

## Accreditation

This program is approved by the Virginia Board of Nursing and the Virginia Department of Education. It also is accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) at 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, GA 30326 and certified to operate by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) at 101 North Fourteenth Street, Richmond, VA 23219, phone: (804)225-2600



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The application, reference forms, and a list of course descriptions can be found at:

[www.henricocte.com/lpn](http://www.henricocte.com/lpn)

The Henrico County Advanced Career Education (ACE) Centers offer educational opportunities in the following areas:

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Automotive Technology  
Barbering  
CAD – Computer-Aided Drafting and 3D Animation  
Cosmetology  
Criminal Justice  
Culinary Arts  
Diesel Technologies  
Electricity & Cabling  
Emergency Medical Technician

Graphic Communications  
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Landscaping  
Legal Systems Administration  
Medical Systems Administration  
Nurse Aide  
Practical Nursing I  
Precision Machining Technology  
Sports Medicine  
Veterinary Science  
Web Development/Programming

### ACE CENTER AT HIGHLAND SPRINGS

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Carpentry  
Computer Systems Technology  
Cosmetology  
Criminal Justice  
Early Childhood Education & Services

Electricity & Cabling  
High Tech Academy  
Hotel and Catering  
Masonry  
Nurse Aide  
Pharmacy Technician  
Practical Nursing I  
Radio Broadcasting & Journalism



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For additional information about the above courses, please contact a counselor in your school or write, call, or visit:



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# Henrico County St. Mary's Hospital School of Practical Nursing

## HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

## What is Practical Nursing?

Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) care for people who are sick, injured, convalescent, or disabled under the direction of physicians and registered nurses.

They can be employed in settings that include hospitals, physician offices, public health agencies, long term care facilities, insurance companies, or other industries with health-related interests.

Experienced LPNs may supervise nursing assistants and aides.

## What is the program like?

Program Length: Eighteen months

Practical Nursing I (first nine months) is part-time and taught at the Advanced Career Education (ACE) Center at Hermitage in a morning or afternoon session and the Advanced Career Education (ACE) Center at Highland Springs in an afternoon session.

Senior students attend their home school for half of each school day and the ACE Center for the other half day.

Practical Nursing II (second nine months) is full-time, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday - Friday. Classes are held at the Mount Vernon Adult Education Complex, 7850 Carousel Lane, Henrico, VA 23294. Students gain clinical experience in a variety of community settings and at Bon Secours St. Mary's Hospital.

## What is the procedure for admissions?

Rising high school seniors must submit an ACE Center application and a nursing program application. After the applications are received, the Admissions Committee will review the following criteria:

- Three educational/work references
- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- High School Transcript
- Applicant Interview

Immunization records, CPR certification, criminal background check, and urine drug screening will be required after admission to the program.

## Courses include:

### Practical Nursing I

- Anatomy and Physiology (96 hrs.)**
- Nursing Fundamentals (219 hrs.)**
- Nutrition (33 hrs.)**
- Geriatrics (75 hrs.)**
- Pharmacology (30 hrs.)**
- Introduction to Medical-Surgical Nursing (80 hrs.)**

### Practical Nursing II

- Medical-Surgical Nursing I (269 hrs.)**
- Medical-Surgical Nursing II (282 hrs.)**
- Maternity (132 hrs.)**
- Pediatrics (132 hrs.)**
- Psychiatric (132 hrs.)**
- Leadership and Management (132 hrs.)**

A final grade of a "77" (C+) or better must be earned in each course to progress to the next course.\*

✉ **DEADLINE** ✉

**All applications must be received by March 1st, 2017 to be considered for the class that will begin in September.**

## Transportation

Transportation to the ACE Centers during Practical Nursing I will be furnished for seniors by the Henrico County school bus system. However, seniors are required to provide their own transportation to the clinical sites. After students enter Practical Nursing II, they provide their own transportation.

## What happens after I finish the program?

Students who successfully complete the program are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nursing (NCLEX-PN).

## What will the program cost?

### High School Students:

Tuition:	
Practical Nursing I	\$ .00
Practical Nursing II	\$ 480.00
Total	\$ 480.00

### Miscellaneous Expenses:

Practical Nursing I/payable to School:	
Name Pin/Patches	\$ 11.00
Insurance	\$ 20.00
Uniforms, stethoscope	\$ 80.00
Books	\$ 204.00
Total	\$ 315.00

### Practical Nursing I & II/purchased by Student:

Books	\$ 400.00
Shoes, Scissors, etc.	\$ 80.00
Graduation Expenses	\$ 450.00
Online Learning Resources	\$ 80.00
Total	\$ 1,010.00

NOTE. These are approximate costs and could change without notice.

Access to a computer, printer, and the internet is required for coursework. High school students are issued a laptop through Henrico County Public Schools for coursework during the school year. If for any reason the student does not have access to a computer or internet during the nursing program, the school will make available computers with internet access and printing capabilities during normal business hours. If internet and computer access are not available outside of school hours, local Henrico County libraries are available to the student for assigned coursework. Training/tutorials related to computer, printer, and internet use are integrated into the nursing curriculum and made available through Henrico County Public Schools.

## Financial Aid

Financial aid is available through several sources when you move to Practical Nursing II. Please contact your high school counselor or the School of Practical Nursing for more information.