

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING S730

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Dear Spring 2021 Nursing Candidates,

The Nursing Department has made some changes in the admission process during this time of the COVID-19 situation. The nursing admission criteria changes for the incoming Spring 2021 class include:

- 1. HESI-A2 Examination is calculated.
- 2. Ranking all nursing candidates based on the 5 Prerequisite Course Index (PCI):
 - ENG 101
 - MAT 104
 - PSY 100
 - CHE 121
 - BIO 425

Note: The GPA of the PCI will determine your ranking and acceptance into the nursing program depending on your application to the Day or Evening/Weekend program. The program admits approximately 81 applicants each semester therefore not every applicant will be admitted to the program regardless of your GPA of the PCI. The program will NOT hold your seat if you decline. The program will NOT have a wait list. These current changes is ONLY for Spring 2021 cohort.

The Spring 2021 classes are in a hybrid format which includes synchronous lectures done remotely. Testing of exams, practicum skills, standardized exams are done on campus and/or proctored remotely at the discretion of the faculty. To augment student clinical/practice experiences, we have implemented remote vSIM case scenarios and have a state-of –the-art Human Patient Simulation (HPS) laboratory at New York Simulation Center (NYSIM).

Should you decide to apply and enroll at BMCC, we will welcome and nurture you as you pursue your career as a registered professional nurse. Sincerely,

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