

# **Nursing Program**

## **Kaplan Entrance Exam Policy**

Students who plan to apply to the UNM Valencia Nursing Program are required to sit for the Kaplan Entrance Exam. *There is no charge for this exam.* Exams begin promptly at 9:00 am. Please arrive early at the Nursing classroom to allow time for check-in or **30 minutes early if done via Zoom process. All exams will be done via zoom this year.**

Depending on the world's situation next year, we can prepare to do the Kaplan entrance exam in the lab or via Zoom.

### **Nursing Classroom:**

*You must have a photo ID and your cell phone in order to take the exam. You will be required to place your cell phone with your ID in a bag that will be secured. If you do not surrender your cell phone, you will not be able to take the exam. There will also be no watches, large bracelets, or hats of any kind allowed in the testing area. If you come with a watch on, it will need to be placed in the bag with your cell phone. You will not be able to take any purses, backpacks, or bags with you to your computer station. It is recommended that you not bring them, but you will be able to leave them in the Nursing classroom.*

### **COVID-19 Pandemic: Remote Proctoring with Zoom for Kaplan Exam:**

*Students will use both their laptop and cell phone camera to log into Zoom. (View from laptop can see students face, and view from cell phone camera will be angled to show students laptop screen/keyboard. At the beginning of the session, you will have the student/faculty member scan the room via their phone camera to make sure the room looks "safe" for a proctored test. You must have your photo ID shown to your proctor on the screen to verify your identity. There should only be the test taker in the room. There should not be any other audio/visual equipment in the room. Instructions for test takers will be emailed to students the week before the exam date along with the Zoom invitation.*

Students will schedule through Sheela Kaufman at 925-8870 for the dates available. Testing will only be on the scheduled dates below. We can sign up a maximum of 16 students per day for the Kaplan exam. Be sure to schedule your exams beginning of January to a week before the exam date. **Please schedule early not last minute! This is the only week we are having Kaplan exams!**

The Exam consists of 4 parts; reading, writing, science, and math, with a total of 91 questions. You will have 180 minutes once you begin the exam to complete all 91 questions. If you require special accommodations, you will need to provide the supporting documentation to Sheela Kaufman when you schedule your exam in order to complete the equal access request form that allows for the extra time.

For program application completion, you must achieve a minimum 68% composite score. Your actual score of 68% or above is for ranking metrics in the application process.

**Kaplan study guide:** [https://www.amazon.com/Nursing-School-Entrance-Exams-2021-2022/dp/1506255426/ref=sr\\_1\\_3?crd=2LVN2PKF52ZR9&keywords=Nursing+School+Entrance+Exam&qid=1644433873&srefix=nursing+school+entrance+exam+%2Caps%2C112&sr=8-3](https://www.amazon.com/Nursing-School-Entrance-Exams-2021-2022/dp/1506255426/ref=sr_1_3?crd=2LVN2PKF52ZR9&keywords=Nursing+School+Entrance+Exam&qid=1644433873&srefix=nursing+school+entrance+exam+%2Caps%2C112&sr=8-3)

**NOTE: Students are only allowed to test (1) time in an application cycle.** \*No Retakes\* If you take the exam and do not reach the benchmark, you may not reschedule an additional test date during the application cycle.

\*We do not accept the HESI test only the Kaplan and it has to be done from our school.

## **Scheduled Exam Dates 2022**

<b><i>Date</i></b>	<b><i>Time</i></b>
<i>Tuesday, March 1, 2022</i>	9:00am – 12:00pm
<i>Wednesday, March 2, 2022</i>	9:00am – 12:00pm
<i>Thursday, March 3, 2022</i>	9:00am – 12:00pm
<i>Friday, March 4, 2022</i>	9:00am – 12:00pm