

Are you ready to be an RN???

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Objectives of This Session



- Understand the NCLEX-RN examination
- Review the NCLEX-RN test plan
- Understand the how to register for the NCLEX-RN examination and apply for licensure (in IL)

Who is NCSBN? What about IDFPR?

- NCSBN
 - o <u>https://www.ncsbn.org/index.htm</u>
- NCSBN Members --
 - o <u>https://www.ncsbn.org/boards.htm</u>
- Illinois Member to NCSBN is IDFPR
 - o <u>http://www.idfpr.com/</u>



BEST Resource



- 2024 NCLEX Examination Candidate Bulletin
 - Registration Process
 - Authorization To Test

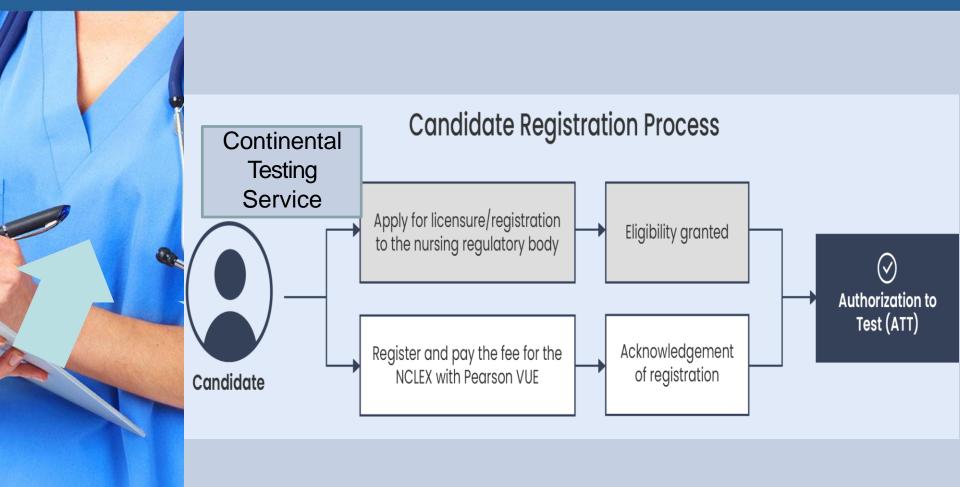
- WEBSITE:
 - https://www.nclex.com/files/2024
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The Eight Steps of the NCLEX®



- Apply for licensure/registration with one Nursing Regulatory Body (NRB).
- 2. Register and pay the exam fee at Pearson VUE.
- 3. Receive Acknowledgement of Receipt of NCLEX Registration.
- 4. NRB makes you eligible in the Pearson VUE system.
- 5. Receive Authorization to Test (ATT) email.
- 6. Schedule your exam appointment online or by calling Pearson VUE 866-496-2539.
- 7. Arrive for the exam appointment.
- 8. Receive your official results from your NRB up to 6 weeks after your exam.

https://www.nclex.com/files/2024_NCLEXInfo_Flyer_FINAL.pdf



Other Information in the Candidate Bulletin

- Test fees and policies p.3
- Testing accommodations p.4
- Your exam appointment p.5
- Changing your appointment p.6
- Acceptable form of ID p.7
 - Remember to take your ATT and a picture ID.
 Names MUST be the same.
- Check-in process for the day of testing p.11

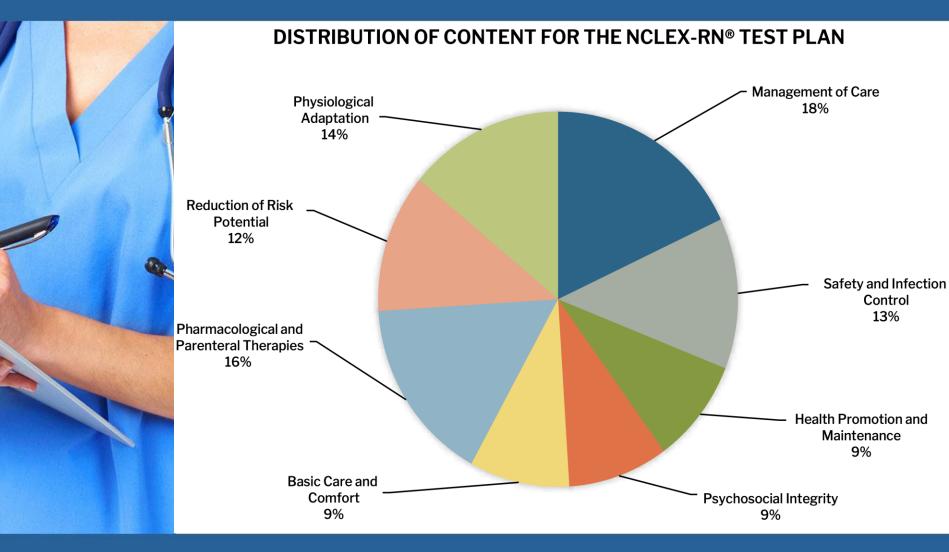
The Test Plan



NCLEX-RN: The Test Plan

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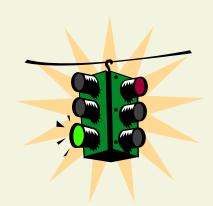
 $_{\odot}$ What is it?

- How does it work?
- o What are the P/F rules?



Applying for the exam and license...

READY, SET, GO



When Should You Register???

 A couple of weeks before you graduate or after you complete the nursing program

- Before the exam
 - o Schedule your test

Exam Day

- Dress Comfortably
- Arrive Early
- Provide Your Biometrics
 - Signature, photograph, and palm vein scan
- Receive Materials
- Set Your Pace
- Finishing Up

After Exam Day



- NRB will send official results to candidates within six weeks after the exam.
- You may be able to access unofficial test results in two business days after taking the exam.
 - This does not authorize candidates to practice as a licensed registered nurse.

Nursing Licensure Compact

https://www.ncsbn.org/nurse-licensure-compact.htm

NLC Member States (click state for contact info)





Good Luck!