**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- A minimal national composite ACT score of 21 or above OR completion of all the course prerequisites to the nursing major with at least a grade of "C" and an overall grade point average of 3.0.
- Students enrolling for a second baccalaureate degree may be admitted without an ACT by completing all course prerequisites to the nursing major with at least a grade of "C" and having an overall grade point average of 2.5.
- Successful admission to an associate degree nursing program in a participating Mississippi community college:
  - Successful admission to Southern Miss as an undergraduate student.
  - Completion of all non-nursing prerequisite courses is required in the RN-BSN degree plan.
  - May only repeat or retake one required prerequisite science course one time.
  - Must earn a "C" or better in each prerequisite course with a minimum overall prerequisite GPA of 2.5.
  - Admission to the Concurrent Academic Progression in Nursing Pathway (CAPINP)
  - Must maintain at least a "C" in each nursing course from the associate degree nursing program with a minimum nursing GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 grading scale.

**WHERE DO I GO FROM HERE?**

1. Call Southern Miss College of Nursing CAPINP at 601.266.5454 or visit www.usm.edu/nursing for an application packet.
2. Send application forms and official copies of transcripts to:
   - Southern Miss College of Nursing CAPINP
   - 118 College Drive #5095, Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001
   - T: 601.266.5454 | F: 601.266.6643

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