

LAURA AND JOE STREET SCHOOL OF NURSING GRADUATE DEPARTMENTAL APPLICATION

Deadline for Applications: **March 1** for **fall** start, **September 1** for **spring** start.

Complete the WTAMU Graduate School application and submit all supplemental documentation through the [**WTAMU Applicant Portal**](#).

Requirements to be Considered for Admissions (Please Upload into Your Application Checklist):

- Application to WTAMU Graduate School
- \$55 WTAMU Graduate School Application Fee
- Laura and Joe Street School of Nursing Graduate Departmental Application
- Contact Information for two (2) (Non-Academic) Clinical Supervisory References
- Resume
- Statement of Goals
- Immunization & CPR Documents
- \$50 Departmental Application Fee (Payable to WTAMU Nursing) **mailed** to:
WTAMU MSN Program Box 60969, Canyon, TX 79016

Name: _____ Date: _____
Last Name First Name

Alternative Names: _____ Buff ID Number: _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

RN License #: _____ State: _____

(Applicant must have an active, unencumbered RN license in the state in which clinical practice will be completed.)

How long have you been an RN? _____

MSN Area of Specialty (Which are You Applying for?)

- ☐ Nursing Comprehensive MSN (5703); State Area of Focus:
- ☐ Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) MSN (5708); State Area of Focus:
- ☐ Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) MSN (5728)
- ☐ POST FNP Program (5702)
- ☐ POST PMHNP Program (5729)

Professional Information:

Place of current employment: _____

Location: _____

Present Position: _____

Length of time at current employment: _____

What professional nursing organizations have you obtained membership with, if any?

Academic Information:

Please provide information concerning the colleges and universities you have attended. For non-WTAMU graduates, please request official transcripts from all schools you have attended, and have them sent to the Graduate School for processing. For transfer credit requests, a catalog description of the course must accompany the transcript, and the course must have been completed within the last six (6) years.

School: _____ Degree: _____

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Undergraduate Statistics course was completed at: _____

Are you now, or have you ever been, a member of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society?

☐ Yes☐ No**Notice of Admission:**

If admitted, the student **MUST** complete a Background and Drug Screening through CastleBranch (<https://mycb.castlebranch.com/>) **prior to beginning classes**. Please reach out to Lacy Mueggenborg (lmueggenborg@wtamu.edu), the School of Nursing Graduate Admissions Counselor, with any questions regarding this requirement and for more information upon admission.

I, the applicant, have read the above statement regarding the **CastleBranch Background and Drug Screening requirement** that must be completed upon admission to the Laura and Joe Street School of Nursing's graduate or POST-graduate certificate programs prior to beginning classes for my intended start term.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Application Summary:

- Submit application for WTAMU Graduate School, Graduate Nursing Program Application, and all additional requirements by the posted deadline for the intended term.
- Applicants must have a cumulative GPA for the last 60 hours of college credit of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Failure in any nursing coursework will be taken into consideration. A Nursing GPA will also be calculated and taken into consideration.
- Applicants will provide a current resume/CV.
- A 30-minute, minimum, professional interview via phone or Zoom will be scheduled with a designated Graduate Nursing Faculty prior to acceptance into the program.
- Provide the School of Nursing with two **(2) clinical (non-academic)** references and contact information. This information must be entered on your Graduate School application in a timely manner so that responses from references can be included in the application packet by the application deadline.
- Applicants will write/include a statement of goals that will be evaluated on:
 - Including your name and your specific short-term (within 2 years) and long-term (more than 5 years) goals, both professionally and personally.
 - Focus on how the specified MSN degree program will help achieve your goals.
 - How do your goals align with the vision and mission statements of the Laura and Joe Street School of Nursing?
 - Supportive detail regarding your identified goals.
 - Organization of goal statement (clear introduction, body, and conclusion)
 - Clarity, grammar, and punctuation
 - A word count between 500-750 words.
- **If admitted**, the student agrees to complete a Background and Drug Screening through CastleBranch (<https://mycb.castlebranch.com/>) before classes begin for their intended start term.