcript to **MS Delta CC PN or MS Delta CC RN** (either will send your transcript to all MDCC Health Science programs). If you are applying to more than one school, you will need to purchase additional transcripts or transcript credits for those submissions.

#### **DAY OF TESTING:**

- Ensure you are using a fully charged laptop or desktop computer with webcam and microphone.
- Install Google Chrome on your device. You will not be able to take the remote version of the ATI TEAS Exam with Proctorio using any other web browser.
- Have a government-issued ID card available.
- Find a well-lit space, and be ready for a room scan prior to the assessment.
- Prepare one piece of blank paper to be used during the exam. Please destroy the paper upon completion.

#### **STEPS TO REGISTER FOR THE TEAS IN PERSON OPTION**

#### **TEAS REGISTRATION IN PERSON PAPER TESTING ON MDCC MAIN CAMPUS:**

**(Test must be taken before application due date and can only be taken 2 times 45 days apart during the application year this includes any testing done at other institutions).**

1. Go to [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com). Register for the TEAS click “Register Now”
2. You will be prompted to choose how you would like to take your exam- Choose In Person
3. Select Program Type: Here you will Select TEAS for Nursing. (This will register you to test for ANY MDCC Health Science program)
4. Set the “Search By” to “School Name” enter the state “MS”, then select our school name **Mississippi Delta Community College** using the dropdown arrow or hit “Search”-.
5. Select the test date and time that works in your schedule and meets the program deadline– click select
6. Review the information provided carefully- then select “Continue Registration” at the bottom of the page
7. Proceed to Checkout
8. If this is your **FIRST TIME** registering for ATI testing, click on “Create an Account” and follow the directions. If you already have an account with ATI, sign into your account.
8. Click On Your Name at the top to locate your paper/pencil ID. The ID number will start with the letter “A” and have numbers after it. You **MUST** bring this ATI -ID number with you on test day. Please print this page!
9. Once you have logged into your account proceed to the payment – ATI will only accept debit or credit cards
10. **Your free transcript is automatically sent to the school/location that is administering your TEAS exam.** You cannot choose an alternate school for your submission of this transcript. Transcripts are sent electronically to this school/testing center after of completion of the TEAS exam. If you are applying to more than one school, you will need to purchase additional transcripts or transcript credits for those submissions. To send your transcript to additional schools access Transcript Credits through the ATI Store. You may submit your scores to these schools following the completion of your TEAS exam. You will do this by logging into your student account and clicking the My Results tab. You will see your TEAS exam results and below your results, you will see a link to Send Transcript.
11. **Bring a valid photo ID and your Exam Permit (A#) on test day.**

#### **DAY OF TESTING**

- You will **ONLY** be allowed to test on the day you are registered to test!
- At the testing site you must show your **Exam Permit (A#) and a current legal photo ID.**
- Plan to arrive at the testing location 30 minutes before the test start time. You will not be admitted to the examination if you arrive late, and no refund or reschedule will be offered.
- The test session will last about four (4) hours, including preparation and actual testing.
- Bring two #2 pencils with you. A calculator will be provided.

TEAS TESTING DATES FOR PAPER IN PERSON TESTING ARE JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup> AND FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup> (8:00AM-12NOON). CHECK-IN BEGINS 30 MINUTS PRIOR TO THE TEST TIME AND **TESTING WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY ON TIME.** TESTING ON JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup> AND FERUARY 25<sup>TH</sup> WILL BE CONDUCTED UPSTAIRS IN THE HORTON BUILDING. BE SURE TO FOLLOW DIRECTIONS FOR REGISTRATION SO YOU MAY BE TESTED.

**TEAS STUDY GUIDE & ONLINE PRACTICE TESTS**

*TEAS* Workshops resources are available on the MDCC Health Sciences main webpage under TEAS Testing & Resources. There is study guide material and online practice tests available for purchase with ATI at [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com).

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ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM

**AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**

*Please respond to the following questions in your own handwriting using your own words.*

1. Briefly explain why you are interested in the ADN program and list your career goals.
2. Describe any employment, volunteer and/or personal experiences you have had, especially those that relate to nursing.
3. Please write a brief autobiography.
4. What are your hobbies, activities, and interests?
5. If chosen for ADN program admission, please explain how you plan to meet the requirements of the program, including the financial and academic obligations, among others.

**Applicant's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MDCC ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form with your application.