

Admission Requirements

Minimum requirements for admission to the program include:

- Admission to the Graduate School
- A master of science in nursing degree
- A free and unrestricted R.N. license in Kentucky (or a recognized compact state) with no Kentucky Board of Nursing imposed restrictions on practice, voluntary or otherwise

Admission is competitive and limited to available space. In addition to the above criteria, consideration is also given to the student's statement of Personal and Professional Objectives submitted with the **Graduate School application** (<http://www.gradschool.eku.edu/apply/default.php>), the three required Professional References and the rural nature of the site identified for matriculation or proposed for future practice. Priority is given to degree-seeking applications. Application deadline is **February 15**. Admission may be granted at other times during the year if spaces are available.