

Question responses must be typed and submitted by email to: <u>admissions@nmcc.edu</u>. Handwritten responses will not be accepted. All pages must be complete. Proof reading for clarity, spelling errors, and correct grammar is highly encouraged.

Candidate Name

Candidate Phone #

1. Why do you want to pursue a career as a Licensed Practical Nurse? What factors influenced your decision to apply for NMCC's LPN program?

2. Describe what techniques you use to handle stress and/or stressful situations.

3. Please describe what motivates you as an individual and as a student:



**Practical Nursing Supplemental Questions** 

4. What is your understanding of the LPN role in healthcare?

5. Nursing programs are very rigorous and time intensive. Students often say they underestimated the amount of time necessary to be a successful nursing student. What challenges with time management do you think you will face as a nursing student? Describe what strategies you will use to overcome challenges during the program.



## **Practical Nursing Supplemental Questions**

6. Understanding that there are 168 hours in a week, please use Part A and Part B below to plan how your time will be spent each day during the Practical Nursing program. The hours outlined in Part A must match the schedule in Part B.

Part A.		Estimated time (hours/week)
	a) LPN Classroom & Clinical (light blue blocks	) 24
	b) Travel to class/clinical	·
	c) Study/ Clinical preparation (16 hours minimu	um)
	d) Sleep/Personal Hygiene/Exercise	
	e) Eat/meal preparation	
	f) Work & commuting time (if any)	
	g) Other (e.g. Leisure/Family/Free time)	
	TOTAL (a. – g.) must equal	168 hours

**Part B.** Fill each box below with one of the time categories (a - g) from above. Lecture, lab, and clinical times a have already been filled for you. Note: weekly schedule is subject to change.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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6:00 AM							
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9:00 AM	а	а					
10:00 AM	а	а		а	а		
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