Texas A&M University – Texarkana
Checklist for Master of Science in Nursing Degree
(MSN)
Applicants

I. University Admission Requirements
(Submit to the Texas A&M University – Texarkana Admissions Office)
Requirements for Admission to A&M – Texarkana (See the university catalog for details).

☐ 1. Application for Admission with a nursing major.

☐ 2. Official transcripts from all previous colleges and universities mailed directly to Texas A&M University – Texarkana at:

Texas A&M University-Texarkana
Office of Admissions
7101 University Avenue
Texarkana, TX 75503

II. Graduate School Admission Requirements

☐ 1. Minimum of 3.0 GP in the last 60 hours of an undergraduate degree program

☐ 2. Letter of interest, commitment, and purpose for pursuing a master’s degree

☐ 3. Professional Resume

☐ 4. Supportive letters of evaluation from supervisors and professional mentors (Minimum of 2 required).

☐ 5. International Students (See the Graduate Studies website for additional details.

*Admission to the university does not guarantee admission to nursing.*

III. Nursing Program Admission Requirements (Submit to the A&M – Texarkana Nursing Program by July 1st)

(Note: Texas A&M University – Texarkana Department of Nursing will only admit students one time a year, fall semester.)

☐ 1. Application for MSN Program

☐ 2. Minimum of 1 year experience as Registered Nurse (RN)

Effective – Fall, 2016
IV. Nursing Program Requirements  
*Once accepted into the program, the student has 2 weeks to complete the items below:*

☐ 1. Current CPR Certification Records

☐ 2. Immunization Records  
- TUBERCULIN Negative – PPD within 1(one) year, **OR** Negative chest x-ray (Good for three years)  
- MMR – positive MMR titer can be submitted if no record of vaccination  
- HEPATITIS B – positive Hepatitis B titer can be submitted if no record of vaccination  
- TETANUS/DIPHTHERIA results within past 10 years  
- PERTUSSIS required and must be current within the last 5 years

☐ 3. Professional Liability insurance 1,000,000 each claim and 6,000,000 aggregate limits (this is individual professional liability insurance – not the insurance provided by your employer).

☐ 4. Proof of Personal Health Insurance

☐ 5. Proof of Negative Drug Screening

☐ 6. Background check

For Background Check: Please contact Identogo @ [https://www.identogo.com/locations/texas](https://www.identogo.com/locations/texas)

V. Advising Requirement

☐ 1. You will be contacted by the Department of Nursing to schedule an advising appointment. If you have not heard from us by August 1st, please call 903-334-6664 or email nursing@tamut.edu.

Please contact the nursing department with any questions at 903-334-6649 or nursing@tamut.edu.