

# ADN/BSN APPLICATION



GARDNER-WEBB  
UNIVERSITY

HUNT SCHOOL *of* NURSING

APPLICATION OF

(Please Print Name)

Applications received or postmarked after **January 15** or **May 15** will not be reviewed.  
Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

THE HUNT SCHOOL OF NURSING  
AT GARDNER-WEBB UNIVERSITY IS COMMITTED  
TO EDUCATING **NURSES** FOR THE 21ST CENTURY  
THROUGH DYNAMIC CURRICULA WITH  
A CULTURAL AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE SEATED  
IN A **CHRISTIAN HERITAGE.**

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- ✓ Complete and sign
- ✓ Send completed application and official transcripts to:

UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS OFFICE | DOVER CAMPUS CENTER  
P.O. BOX 817 | BOILING SPRINGS, NC 28017

- ✓ Enclose one of the following (*if not already on file in the Gardner-Webb admissions office*)
  - SAT
  - ACT
  - TEAS
- ✓ Current, official, satisfactory criminal background history results from the STATE in which you reside **AND** any other state in which you have lived during the past ten years (see back for instructions on obtaining criminal background histories)
- ✓ Students **must** be accepted to the University prior to acceptance to the Hunt School of Nursing
- ✓ Incomplete applications will not be reviewed

## MINIMUM CRITERIA ADN AND FOUR-YEAR BSN PROGRAMS

- ✓ Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or, for students with an earned bachelor's degree or higher, 3.0 for the last 64 hours of undergraduate or graduate coursework. GPA calculation takes into account all college-level work attempted.
- ✓ Minimum SAT score of 1050 (if taken before 3/1/2016) with at least a 500 in Critical Reading and 500 in Math or a minimum SAT score of 1130 (if taken after 3/1/2016) with at least a 530 in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing and 530 in Math  
**OR**  
Minimum ACT composite score of 22 (with at least a 21 in English, 18 in Math, and 20 in Reading)  
**OR**  
Proficient level or higher overall TEAS score
- ✓ CNA certification is not a prerequisite to applying, but you **must** be listed on the registry before you begin nursing coursework (NURS 106 or NURS 239). **If your license is not listed on the registry by the first day of class for nursing coursework (NURS 106 or NURS 239), you will be dismissed from the program.**
- ✓ Completion of Biology, Chemistry, and Algebra with a minimum of a "C" in high school or college. These grades must be reflected in the transcripts you provide with your application.
- ✓ Essay (see last page for instructions)
- ✓ American Heart Association (AHA) Basic Life Support Provider – AHA BLS is not a prerequisite to applying, but you must submit proof of certification before you begin nursing coursework (NURS 106 or NURS 239). American Red Cross certification will **NOT** be accepted. **Please send a copy of your certification.**

EXCELLENCE IN NURSING EDUCATION IS PROVIDED TO OUR DIVERSE STUDENT POPULATION THROUGH TRADITIONAL CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION UTILIZING STATE OF THE ART TECHNOLOGY. STUDENTS BENEFIT FROM PARTNERSHIPS WITH OVER SEVENTY HEALTHCARE FACILITIES THAT PROVIDE **EXEMPLARY** CLINICAL NURSING EXPERIENCES.

## SECTION I. PERSONAL RECORD

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle/Maiden Alternate Names

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street APT/Number  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Current Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street APT/Number  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ International Student  Yes  No

Current Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency/Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

### ENTRY LEVEL: CHECK ONE

(See the HSON website for a full explanation of the following programs)

- A.  ADN Student
- B.  Four-Year BSN Student

If you are currently licensed as an LPN, please indicate number and state in which you are licensed.  
Enclose a copy of your license with your application.

State of Licensure \_\_\_\_\_

LPN License Number \_\_\_\_\_

If you are currently licensed as a CNA I, please indicate the state of licensure and expiration date.

State of Licensure \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

If you are currently enrolled or planning to be enrolled in a CNA I course, please indicate the institution and semester/year of proposed completion.

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/Year of Proposed Completion \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION II. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

(List all attended with the most recent first)

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Date Diploma Conferred \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Diploma Conferred \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Diploma Conferred \_\_\_\_\_

### COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Date Diploma Conferred \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Conferred \_\_\_\_\_ # of Credits \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Date Diploma Conferred \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Conferred \_\_\_\_\_ # of Credits \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you currently enrolled at GWU?

Yes

No

Are you currently enrolled in another college/university?

Yes

No

Have you been enrolled in a nursing program in the past five years?

Yes\*

No

\*A letter of support from the previous nursing program/institution **must** be provided in order for your application to be considered for admission.

If yes, please explain your separation from the nursing program.

Please indicate where the following courses were/will be taken, the date, and the grade earned.

NOTE: You must provide copies of transcripts to support the following grades.

SCHOOL WHERE COMPLETED

LETTER GRADE

DATE COMPLETED

Algebra I \_\_\_\_\_

Biology \_\_\_\_\_

Chemistry \_\_\_\_\_

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### **SECTION III. CRIMINAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

All applicants to the Hunt School of Nursing must submit a statewide criminal background history for all states of residency during the past ten years. The purpose of this is to meet requirements of clinical agencies in which our students learn and practice nursing.

- ✓ A criminal background history must be submitted prior to admission to the Hunt School of Nursing.
- ✓ A student having had residency in more than one state in the past ten (10) years must submit statewide criminal background histories for each state of residency during that period.
- ✓ International students are required to submit an international criminal background history.
- ✓ Any change from the student's initial criminal background history must be reported to the Hunt School of Nursing. Failure to report any change will result in withdrawal of acceptance to the program.
- ✓ Information received from the student's criminal background check will become part of the student's confidential academic file.

### **CRIMINAL BACKGROUND HISTORY SOURCES**

Castlebranch.com is the **only** criminal background history source accepted by the Hunt School of Nursing.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- ❶ Go to Castlebranch.com
- ❷ Enter package code for school (Undergraduate–GA96)
- ❸ In "PlaceOrder," enter package code

Applications will NOT be considered for admission until criminal background check is completed.

## SECTION IV. ESSAY

Please respond to the following questions in essay format.

(DOUBLE-SPACED; FONT SIZE 11)

- ✓ Discuss two personal traits or strengths that may help you succeed in the nursing program AND Discuss two personal traits or weaknesses that you have and how you plan to overcome them.
- ✓ Provide any additional information that you wish the admissions committee to consider regarding your application. You could list community service and other special skills or attributes that would be pertinent to your application to the Hunt School of Nursing.

**ATTACH YOUR DOCUMENTS TO THIS APPLICATION.  
PLEASE LIMIT YOUR ESSAY TO TWO PAGES.**

I have read and understand the information on this application, and all information contained on this application is true and accurate. I understand that any false or misleading information may result in disqualification of my application.

I understand that if I am accepted into the Hunt School of Nursing I will be required to provide evidence of the following documents.

- ✓ CNA-1 certification
- ✓ CPR certification
- ✓ Two-step TB test within three months prior to enrollment in nursing courses
- ✓ Completed Health Form
- ✓ Completion of all required University and Hunt School of Nursing immunizations
- ✓ Negative urine drug screen

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ADMISSION TO THE ADN PROGRAM  
OR THE FOUR-YEAR BSN PROGRAM  
IS COMPETITIVE.**

### ADMISSION TO GWU

DOES NOT GUARANTEE ADMISSION TO THE HUNT SCHOOL OF NURSING.

### APPLICATION DEADLINES

ARE JANUARY 15 AND MAY 15 FOR FALL ADMISSION.

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704.406.4498  
**[gardner-webb.edu/nursing](http://gardner-webb.edu/nursing)**