

# Non-Approved Out of State Nursing Education Programs

In accordance with the Maryland Nurse Practice Act, Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. ("Health Occ.") § 8-101 et seq., specifically Health Occ. §§ 8-302(b) and (c), all applicants for licensure as an RN or LPN must have completed satisfactorily and met all requirements for a diploma or degree from either: (1) An education program approved by the Board (applicable to in-state programs); or (2) An education program in any other state or country that the Board finds substantially equivalent to the education program in Maryland at the time of the applicant's graduation.

The following Nursing Education Programs have NOT met the requirements to be substantially equivalent under NPA § 8-302(b) (2) COMAR 10.27.03. **Consequently applicants who attended a PN/RN nursing education program at any of the following nursing programs will not meet minimum qualifications for licensure as a PN/RN in the State of Maryland.**

Name of College/University	Campus Location	Type of Program		Effective Date
		RN	PN	
A & D School of Nursing	Washington, DC		X	04/24/2001
<a href="#"><u>Adoni Health formerly Leads School of Technology</u></a>	Newark, DE		X	01/26/2022
<a href="#"><u>American International Institute of Health (AIH) Practical Nursing Program</u></a>	Falls Church, VA		X	09/23/2020
Carleen Health Institute of South Florida, West Palm Beach	West Palm Beach, FL	X	X	02/22/2023
<a href="#"><u>Camtech School of Nursing and Technological Sciences</u></a>	Newport, Wilmington, DE		X	06/01/2022
<a href="#"><u>Capscare Academy for Health Care Education</u></a>	Kissimmee, FL	X		12/16/2020
<a href="#"><u>Chester Career College Practical Nursing Education Program</u></a>	Chester, VA		X	06/01/2022
Everest formerly of Vienna & McLean	Vienna, VA		X	07/27/2022
<a href="#"><u>Hosanna College of Health</u></a>	Miramar, FL	X		06/23/2021

Med-Life Institute	Lauderdale Lakes, FL	X		02/22/2023
<u>Med-Life Institute</u>	Naples, FL	X		10/23/2019
<u>Mountain State University</u>	Beckley, WV	X	X	06/23/2021
Myrielle School of Nursing	Palm Springs	X	X	02/22/2023
<u>National School of Nursing and Allied Health (NSNAH) Practical Nursing Program</u>	Woodbridge, VA		X	09/23/2020
Nursing Bridges Institute	Pensacola, FL	X	X	02/22/2023
Palm Beach School of Nursing	Lake Worth	X	X	02/22/2023
Palm Beach School of Nursing	Palm Beach	X	X	02/22/2023
<u>Palm Beach School of Nursing</u>	West Palm Beach, Florida	X	X	06/01/2022
<u>Radians College Nursing Program</u>	Washington, DC	X	X	06/30/2020
Sacred Heart International Institute	Broward County	X	X	02/22/2023
<u>Star College Practical Nursing Program</u>	Falls Church, VA		X	09/23/2020
Siena College	Broward County	X	X	02/22/2023
Suncoast College of Health	Bradenton	X	X	02/22/2023
Techni-Pro Institute, LLC	Boca Raton	X	X	02/22/2023
***The Excelsior College Program***	Albany, NY	X		7/25/2006
<u>Virginia School of Nursing and Medical Institute Practical Nursing Program</u>	Springfield, VA		X	11/18/2020
VMT School of Nursing	Washington, DC		X	02/25/2003

**\*\*\* FOR EXAM CANDIDATES ONLY** with the following stipulations: Qualifications of Applicants for Examination. A. An applicant for the registered nurse licensure examination shall: (1) Complete satisfactorily and meet all requirements for a diploma or degree from a registered nursing education program approved by the Board; or (2) Have a diploma or degree from a registered nursing education program in another state, territory, or country determined by the Board to be substantially equivalent to the registered nursing education program approved in this State at the time of the applicant's graduation. B. An applicant for the licensed practical nurse licensure examination shall:(1) Meet all requirements for a high school diploma or its equivalent and complete satisfactorily and meet all requirements for a diploma from: (a) A licensed practical nursing education program approved by the Board; or (b) A licensed practical nursing education program in any other state, territory, or country determined by the Board to be substantially equivalent to the licensed practical nursing education programs approved in this State at the time of the applicant's graduation; or (2) Meet the requirements of §A of this regulation. For clarification see attached link: <http://www.dsd.state.md.us/COMAR/getfile.aspx?file=10.27.01.05.htm> more specifically **COMAR 10.27.01.05A-B\*\*\***

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