



## **CSP Nursing Preferred Admission Pathway Acknowledgement Form**

The CSP Nursing Department has approved a preferred admission pathway for students who adhere to the expectations outlined below. Students qualifying for this status must acknowledge and agree to the terms and conditions which outline expectations for continuation into the CSP pre-licensure program.

### **Preferred Admission Expectations/Requirements:**

- Students must meet minimum nursing program admissions requirements, such as cumulative science GPA, TEAS score, etc. The most up-to-date listing of nursing program admissions requirements can be found on CSP's nursing website.
- Students must complete a minimum of 15 AA Pre-Nursing credits at CSP.
- All AA Pre-Nursing requirements must be completed prior to starting the pre-licensure nursing program (students can have in-progress courses at the time of their application to the CSP Nursing Program yet they must be finished prior to starting the nursing program).
- Students should ensure CSP academic advisors are aware of their desired starting semester. CSP will work to meet the student's desired starting timeline; however, the Preferred Admission Pathway is focusing on acceptance to the nursing program, not necessarily the specific starting semester of interest.
- Students must complete a background study and receive a clear result. There are also clinical compliance requirements, such as passing a drug screen, which will be communicated to students as part of the clinical compliance clearance process.
- Students must submit their application to the CSP Nursing Program and satisfy all requirements (noting some may be in-process) at the beginning of their final semester of AA Pre-Nursing coursework. Formal notification of acceptance is required to begin the nursing program.
- Students must complete all clinical requirements by Nursing Orientation. These requirements will be communicated to students upon programmatic acceptance.
- Students must complete nursing orientation.

### **Continuation into the BSN Program:**

- Preferred admission pathway students who fulfill the expectations noted above will be prioritized for acceptance to the CSP nursing program.
- Upon application to the CSP nursing program demonstrating minimum requirements have been met, students will be notified of formal acceptance within 10 business days. Additional requirements (e.g., clear background screen, clinical requirements) will be communicated at that time.
- CSP reserves the right to make modifications of the nursing admissions criteria as needed.

**By typing my name below I acknowledge and agree to the following:**

- I understand that while this language states Preferred Admission, my seat in the program is contingent upon successful completion of all remaining requirements.
- I recognize that if I remain on track with the program admission requirements, CSP will prioritize my program admission semester. However, my actual starting semester may not be my desired nursing semester (noting a seat with a future start date will be offered).
- I agree to notify my academic advisor if my desired starting semester (as noted below) changes.
- I hereby certify my understanding and agreement with the information within this document. I agree to abide by all policies, expectations, and procedures outlined within this document, and any subsequent policy updates communicated to me while a student at CSP.

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CSP ID Number:** L \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Desired Starting Semester for Program:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this form (Subject: Preferred Pathway Form) to Akilah Allen at  
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