

Sentara College of Health Sciences

Application-Early Admission for High School Seniors for the-2013 Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program

THE SENTARA COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES SEEKS TO ADMIT QUALIFIED APPLICANTS WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, AGE, NATIONAL ORIGIN OR DISABILITY PROVIDED THE APPLICANT IS QUALIFIED TO PERFORM THE TASKS NECESSARY TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PROGRAM WITH OR WITHOUT REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION..

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Please refer to the Early Admission for High School Seniors Admission section in the College catalog or at www.sentara.edu for specific information regarding admission requirements at www.sentara.edu.

Application Deadline for the 2011 graduating class from Jan. 1, 2011 to March 31, 2011.

I. CAMPUS TO WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING

Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree

- Traditional Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree-Chesapeake Campus
 Traditional Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree-Hampton Campus

Are you currently a C.N.A.? Yes No

If you answered no and are applying to our Nurse Aide Course, please indicate which course date you are applying for: ___Spring 2011 ___Fall 2011 ___Spring 2012. This application will serve for your Traditional BSN application and your Nurse Aide application. Only one administrative fee of \$50.00 is required.

II. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms. **Name:** _____
Last First Middle All Previous Last Names

Permanent Address: _____
Number and Street

City State Zip Code

Social Security Number: _____ **Date Of Birth:** _____ **E-Mail Address:** _____

Telephone: Primary (_____) _____ Secondary (_____) _____

Military Service History: None Veteran Currently Active
 Are you eligible for Veteran's educational benefits? Yes No

Criminal History: If you answer yes to any of the following, please contact Student Services before submitting the application.
 Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a traffic offense? Yes No
 If yes, please list state and or county, offense/offenses, and dates: _____
 Do you have criminal charges pending? Yes No

Citizenship: Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, are you a Permanent Resident? Yes No

Language: Is English your first language? Yes No
 If you answered "No" above: Have you taken the TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) examination? Yes No

How did you *first* learn of Sentara College of Health Sciences? _____
 Have you previously attended or applied to Sentara College of Health Sciences or Sentara School of Health Professions? Yes No
 If yes, which program/course? _____
 Years attended _____ or Year Applied _____

III. HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

Submitting: Official high school transcript. Official letter/statement of intended completion of home schooling.

I will graduate from high school or home school _____ Month _____ Year

High school cumulative grade point must be currently a 3.3 on a 4.0 scale. Current official high school transcripts must be included with this application. High school cumulative of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale must be maintained up through high school graduation and must be verified upon final official transcript submission.

IV. SAT OR ACT SCORES

Submit official SAT or ACT scores with this application.

SAT – Total composite score must be 1,500 or above with a minimum score of 500 on reading (verbal) and a minimum score of 500 on math.

ACT – Total score must be 21 or above.

V. LETTERS OF REFERENCE

Submit two letters of reference with this application. The letters of reference may be handwritten or typed and no more than one page per reference. Letters of professional or character references should be from an employer or teacher, for example, and not from a relative. The reference letters must be submitted with the application in a separate sealed envelope.

VI. ESSAY

Essay-Choose from the following essay questions and submit with this application:

- ① I am interested in becoming a professional nurse because...
- ② What characteristics do you possess that would facilitate successful completion of this professional nursing program?

The essay will be two pages, double-spaced, 12 font. The essay must have the honor pledge written on the bottom of the essay with the signature of the applicant as follows: "I have not given or received aid on this work, and I shall immediately report any breach of the Honor Code."

VII. TRANSFER CREDITS FOR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING DEGREE

Early Admission Applicants:

In order to be eligible to receive full acceptance to Sentara College of Health Sciences, you must have 30 credits of the below general education courses completed to include 3 of the 4 sciences but not to include the art and history. You must have EITHER a cumulative G.P.A. of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale on all college transcripts OR a 3.5 G.P.A. on the general education courses listed below. College general education courses are not offered at Sentara College of Health Sciences and must be taken at an accredited institution. The thirty credit minimum must be completed within 1.5 years after high school graduation with the intent to complete the remaining list below, except art and history electives, before the beginning of the junior year of Sentara College of Health Sciences.

Advanced Placement courses with a "3" or above, Dual Enrollment courses, and CLEP exams are acceptable. Those transcripts may be submitted with the application, if complete.

Early Admission for High School Senior applicants who are intending to proceed through College Acceptance and Nursing Admissions will be required to submit college level general education transcripts and proof of enrollment during the first year and a half, upon completion of each semester.. Early Admission applicants who do not complete the minimum general education course requirements within the first year and a half will become a regular applicant for the Traditional BSN Program and notified in writing.

COLLEGE COURSES	Semester Credits Required	Completed (check)	Not Completed - (indicate month & year you plan to complete)
Human Anatomy & Physiology I w/lab*	4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Human Anatomy & Physiology II w/lab*	4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Introduction to Microbiology w/lab*	4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
College Chemistry w/lab*	4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
College Composition I	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
College Composition II	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Math Statistics	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Ethics Elective (Social, Health, Bio, or Medical)	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Introduction to Psychology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Developmental Psychology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Introduction to Sociology	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Principles of Public Speaking	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fine Art, Music, or Theater Elective	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
History Elective	3	<input type="checkbox"/>	

VII. READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

Send or deliver your completed application form, along with all required documentation with this section and a \$50.00 administrative processing fee to: Student Services, Sentara College of Health Sciences, Crossways I, Suite 105, 1441 Crossways Blvd., Chesapeake, VA 23320. Checks should be made payable to Sentara.

I certify that the information contained in this application is true. I further understand that falsification of information or incomplete statements herein will result in cancellation of this application. I agree that examination and verification of my employment or previous education, except as it pertains to age, race, gender, sex, color, creed, national origin, marital status or disability, may be made and used relative to my application status. I further certify that as of the intended date of enrollment, I will have graduated from an accredited high school or the equivalent and completed, in good standing, additional course work as listed on this application and attachments. I also understand that the administrative processing fee is non-refundable. **If my application is incomplete I will have 10 business days to correct or my application will be withdrawn with no refund. If I do not include my \$50.00 administrative fee, my application will be returned.**

I understand that submitting the application does not guarantee admission to the College and there are additional admission requirements that must be completed before an admission decision can be rendered. I understand it is my responsibility to ensure the College receives all required documentation and follow the admission requirements to the College and the Nursing Program. Admission to the College does not guarantee admission to the Nursing Program. All applicants will be notified of their admission decision by mail.

By signing below, I authorize Sentara College of Health Sciences to verify my criminal history through Castle Branch, Inc. I also consent to a urine drug screen upon acceptance and at any time during my enrollment at the College. If you have concerns about your criminal history, please contact Student Services before submitting your application. Administrative fees are non-refundable.

Applicant's Signature

Date