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Entrance Exam Information for Practical Nursing

Practical Nursing:

1. What content is covered in the program entrance exam? The entrance testing is computerized.

- The ATI TEAS Assessment Exam is a multiple choice exam that measures entry level skills and abilities of nursing program applicants. The sections covered in the exam are:
 - Reading
 - Mathematics
 - Science
 - English and Language Usage

2. What is the cost of the exam?

- The cost of the exam is approximately \$97 and is paid directly to ATI.

3. How do I register for the exam?

- You register for the test at the following website, www.atitesting.com. When you enter the website, click on “create an account”, then go to On-line Store to schedule your test. By clicking the register button, you agree to test on the date you select. Please understand that you are responsible for repaying and rescheduling for a new test in the even you are unable to attend on your scheduled date.
 - **Important note when registering for the TEAS exam!**
Pine Technical and Community College **only accepts TEAS scores from IN-PERSON proctored exams** (no virtual/online testing scores are accepted). Choose one of these **in-person options**:
 - TEAS in-person at an Institution – **this is the option to choose to take the exam on the Pine Technical & Community College campus**
 - TEAS in-person at a PSI National Testing Center, proctored by PSI
- If you have any issues with registering or questions about registering, contact the Client Care Department at ATI at 1-800-667-7531.
- **I have accommodations for my classes. Am I eligible to use the accommodations for the testing as well?**
 - Yes. Any student that has accommodations on file with the college or is in need of accommodations for the test **must** contact the Disabilities Coordinator: Robin.Johnson@pine.edu. Once you have been approved for accommodations (from the Disabilities Coordinator) you must contact the test proctor, Patty Gerhardson, at 320-629-5197 or proctoring@pine.edu to ensure the accommodations are in place. Please note that some accommodations will require **up to a 3-week advanced notice** in order to accommodate. Please plan ahead to ensure your needs are met.

○ **Is there a study guide for the test?**

- ATI online study materials and practice assessment are available through ATI at [ATItesting.com](https://www.atitesting.com).
- Free ATI TEAS prep may be available through Adult Basic Education.
- *TEAS practice tests are available through *EBSCO Learning Express* at <https://www.learningexpresshub.com/productengine/LELIndex.html#/collection/learningexpresslibrary/search-results/teas/0>

*You need an *EBSCO Learning Express Account* to access – see PTCC library staff for assistance.

○ **What should I do on examination day?**

- You should arrive at least 15 minutes prior to your scheduled testing appointment.
- Please arrive on time! Late examinees will not be allowed to test and will forfeit the remainder of the reserved test time and examination fee.
- At the scheduled testing time, examinees will need to present two pieces of identification. One piece of identification must be a valid government PHOTO/SIGNATURE I.D., such as a driver's license or passport. You will not be allowed to test without a valid ID.
- Scratch paper and pencil will be provided for you and collected when you are finished taking your exam.
- Personal belongings are prohibited at or near the computers.
- Food/drinks are not allowed in the testing room unless predetermined as medically necessary.
- Breaks: after you have completed the mathematics section, you may take a 10 minute break. During the break, you may not access any personal items. Time will be missed during any other bathroom break and cannot be made up.

○ **When will I be notified of my results?**

- After the test is completed.

○ **What is passing? What score do I need to achieve to apply to the programs?**

- The PN cut score for the ATI TEAS exam is 53.

○ **If I do not achieve above the cut score or benchmark, is there a retake?**

- ATI TEAS: all applicants are allowed to retake the ATI TEAS exam.
- For results to be accurate subsequent ATI TEAS tests must be taken as “retake” tests. You need to use the same username and password so you are taking a retest version. If you use a new username you will be taking the same test over rather than a new version. If you retake the same test your score will be un-usable.

- **Do I have to pay again for the retake?**
 - Yes. All TEAS testing is paid for online with ATI