



Republic of the Philippines  
Professional Regulation Commission  
Manila



**PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARD OF NURSING**

**PROGRAM OF THE PHILIPPINE NURSES LICENSURE EXAMINATION**  
**ON NOVEMBER 25 & 26, 2017 IN MANILA, ALL REGIONAL OFFICES and ZAMBOANGA**

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

This Philippine Nurses Licensure Examination consists of five (5) parts namely: Nursing Practice I-Community Health Nursing, Nursing Practice II-Care of Healthy/ At Risk Mother and Child, Nursing Practice III-Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part A), Nursing Practice IV-Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part B) and Nursing Practice V-Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part C).

The tests draw basic knowledge, skills and attitudes in the major subject areas i.e., Fundamentals of Nursing including Professional Adjustments, Maternal and Child Nursing, Community Health and Communicable Disease Nursing, Nursing of Adolescents, Adults and Aged, and Mental Health and Psychiatric Nursing.

The following areas of knowledge will be integrated in each of the above-named subject areas.

Anatomy and Physiology	Nutrition and Diet Therapy
Pathophysiology	Parasitology & Microbiology
Pharmacology and Therapeutics	

Nursing process serves as the framework in the nursing care of individuals, families, population groups & communities in various stages of development in health care setting. The focus of nursing care is the promotion of health, prevention of illness, curative & rehabilitative aspects of care, alleviation of suffering & when recovery is not possible, towards a peaceful death.

The examination will test competencies in relation to the eleven (11) key areas of responsibility contained in the Competency Standards of Nursing Practice in the Philippines. These key areas are categorized as follows:

- I. **PATIENT CARE COMPETENCIES**
  1. SAFE AND QUALITY NURSING CARE
  2. COMMUNICATION
  3. COLLABORATION AND TEAMWORK
  4. HEALTH EDUCATION
- II. **EMPOWERING COMPETENCIES**
  5. LEGAL RESPONSIBILITIES
  6. ETHICO-MORAL-SPIRITUAL RESPONSIBILITIES
  7. PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- III. **ENABLING COMPETENCIES**
  8. MANAGEMENT OF RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT
  9. RECORDS MANAGEMENT
- IV. **ENHANCING COMPETENCIES**
  10. RESEARCH
  11. QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

**DATE AND TIME**

**SUBJECTS**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2017**

7:00 A.M. - 7:45 A.M.	General Instructions and Filling-out of Forms
8:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.	Nursing Practice I - Community Health Nursing
11:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M.	Nursing Practice II - Care of Healthy/ At Risk Mother and Child
2:30 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.	Nursing Practice III - Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part A)

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2017**

8:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.	Nursing Practice IV - Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part B)
11:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M.	Nursing Practice V - Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part C)

**IMPORTANT:**

1. Your school/building assignment will be posted at the PRC premises and at the PRC website ([www.prc.gov.ph](http://www.prc.gov.ph)) two (2) to three (3) working days before the examination. Bring your **NOTICE OF ADMISSION** when you verify your school/building assignment. Visit your school/building assignment prior to the day of the examination.
2. **Report to the school/building assignment before 6:30 a.m. on the first day of examination to verify your room and seat number. Be punctual. Late examinees will not be admitted.**
3. **ATTIRE :**
  - Male Examinees** - **Clinical Uniform with white shoes and white socks but without nameplate, school insignia/logo and pin or School Uniform.**
  - Female Examinees** - **Clinical Uniform with white shoes and white stockings but without nameplate, school insignia/logo and pin or School Uniform.**
  - Pregnant Female** - **White Clinical Scrub Suit**
4. Bring the following on examination day:
  - a. Notice of Admission
  - b. Official Receipt
  - c. One (1) piece metered-stamped window mailing envelope
  - d. Two (2) or more pencils (No. 1 or No. 2)
  - e. Ball pens with **BLACK ink only**
  - f. One (1) piece long brown envelope
  - g. One (1) piece long transparent/plastic envelope (for keeping your valuables and other allowed items)
  - h. **NON-PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS**
5. The following are **PROHIBITED** inside the examination premises/rooms.
  - a. **Books, notes, review materials and other printed materials containing principles or excerpts thereof, coded data/information/formula which are relevant to or connected with the examination subject, programmable calculators, cellular phones, beepers, portable computers or other similar gadgets/devices.**
  - b. Bags of any kind (ladies bag, shoulder bags, attaché case, backpacks, etc.)
  - c. Other examination aides not stated on this program.

**NOTE: PRC WILL NOT BE ANSWERABLE FOR PROHIBITED ITEMS THAT WILL BE LOST.**

6. Read carefully and follow the instructions on your Notice of Admission.

Manila, Philippines  
September 26, 2017

APPROVED:

  
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