Review and Refresh Program:

EXPIRED BVNPT DOCUMENTATION OR APPLICATION

Graduates who have let their eligibility expire for the NCLEX-PN and would like to renew or resend documents will be required to enroll in a review program. They must complete the following as previously explained and indicated by Angeles Institute Catalog:

"An applicant who has let their eligibility letter or ATT expire or has been deemed to have an abandoned application ==will be required== to complete an assigned review for updated content material related to the new NCLEX PN test plan. This NCLEX-PN review will be assigned, monitored, and approved by the Angeles Institute Academic Team (e.g., UWorld, Kaplan, Hurst, etc.). The program must be current and must be completed with satisfactory academic progress to be determined by the Director of Nursing. Any associated fees for the review will be paid by the applicant. In addition to the satisfactory completion of this review, applicants must pass a predictor exam with a probability of 85% or greater assigned for passing their NCLEX-PN exam for first-time testers and 65% or greater for repeat testers. Applicants that complete this review and meet all requirements with the current passing standard will be able to resubmit their application to the appropriate agency. An administrative fee will be applied (and is due to a minimum of 2 business days prior to beginning the Review or initial bypass exam option) in order for graduates to receive assistance with review and document submission to the BVNPT."

Please complete and submit a Student Service Request Form and a Review and Refresh Course Participant Form. You can do so by connecting with the front desk.

Note, you will have ==90 days== to complete the program. If you do not complete it within the time frame you will be required to resubmit the required forms and pay the associated fees again.

Please see the following fees associated with the new content and resubmission of information:

State & Other Fees:

Angeles Institute & Review Fees

- Administrative Fee***:** $250
- HESI Predictor Exam Fees*****: $60/ test
- NCLEX Exam Prep****** (tutoring and educational support fees): $250.00
- Personal choice Review Program: estimated $150 - $500

Application & BVNPT State Licensing Fees (must be paid in order to process application)

- Application fee******* - $300 (payable to BVNPT - personal/cashier's check or money order)
- Testing fee******* (ATT) - $200 (payable to Angeles Institute for Pearson Vue)
- If applicable 2nd: HESI Predictor Exam fee - $60 (payable to Angeles Institute min 2 weeks prior to scheduled exam)
- Fingerprinting/Live Scan Fee - $80 (payable to Angeles Institute or organization of choice)
- Licensure Fee******* $300

Total Estimated Cost without Review & Tutoring (must pass predictor exam on 1st try): $1170

Total Estimated Cost with Review & Tutoring (for students who need a 2nd attempt): $1480 - $1980

Note:

*Required to initiate program

**NCLEX Exam Prep includes 15 hours of tutoring. If tutoring hours exceed the 15 hours included additional fees will be charged. ($18/tutoring hour or an additional $250 for 15 tutoring hours.)

***BVNPT (Breeze & PearsonVue) fees are subject to change

Review Fees (Choose one of the following three providers for review **or** submit progress reports, transcripts etc. to DON for review and approval)

- UWorld - $159-249 {provider may change price}
  - https://www.uworld.com/NCLEX/nclex_pn_home.aspx#QbankHighlights
  - Choose one of the following:
    - 90 Day Qbank
    - 180 Day Qbank
    - 360 Day Qbank
- Nursing.com
  - https://nursing.com/
    - Choose one of the following
    - Monthly

- ▪ 1 year + NCLEX
  - ● Kaplan - $249-399 {provider may change price}
    - ○ https://www.kaptest.com/nclex-pn
    - ○ Choose one of the following:
      - ▪ In-Person
      - ▪ Live Online
      - ▪ Self-Paced
  - ● Hurst - $275 {provider may change price}
    - ○ https://www.hurstreview.com/nclex-pn#hurst-n-stream
      - ▪ Choose one of the following:
        - ● HURST LIVE
        - ● HURST NOW
        - ● HURST N-STREAM

Documents to be completed and sent for all applicants include the following:
- ● Initial BVNPT application form
- ● Application fee (check or money order made out to BVNPT $220)
- ● Record of Conviction form (including required documentation if applicable)
- ● Record of Nursing form (to be completed by DON)
- ● High School Transcripts
- ● Live Scan (Updated)

Review Exempt Applicants:

Please note that applicants will have the option of taking the HESI predictor exam first if desired but must achieve the minimum score to proceed with the application process as a review exempt applicant. Applicants who choose to take the predictor exam first but do not pass must retake the exam after a review is complete and must pay for the exam a second time.

Please note that applicants will be limited to a total maximum of 2 attempts at the predictor exam. One which is available prior to review if students choose to attempt and one is to be completed after the review for students who do not pass the initial predictor or students who choose to complete the review immediately. Please note that students who choose to complete the review without the bypass predictor attempt will forfeit their first attempt and be allowed to take the predictor only once at the commencement of their review.

It is our experience that applicants that let their eligibility lapse and that do not complete significant & substantial reviews for the NCLEX-PN are unsuccessful in testing. Our goal is your success in taking the NCLEX-PN and to go on to have successful careers as an LVN.

The HESI Predictor grading breakdown is as follows:
HESI Specialty and Exit

Exams **Scoring Explanation**

Your HESI scores range from 0 to over 1,000 and can be as high as 1,500 (depending on the difficulty level of the exam). An acceptable level of performance is 850. However, the recommended level of performance is 900 and above for all scores provided.

Each school is responsible for establishing their specific standards related to outcome measures of acceptable scores. Many schools choose a certain overall score as a benchmark for progression, and such benchmarks are set at the discretion of the school's faculty and administrators. However, when preparing for the NCLEX®, it is recommended that students seriously remediate any subject area category in which they obtained a score of less than 850.

All test items are weighted according to their difficulty level. If you answer more difficult items correctly, you will get more credit than if you answer less difficult test items correctly. Because of this scoring method, it is highly probable that two students answering the same number of test items correctly will receive different scores because such scores depend not only on how many test items the student answered correctly but also on which test items the student answered correctly.

Your score reflects the application of the HESI Predictability Model (HPM) to your overall score and each subject area score. Research studies have found the HPM to be highly accurate in predicting NCLEX® success

Your *conversion score* is a weighted percentage score that considers the average difficulty of the exam and the average difficulty of the test items you answered. Based on your faculty's use of this exam, the conversion score may be used as a portion of your course grade.

The HESI score is a better predictor of NCLEX® success than the conversion score because it reflects the application of the HPM in its calculation, whereas the conversion score does not.

Questions and/or concerns may be directed to your Student Affairs department and may be escalated to the Director of Nursing Brandy Coward if necessary.