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# Licensed Vocational Nursing

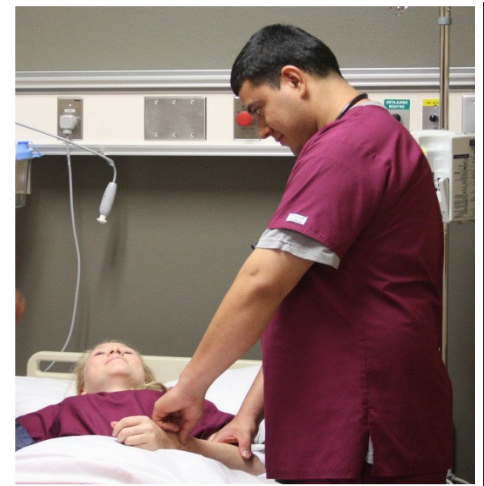
McLennan Community College's Vocational Nursing program prepares graduates to safely and effectively fill a beginning technical-level role as a member of a nursing team. Program graduates develop the beginning skills, knowledge, understanding and attitudes essential for giving safe, competent and effective care.

Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVNs) provide direct bedside patient care that includes taking vital signs, applying dressings and administering prescribed medications. They observe and report on patients' symptoms, reactions to treatment and medication and progress. LVNs may also supervise nursing assistants or aides. The work is active and physical but rewarding and full of opportunities.

## Admission Requirements

Applications are ranked on a point scale based on four categories. A higher score in all of these areas means that your application is more likely to be chosen. The four areas are:

- A. A minimum score of 75% or above on all five categories (Reading, Grammar, Vocabulary, Math and A&P) on the HESI-A2 Exam
- B. GPA in prerequisite courses (times 10 points)
- C. 4.0 GPA in all four prerequisite courses on the first attempt (3 points)
- D. McLennan County resident (1 point)



## Application Process

1. Apply for admission to McLennan Community College.
2. Attend a Vocational Nursing General Information Session. Call 254-299-8347 to reserve a time.
3. Complete the HESI A2 Exam.
4. Apply for admission to the Vocational Nursing program. All applicants must pass a drug screen and criminal background check. Application deadlines are June 15<sup>th</sup> and October 15<sup>th</sup>.

## Expenses and Financial Aid

Because various costs may change without prior notice, applicants are encouraged to contact the program director for current information. Scholarships, grants, loans and work opportunities are available.

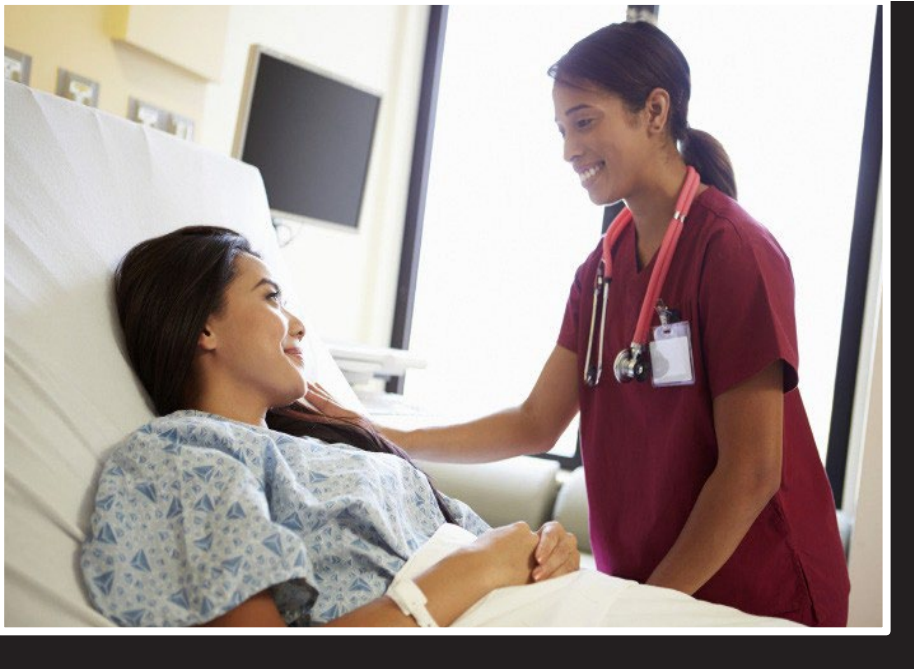
Financial aid application deadlines:

Fall.....by June 1

Spring.....by November 1

Summer terms....by April 1

For questions related to financial aid, contact McLennan's Financial Aid office at 254-299-8698.



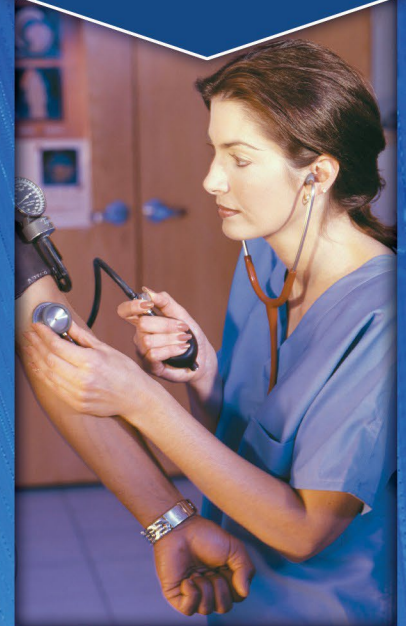
## Simulation Lab

McLennan's Health Professions simulation lab is a state-of-the-art environment for Vocational Nursing students to learn skills through the use of simulation-based technology.



The lab has simulation manikins that replicate real experiences students may encounter in the field. These real-life simulators can be programmed to present many symptoms that challenge students' decision-making skills. The simulators also have special pads to allow students to practice giving injections and other treatments.

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***Become an active part of your education in a safe and structured environment in McLennan's state-of-the-art health simulations lab.***

## More Information

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