

# VOCATIONAL NURSING PROGRAM

Class begins  
**AUGUST 2026**

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 3:30 pm



REGISTRATION OPENS  
**NOVEMBER 3, 2025**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE  
JANUARY 30, 2026 AT 4PM**

**\*\*ALL DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

## HOW DO I APPLY?

Scan QR code for VN  
Registration or visit  
<https://vas.vusd.org>



**APPLICANTS: CHECK EMAIL FREQUENTLY FOR UPDATES**

18 MONTH PROGRAM THEORY AND CLINICAL TRAINING IN VARIOUS HEALTHCARE SETTINGS  
UPON COMPLETION OF OUR PROGRAM STUDENTS WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO TAKE THE CALIFORNIA  
STATE BOARD LICENSING EXAM FOR VOCATIONAL NURSES (NCLEX)

**\*ESTIMATED TOTAL PROGRAM COST: \$11,831**

## PREREQUISITES

1. Age 18 years or older
  2. Valid CA ID or Drivers License
  3. Complete VN Registration: Register online at [vas.vusd.org](https://vas.vusd.org)
  4. CASAS CTE Placement score of 247 or higher (from Visalia Adult School)
  5. **Complete online VN Application**
    - **VN Application will be sent via email within 1-2 business days after completing VN registration**
  6. **Three Professional References required**
    - **Forms will be emailed directly to references by Visalia Adult School within 1-2 business days after completing VN application**
  7. Official High School Transcript or Equivalent (GED or HiSet)
  8. Official Transcript for Medical Terminology with a "C" or better within the last 5 years of application deadline
  9. Valid (non-expired) CNA certification **OR** Completion of a Medical Assistant Program including front & back office.  
\*\*\*If applying as a Medical Assistant you must provide an Official Transcript with clinical component)
- Additional MA requirements
- Completion of the MA Program within 24 months of the application deadline
  - OR**
  - Proof of one year clinical MA work experience within 60 months of application deadline (ie. current work experience letter containing service dates, job title and job duties from an employer)

**\*FAILURE TO SUBMIT ALL PREREQUISITES BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE WILL RESULT IN AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION  
AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR SELECTION**

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**\*Official Transcripts** are unopened transcript signed and sealed from an Accredited School

**\*Examples of Accredited Schools:** Visalia Adult School, Tulare Adult School, Community Colleges (ie. COS, West Hills, Fresno City), UC's (ie. UCLA), CSU's (ie. Fresno State), etc.. (Correspondent schools and CEU's will not be accepted)

**\*Foreign Diploma/Transcript** must be evaluated for equivalency of a high school diploma within the US prior to the application (Visit our website for more information)

# VN APPLICANT INFORMATION

APPLICANTS WHO PROVIDE PROOF OF ALL PREREQUISITES BEFORE THE APPLICATION DEADLINE ADVANCE TO THE NEXT STEPS

## STEP 1 - BASIC MATH ASSESSMENT

APPLICANTS WILL BE CONTACTED BY THE SCHOOL TO SCHEDULE THE BASIC MATH ASSESSMENT NO LATER THAN MARCH 2026

## STEP 2 - INTERVIEWS

APPROX. FIFTY (50) APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY MAIL FOR AN INTERVIEW NO LATER THAN APRIL 2026

## STEP 3- NOTIFICATION LETTERS

THIRTY (30) APPLICANTS WILL BE OFFERED A POSITION IN THE PROGRAM AND THREE (3) WILL BE OFFERED AN ALTERNATE POSITION NOTIFICATION LETTERS WILL BE MAILED MID MAY 2026

## STEP 4 - PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (SECURING ENROLLMENT)

- ♦ PAY REGISTRATION FEES, PURCHASE BOOKS, AND UNIFORMS
  - ♦ CLEAR BACKGROUND CHECK AND DRUG SCREEN
- (STUDENTS ACCEPTED INTO THE VN PROGRAM WILL RECEIVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO THE START OF THE PROGRAM)



## CLINICAL REQUIREMENTS

STUDENTS ACCEPTED INTO THE VN PROGRAM WILL RECEIVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING CLINICAL REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO THE START OF THE PROGRAM

THE FOLLOWING MUST BE MET PRIOR TO THE START OF THE CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

- ♦ ATTEND CLINICAL ORIENTATION
- ♦ OBTAIN PHYSICAL EXAMINATION
- ♦ REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS
- ♦ PROOF OF A VALID **AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION** BLS PROVIDER (CPR & AED) CARD

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