# CLARION UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

ADVANCED PLACEMENT FOR LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES

**After admission** to Clarion University's Associate of Science in Nursing program, Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) may qualify for advanced placement and may be granted based on the Pennsylvania Articulation Model. The model provides education progression for LPNs from state approved and NLNAC accredited schools to progress to the next educational program without repetition. Up to six (6) life experience credits may be granted for NURS 101, 111 and 121. \*All students are required to take NURS 131.

Learn more about Venango ASN at <a href="www.clarion.edu/asn">www.clarion.edu/asn</a> and Somerset ASN at <a href="www.clarion.edu/asnsomerset">www.clarion.edu/asnsomerset</a>, and review the application process and admission requirements outlined on the ASN Admissions Information sheet.

Any applicant who has not received admission to the ASN program and does not meet all of the following criteria will not qualify for advanced placement.

# LPN ADVANCED PLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS/PROCESS

### "C" average or higher in a licensed practical nursing program.

Applicants who have graduated or will graduate from an accredited program and have not passed NCLEX-PN and/or completed the preadmission requirements may be admitted as exploratory health sciences/pre-ASN and will be considered for admission based on routine admission procedures.

#### Send the following to the Department of Nursing: (contact information below)

- Letter of reference from director of LPN program addressing applicant's ability to successfully complete an RN program (if applicant has graduated within five years).
- Copy of LPN licensure showing the applicant holds an unencumbered licensure as a practical nurse.

## Register for and take the HESI Mobility Exam by June 30 and score 850 or higher.

To schedule your exam, contact Kyle Vickers at kvickers@clarion.edu.

## **CONTACTS**

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