

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION

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SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

NURSING PROGRAM

The college may consider all of the following when screening applicants for the nursing program:

- Academic degrees or diplomas, or relevant certificates, held by the applicant;
- Grade point average in relevant coursework;
- Life experiences or special circumstances of an applicant;
- Proficiency or advanced level coursework in languages other than English;
- Results of a nationally recognized diagnostic assessment tool aligned with national nursing licensure requirements, and approved by the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office for prelicensure Registered Nurse (RN) program enrollment

Applicants to the nursing program who have earned a baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution of higher learning are not required to complete any general education requirements. Instead, these students only need to complete the coursework necessary for licensing as a registered nurse.

Graduates may apply for National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-RN) upon program completion.

Nursing students are subject to all policies, regulations, and guidelines outlined in the Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) Student Handbook published by the Saddleback College Nursing Program.

References:

Education Code Sections 66055.8, 66055.9, 78261, 78261.3, and 78261.5
California Code of Regulations, Title 5 Sections 55060 et seq. and 55521
Health and Safety Code Section 128050
Section 30 of the State of California Business and Professions Code
Public Law 94-455 (42 USCA 405 (c)(2)(C))

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