Fall 2020 BSN Nursing Applicants:

*** Read this Information for those applying by February 15, 2020 for a possible Fall 2020 start

Nursing BSN Applicants (Important Information)***

This is for the BSN application- NOT RN to BSN. The UNIV application for Fall 2020, was open ~last OCT/NOV 2019.

NOTE: you should have had all lower division general courses completed by the end of the Fall 2019 semester- ideally, this includes CHAD 70 and NUTRITION 8. Please sign up to take these this spring, if not.

For Prior Baccalaureate students applying, the site is located on the calstate.edu/apply web page (See hyperlinks below for extensive information). You will still need to apply to the nursing program separately to NursingCAS.org (Go to http://www.sjsu.edu/nursing/students/prospective/index.html (read the BS information packet and look at 70 advising slides).

THE WST exam (Prior Baccs exempted from this, but must email to testing.sjsu.edu for information of how to get exemption and/or a record of taking it at other CSUs) should be completed 3 months prior to the application due date (ideally). For prior Baccs, scan a blank paper into Nursing CAS indicating your name & that you have a prior Bacc. Degree so exempted)…. For those taking the WST exam at SJSU, upload that form to NursingCAS. The SJSU testing web site https://testing.sjsu.edu is where you register for WST (or any of the TEAS tests). If your prerequisites do not show as equivalent on http://artic.sjsu.edu (under school to school), go to our web page sjsu.edu/nursing and under “forms” at top of page, follow the electronic information for “Prerequisite substitution form” (PSF). The articulation pages are for California state schools; These PSFs are completed by you and sent electronically to a specific email address, with a scanned catalog course description) for review (Do this now! Don’t wait). The faculty is off during the summer, so just apply- even if you have no reply by the application deadline. Please separately scan in the course description for the PSF. Again, this is only for courses that do not show up as equivalent at California State Colleges/Univ.

For those who have taken AP courses, please complete the prerequisite substitution forms, and use either College Board scores or results that appear on an official college transcript. According to past applicants, the Nursing CAS application can take up to 4-5 hrs. if you attended several schools- as you must input all individual grades for all college classes ever taken. Also, you will need the additional scanned documentation to upload (Driver’s license; and one of the following: Birth certificate/ or U.S. Passport, /or current green card).

Please scan as “lighter” on a Xerox machine, so they are legible. In addition,
include a scan of the 1-page typed/signed functional, technical competencies form and TEAS and WST results. TEAS score must be a minimum of 78% on the first or second attempt for TEAS 6. We only need to see the highest of the two. If prior military, you need to scan your DD 214, discharge papers. Please note the GPA for the 5 prerequisites is 3.2 minimum.

Those who do not meet the criteria, are not eligible to apply, and may email Dr. Sue Malloy Suzanne.Malloy@sjsu.edu (the Nursing Undergraduate Coordinator) about career options.