Practical Nursing
ARC
Spring 2027

ARC (Admission Requirements Checklist) Deadline – August 28, 2026 at 5:00p.m.

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____

The ARC can be found on the Blue Ridge Practical Nursing webpage. Admission requirements are subject to change without notice.

- ☐ **Step 1**: Complete the RDS (Residency Determination Service) first to start your Admissions process.
- ☐ **Step 2**: Complete the online Blue Ridge Community College Application for Admission. Select "Associate in General Education (AGE)-Nursing (Practical Nursing)" as your program of study to officially apply to the program.
- ☐ **Step 3**: Submit **all** official High School/High School Equivalency transcripts.
- ☐ **Step 4**: Submit **all** official College transcripts. If additional coursework is completed after submission of transcripts, an official updated transcript must be submitted to Blue Ridge to ensure all possible transfer credit is awarded.
- ☐ **Step 5**: Demonstrate College readiness by appropriate developmental courses, College courses, SAT/ACT scores, NROC Placement Test, or admissions placement assignment.
- ☐ **Step 6**: Evidence of an Unweighted Cumulative GPA of 2.00 or higher on a 4.0 scale for students without College-level credit. For students with College-level credit, the most recent transcript with at least six (6) College-level credit hours will be evaluated for the 2.00 or higher GPA requirement.
- ☐ **Step 7**: Complete high school Biology with a grade of "C" or higher or a College-level Biology with a "C" or higher.
- ☐ **Step 8**: Complete the **ATI TEAS Exam** with a Composite Score of **60 or higher**. Official scores sent from other locations must come through ATI Testing (www.atitesting.com) and must be received at Blue Ridge by the deadline date.
- ☐ **Step 9**: **Submit the completed ARC before the deadline.** Completed ARCs may be submitted electronically to registrar@blueridge.edu . The entire document must be legible and contain a physical signature.
- ☐ **Additional Requirements:** Provide official verification of listing on the NC Nurse Aide Registry by Spring 2027 program start date, as well as official documentation of current AHA-BLS (CPR) Certification. For more information regarding how to renew your Nurse Aide and/or BLS, please review the Practical Nursing Admissions packet.

Student Signature: _____ **Date**: _____

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