

**Texas A&M University-Texarkana
College of Health and Behavioral Sciences
Nursing Program**

**ADMISSION CRITERIA
MASTERS DEGREE IN NURSING**

- BSN degree from a nationally accredited institution or has met the BSN transition pathway requirements
- Competitive Undergraduate GPA
 - Minimum of 3.0 GPA in the last 60 hours of an undergraduate degree program required
- Minimum of 1 year experience as RN
- Successful interview with Nursing Admissions Committee
- Acceptable post interview writing sample on site
- Letter of interest, commitment, and purpose for pursuing a masters degree
- Acceptable Performance on appropriate standardized exams such as GRE or MAT
 - Official scores must be submitted to the Graduate Office.
 - Scores may be no older than 5 years at the time of application
- Supportive letters of evaluation from supervisors and professional mentors
 - Minimum of 3 required. Letter must be current and dated within 6 months of application
- International Students.
 - A minimum TOEFL score (paper-based 550, computer-based 213, internet-based 79) is required of students whose native language is non-English. This score must be sent directly from ETS to the Graduate office, and the test must have been taken within the two-year period prior to enrollment.
- Resume