



**JONES COLLEGE  
ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM  
900 S. Court Street  
Ellisville, MS 39437**

**APPLICATION FOR A.D NURSING – Spring 2022 CLASS  
DEADLINE October 1, 2021**

**PLEASE READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS ATTACHED BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION**

MM/DD/YY / / Social Security #  
Date of Birth

Phone:(Home) (Work) (Cell)

Email Address:

Name: (Last) (First) (Middle)

Mailing Address: (Street, P.O. Box, or Route) (City) (State)

(Zip) (County)

High School attended: City: State:

High School Year Graduated: (Check one)  
GED: Yes  No

**(Check one)**

Are you currently attending JC? Yes  No  Student ID#:

List **ALL** colleges you have or are currently attending **including Jones College:**  
**(Copies of each individual college transcript, including JC, must be attached to this application even if course work is shown on another college’s transcript.)**

(Institution/College) (Dates Attended)

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**\*Please note: Transcripts will NOT be forwarded from the admissions office to our department. Therefore, failure to have the ACT score, Nursing Entrance Test (ATI TEAS®) results, and ALL transcripts (including JC) ATTACHED TO YOUR NURSING PROGRAM APPLICATION will result in the application being ineligible for consideration for admission. No contact will be made notifying you if transcripts or any other required information is missing from your application.**

**ALL TRANSCRIPTS from the actual colleges you have attended must be turned in with your application in order to be scored.**

What is your current ACT Score? \_\_\_\_\_

Date ACT Taken \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Proof of this ACT score must be attached to this application to be eligible for consideration for entry into program)**Overall Score on the ATI TEAS® Entrance Test: \_\_\_\_\_ **(Test scores must be submitted with application)**

Are you currently enrolled in Jones College's Anatomy and Physiology I and II Fast Track?

YES  NO Do you have a healthcare certification? YES  NO  If yes, you must attach proof of certification for scoring. (Example: Including, but not limited to: EMT, Paramedic, HCA, Pharmacy Tech, Radiography, LPN, Respiratory Therapy, PT, PTA, Laboratory Tech)Have you earned any college degrees? YES  NO  If yes, list major: \_\_\_\_\_Which degree have you earned? AA  or BS Have you ever attended another school of nursing? YES  NO 

If yes, which school? \_\_\_\_\_

Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for withdrawal \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Licensed Practical Nurse? YES  NO  State(s) \_\_\_\_\_**(Attach copy of License)**

LPN School and Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

**Statement of Non-Discrimination and ADA Statement**

Jones County Junior College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability in its programs, activities, or employment practices. The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries and grievances regarding the non-discrimination policies: (ADA/Section 504) **Brenay Weems, ADA Coordinator**, Student Affairs, phone [601-477-2673](tel:601-477-2673); email, [ADACoordinator@jcc.edu](mailto:ADACoordinator@jcc.edu). And (Title IX) **Ashley Holifield, Title IX Coordinator**, Hutcheson-Hubbard Administration Building, phone [601-477-4899](tel:601-477-4899); email [ashley.holifield@jcc.edu](mailto:ashley.holifield@jcc.edu). Jones County Junior College, 900 S. Court St., Ellisville, MS 39437.

**NOTE: The Mississippi Board of Nursing may, at its discretion, deny the application for licensure of any person who has been convicted of a criminal offense, under the provision of Title 97 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as now amended, or any provision of this chapter.**

**\*\*Pursuant to Mississippi statute 43-11-13 health care workers must have a criminal background check. If you have any felonies or disqualifying events, your participation in clinical will be prohibited.**

Sex: (Check one)  Male  FemaleRace: (Check one)  American Indian  White/Caucasian  Black/African American Asian  Multi-Racial  Hispanic Other

Sex and race are used for statistical purposes only.

I have read the above and the information given is complete and truthful.

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

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**JONES COLLEGE**  
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**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**

In order for your application to be considered, you must follow these instructions.

1. The applicant must first be admitted to Jones College. Your general admission form must be on file in the JC Admissions Office. (601-477-4025) If you are not a current student, a new application is needed in the Jones College Admissions Office.
2. The applicant must be a graduate of an accredited high school or have a satisfactory score on the G.E.D. exam. **A high school transcript must be on file in the Jones College Admissions Office.**
3. The applicant must submit a completed application for admission to the A. D. Nursing program which is a separate application than the one for the college. **The deadline date for the application is October 1, 2021 for Spring 2022 admission.**
4. An ACT composite score of **18**, or equivalent, is required for admission into the Associate Degree Nursing Program. **Attach a copy of your ACT scores** if they are not on your transcripts that are submitted with your nursing application. You must notify the ADN office of any updated scores **before** the deadline date.
5. An applicant must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of **2.5** on all previous college academic work. A “C” or better is required on all courses within the nursing curriculum.
6. **Official** college transcripts from **ALL** schools attended are required and must be on file in the **College Admissions Office. Transcripts will NOT be forwarded from the admissions office to our department. Therefore, copies of transcripts from each individual college (INCLUDING JC) must be attached to the A.D. Nursing program application.** Failure to list all colleges attended with transcripts attached will result in an incomplete application, regardless if the coursework appears on another institution’s transcript. Transcripts are also needed for individuals who were dual enrolled.
7. **The applicant must submit scores from the required entrance exam – ATI TEAS®. Minimum score of 58.7 is required to be considered for admission. Scores can be used for two consecutive application periods, provided changes to the test and/or norms are not made by the testing agency. Tests taken before January 1, 2021 are outdated. (see attached information regarding the procedure for testing).**
8. Since the ADN class is limited, applicants are evaluated on a competitive basis (See the JC catalog). All applicants not selected will be placed on an alternate list for that semester to be considered in the event of vacancies for that semester class.
9. Acceptance to the ADN class is contingent upon final rechecks of submission of high school transcript or GED, ACT score, and official college transcript(s), which are required to be on file in the Jones College General Admissions office.
10. The Mississippi State Board of Nursing requires that all JC ADN applicants submit an official copy of their high school transcript or G.E.D. to the Jones College general admissions office.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION CONTINUED

11. Applicants need to consider their ability to meet the financial obligation and the commitment to an accelerated program of study.

Additional expenses after acceptance into the ADN program include:

- a. Two uniforms (approximately \$96.00).
  - b. Two scrub suits (approximately \$78.00).
  - c. Lab coat (approximately \$30.00).
  - d. Two white, round neck tee shirts (approximately \$20).
  - e. Nursing shoes (approximately \$45).
  - f. Watch with second hand.
  - g. Two Name pins (\$10.00).
  - h. Nursing books (approximately \$600.00 for the first semester with the total costs for textbooks for the entire program being approximately \$1,500.00).
  - i. Nursing Kit includes stethoscope, bandage scissors, etc. (approximately \$70.00).
  - j. Professional white nursing shoes.
  - k. Individual Transportation.
  - l. Nursing lab fees which include fees for program wide testing and a criminal background check. (approximately \$570.00 for first semester).
  - m. Current cost of college tuition and fees (approximately \$1,800.00 per semester plus program fees).
  - n. Fee to take the NCLEX-RN (licensing exam) – approximately \$300 at end of program.
  - o. Graduates of the program will be required to pay for a criminal background check "finger printing by MS Board of Nursing".
  - p. Additional fee for drug testing when required.
  - q. A laptop and a privacy screen will be required. (iPad and Chromebook are not acceptable)
  - r. Skills bag (approximately \$78.63) Includes supplies for skill instruction and check off.
12. After acceptance into the AD Nursing program, the following are required:(These are expenses that you need to prepare for).
- a. Physical Examination.
  - b. Two step Tuberculosis skin test or follow-up by the State Board of Health.
  - c. Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), American Heart BLS or American Red Cross BLS, current certification for the healthcare provider.
  - d. Certificate of compliance (Form 121) from the local Health Department for measles and varicella immunizations/immunity.
  - e. Verification of Hepatitis B Immunizations or Immunity.
  - f. Current T-Dap Immunization.
  - g. Completion of an orientation session.
  - h. Flu vaccination documentation.
13. Pursuant to MS statute 43-11-13, health care workers must have a criminal background check. If a student has any felonies or disqualifying events, the clinical participation may be prohibited thereby preventing your continuation in the nursing program.
14. Applicants will be notified by mail as soon as the scoring process is completed. We ask for your patience as this process takes time. Applicants who have not received notification by the last week of the Fall semester should contact the nursing office regarding their admission status.

***\*\*Applications submitted without ACT scores, Nursing Entrance Test (ATI TEAS®) results, and All college transcripts (including JC's transcript) attached will not be considered for entry into program. (See # 4, # 6, and # 7 of the instructions above.)***

NOTE: Dates, forms, and instructions for items 11, 12, and 13 will be given to students selected for admission.

**\*\*\*\*INFORMATION FOR ENTRANCE TEST ON NEXT PAGE\*\*\*\***

See [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com) for further details about the nursing entrance test. (ATI TEAS®)

## AD NURSING ENTRANCE EXAM

Jones County AD Nursing Division has initiated an entrance testing requirement as a component of the application process. **The entrance test (ATI TEAS®) must be taken, and scores submitted for the nursing application to be considered.** The test results will be utilized in the awarding of points toward admission.

**The fees assessed and schedules for testing are published on the ATI website at [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com).** The results of this test will be accepted for submission for 2 consecutive application periods at Jones College provided that changes to the test and/or norms are not made by the testing agency.

**Testing Location:** ATI Remote Proctoring

### Testing Dates and Times:

Tuesday, August 24	9 AM – 1 PM
Monday, August 30	1 PM – 5 PM
Thursday, September 2	9 AM – 1 PM
Tuesday, September 7	1 PM – 5 PM
Monday, September 13	9 AM - 1 PM
Thursday, September 16	1 PM – 5 PM
Tuesday, September 21	9 AM – 1 PM
Thursday, September 30	1 PM – 5 PM

**PLEASE NOTE: You must register at least 24 hours in advance for the session that you select.** Exceptions to the application deadline date will not be granted as a result of the final testing session being filled. The deadline for applying to the ADN program is October 1st.

### GETTING STARTED:

- Visit the testing agency's website at [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com)
- First, create an account. **Make sure to remember the username and password you create and bring these with you at the time of testing in order to log into the test.** On the right side of the page, click on "Create an account".  
Under the boxes listed as Username and Password, click on the link (small print) "New to ATI: Create an Account" or you can click on "Create an Account" on the top of the screen next to the Search engine.
- Follow the directions for the creation of your account, making sure to remember your username and password.

### **TO REGISTER FOR THE ATI TEAS® TEST:**

- Visit the testing agency's website at [atitesting.com/teas/register](http://atitesting.com/teas/register)
- There are several registration options available. We do not have the On-Campus option available at this time. Your best options are either the Remoted proctored by ATI option, or the Through my Institution option. This will direct you to the online store.
- Once you are in the online store find the "Register For" section and select the option you would like.
- Register for the online TEAS exam session that works best for your schedule.
- Following registration, you will receive an email confirmation from ATI that includes test information and system requirements.
- If you choose the Remote proctored by ATI option, your email will also contain your TEAS assessment Product ID that will be needed on test day.

**You will need a laptop with a camera and a microphone to take the TEAS test.**

**NO MONEY IS TO BE GIVEN DIRECTLY TO JC FOR THIS TESTING PROCESS**

### **PREPARING FOR THE ATI TEAS® TEST:**

**No preparation is required for testing.** However, the testing agency does offer some preparatory material for those wishing to prepare prior to taking the exam. These are available for an **ADDITIONAL CHARGE** to the student. JC does not endorse any products of this company, but the following information is provided for those wishing to purchase their preparatory materials.

- Visit the testing agency's website at [www.atitesting.com](http://www.atitesting.com).
- Click on the tab at the top labeled "ATI Product Solutions".
- Under the area entitled "Pre-Nursing School", click on the link "Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS®)".
- You can select your choice of preparatory materials to include the following:
  - ATI TEAS® test Study Manual (BOOK) (This will take time to arrive, so check ordering information to see if this would be appropriate for the time frame that you have).
  - ATI TEAS® test online Practice Assessment Form A.
  - ATI TEAS® test online Practice Assessment Form B.
  - Additional materials can also be purchased that are designed to assist students enhance performance on tests.
- Descriptive information is provided for each of the products listed above on the ATI's website.
- Additional study materials may be available at your local bookstore.

## CHECKLIST FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING APPLICATION:

### 1) GENERAL ADMISSIONS:

- Apply to Jones College General Admissions (Unnecessary if you are currently taking classes at JC).
- Verify that high school transcript or G.E.D. is on file with **JC General Admissions**.
- Verify that official sealed copies of transcripts from **ALL** colleges attended are on file in the Jones College General Admissions office.

### 2) ACT SCORE: (Composite score of 18 or greater is required).

- Submit official copy of ACT to JC General Admissions office.
- Attach a copy of ACT to the ADN application (unofficial copy of official ACT score). Please make sure your full name is listed on the submitted document.

### 3) COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS:

- Submit official sealed copies of transcripts from **ALL** colleges attended to JC General Admissions office (transcripts required to be official copy).
- Copies** of transcripts from **ALL** colleges attended **including JC transcript**; attach to ADN application (transcripts not required to be official copy). Transcripts are not forwarded to the ADN program from general admissions. **Current JC transcripts are to be printed from the JC portal by the student.**

### 4) ATI TEAS® EXAM: (58.7% or above on the Adjusted Individual Total Score is required)

- Schedule and take the A.D. Nursing entrance exam. (ATI TEAS® exam must **not** be dated prior to **January 1, 2021**).
- Print ATI TEAS® test results; attach to ADN application.

### 5) QUESTIONS:

For any question or clarification, please contact LaTrece Evans in the AD Nursing Department by phone at 601-477-4099 during office hours or email at [latrece.evans@jcc.edu](mailto:latrece.evans@jcc.edu). If you prefer a face-to-face visit, come by office 102 of the Allied Health Building. Individuals who do not have appointments will be seen as schedule allows.

**Tip 1:** **Current JC transcripts are to be printed from the JC portal by the student.** If you are not a current JC student and do not have portal access, check with the JC Information Technology Department for assistance. The Jones College Information Technology Department telephone number is 601-477-4160.

**Tip 2:** Only the most current transcripts with all grades and GPA posted for every semester attended are accepted. Transcripts submitted for the FALL 2021 application period for **Spring 2022** admission are required to have grades and GPAs posted for **Summer 2021 and every prior semester the applicant attended college.**

**Tip 3:** ADN applications that do not include complete college transcripts **from every individual college** attended, ACT score, and ATI TEAS® score will be considered incomplete. Failure to have the ACT score, Nursing Entrance Test (ATI TEAS®) results, and ALL transcripts (including JC) attached to your nursing program application will result in incomplete for consideration for admission to the Jones College ADN program. **All applicants are required to provide these items with the application.**

**Tip 4:** JC does not limit the number of times that you can take the ATI TEAS® exam during the testing period.

**Tip 5:** Completed applications may be submitted on any weekday prior to **October 1, 2021 by 4 p.m.** which is the final day to submit a Jones College ADN application for the **SPRING 2022** semester. All mailed applications must have a **postmark** of **October 1, 2021** or before to be considered for the **SPRING 2022** semester.