

Vocational Nursing Application Rubric

DOMAINS	POINTS					Max
	5	10	15	20	25	
<p><u>Education</u> Students with only high school diploma or 19 years of age or less (no post high school education, no work experience)</p> <p>Students with post-secondary (after high school) training with GPA of 2.0 or better (official transcripts with unbroken seal; foreign transcripts must be translated and evaluated through a service)</p> <p>5 points (limit of 15) each for any of the following advanced life science classes with grade of B or better at post-secondary level: anatomy; physiology; microbiology; chemistry; pathophysiology</p> <p>5 points each (limit of 20) for any health-related class with a clinical component (ROP and other) Ex: Acute CNA, HHA, EMT, MA-Back Office (some other health related classes may be considered)</p>	GPA 2-2.9	GPA 3.0-3.5	GPA 3.6-4.0			<u>35</u>
	15-29 college units	30 + college units	AA/AS	BA/BS		
	1 class	2 classes	3 classes			
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<p><u>Nursing Career Ladder</u> CNA, with dated letter from employer(s) on company letterhead, title, duties, and dates of paid employment indicated, copy of current certification</p>	Took CNA course but not state exam	Current certification, but no work experience as CNA	Documented work experience as CNA			<u>15</u>
<p><u>Recent Work Experience, Health-Related</u> Recent work experience (within last 5 years) in health-related field with dated letter from employer(s) on company letterhead, title, duties and dates of paid employment (family-related care excluded)</p> <p>Military experience in health-related field. Ex: hospital corpsman</p>	6 mos. - 1 year	>1-2 years	>2-4 years	>4-5 years		<u>20</u>
	5 points					
<p><u>Fundamentals I</u> Final course grade</p>	C	B	A			<u>15</u>
<p><u>Panel Interview (recalculated with each interview)</u> Communication (up to 4 points); professionalism (up to 5 points); logical sequencing (up to 4 points); critical thinking (up to 4 points); attitude (up to 4 points); responsibility (up to 4 points)</p>	Poor (0-5)	Fair (6-10)	Good (11 to 15)	Proficient (16-20)	Advanced (21 to 25)	<u>25</u>

BVNPT requirements: High school diploma, GED, California High School Proficiency Exam or equivalent (college degree proven by official transcript will replace high school diploma). All students must be 17 and possess a high school diploma or equivalent before they can take the California NCLEX-PN (the licensing exam for Vocational Nurses). All foreign transcripts must be evaluated for United States equivalency by an official US service to be granted credit.