As an applicant or waitlist candidate to the Nursing Program, we encourage you to start now in obtaining the immunity requirement documentation. Titors and vaccines are required. **This process could take up to 6 months or more.** If you are accepted into the Nursing Program, you must meet ALL requirements by May 15th or you will not be able to begin the program.

Do you have all of the required immunity records? You will be required to upload the following documentation **upon acceptance** into the Nursing program:

- **Hepatitis B** titer lab report demonstrating immunity **AND** 3 hepatitis B vaccinations
- Two MMR vaccinations **or** lab titer report showing immunity
- Two Varicella vaccinations **or** lab titer report showing immunity
- TDaP (within 10 years) **or** a current TD and an expired TDaP
- **Tuberculosis Screening:** IGRA T-Spot or Quantiferon-TB Gold within past 6 months of acceptance
- COVID-19 vaccination
- Link to **Student Physical Exam Attestation – Nursing**

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### Hepatitis B has been a problematic requirement for students to complete on time.

Do you have a hepatitis B surface antibody lab report (HBsAb or anti-HBs) showing a "positive" or "reactive" result?

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<th>Retain a copy of the lab report to upload upon acceptance. Verify you have all other immunization records.</th>
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<td><strong>NO</strong></td>
<td>Have your provider order a hepatitis B surface antibody (anti-HBs, HBsAb) lab draw now (along with any other titers you may need).</td>
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**WHY this can’t wait:** If the titer is negative, your healthcare provider may order a vaccination series that takes **six months** to complete. If you start the series in January, it will be completed in June.

**What happens if my titer is negative after completing two series?** You will be listed as a 'Non-Responder' to the Hepatitis B Vaccine. Non-Responders are required to produce a letter from their healthcare provider stating you have not converted after receiving two complete hepatitis B vaccination series. Upon submission of the letter, you will be designated as a 'Non-Responder'.

**You must start working on this requirement now or risk losing your spot later.**

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### Helpful Resources:


For information regarding a 2 dose /2 month hepatitis B vaccine: [https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/vacc-updates/heplisav-b.html](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/vacc-updates/heplisav-b.html)