

Russell County Career & Technology Center School of Practical Nursing

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NCLEX-PN pass rates,
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www.russell.k12.va.us

**For information about the
NCLEX-PN you may visit:**

www.ncsbn.org

**To view the Virginia Board of
Nursing website you may
visit:**

www.dhp.virginia.gov

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DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM

The RCCTC School of Practical Nursing is sponsored by the Russell County School Board in cooperation with selected hospitals.

The Practical Nursing Program is offered to high school seniors and adult applicants from Russell County and the surrounding counties and out-of-state applicants are considered if space is available.

The Practical Nursing Program will begin each year on the opening day of the Russell County School System. The nursing program is two school years in length or approximately 18 months duration. The first nine months of the program consists of 3 hours per day of instruction with an introduction to clinical experience. The remaining nine months will consist of a combination of a full day of clinical experience and/or classroom lecture.

Upon successful completion of the program, the graduate will apply to write the National Council Licensure Examination of Practical Nursing.



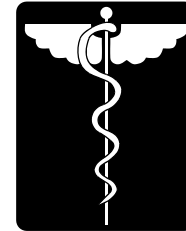
PRACTICAL NURSING COURSE REGISTRATION

- **Perspective students may pick up applications in the spring of each year. (Exact dates will vary and the public will be informed via newspaper and radio announcements.)**
- **High school transcripts (minimum GPA of 2.0 preferred) or GED scores and Immunization records must accompany the completed application by a given deadline.**
- **All qualified applicants will take a PSB– aptitude test.**
- **Pending test scores, selected applicants will be chosen for an interview by the selection committee.**
- **Selected students will be required to complete a physical and dental form.**
- **All applicants admitted to the program must provide a criminal and sex offender background check as required by the laws of the Commonwealth of VA governing psychiatric health care.**

TUITION AND EXPENSES

Tuition is \$650.00 annually. Students will also be responsible for books, uniforms, equipment, and mal-practice insurance.

Financial assistance is available through People Inc. and school payment plan.



Historical Data

The RCCTC School of Practical Nursing has successfully graduated over 150 students with a 5 year pass rate average of 94% on the state board examination. Graduates work in many different areas of the health care profession.