

# HESI

## Admission Assessment Exam

*Prepared Exclusively for the Students of UTRGV*

### Prospective Nursing Students seeking Admission into the BSN Program

#### Online Registration Instructions:

You must register in advance to secure a seat. Please visit [www.utrgv.edu/p16](http://www.utrgv.edu/p16) and click on \*register here for the exam\* to view a listing of available exam dates and times. You will need a valid email address to setup an account and register for exams.

Acceptable forms of payments are: Visa, MasterCard, Discover or electronic check.

#### Registration Fee: \$30

*48-72 hours after you register for your HESI seat with UTRGV you will receive an email with the necessary information to pay your Elsevier exam fee.*

Before the exam day, you must go to <https://evolve.elsevier.com/cs/register> to create an account and prepay the Elsevier Exam  
You are required to know your username and password

EXAMINATION TIME LIMIT : 5hrs and 30 minutes

REPORTING TIME: Report to the exam site at least 15 minutes before your testing time. Late examinees will not be allowed to test after the scheduled testing time passes and exam fees will not be refunded.

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- Please do not bring cellular phones or other electronic devices: they will not be permitted in the testing room.
- No food or drinks allowed in testing room.
- Seating is subject to availability and pre-registration is required.

REFUND POLICY : The registration fee for this exam is non-refundable.  
Transfer Policy: Fees for this exam are non-transferrable.

SCORE REPORTS : Detailed diagnostic reports are provided to prospective students upon completion.

RETEST POLICY : HESI policy requires a wait period of 3 weeks before students are allowed to retest. UTRGV School of Nursing allows 2 attempts at the HESI exam during an academic year.

CANCELATION/RESCHEDULING: You will forfeit your registration and exam fee if you cancel or reschedule your appointment.

#### **P-16 Outreach & Testing Services Brownsville:**

UTRGV at St. Joseph's Academy  
101 Saint Joseph Dr.  
Brownsville, TX 78520  
956-882-8875  
Email: [brtesting@utrgv.edu](mailto:brtesting@utrgv.edu)

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### EXAM COMPONENTS

HESI exams can only be accessed online through a secure web browser, which locks out other use on the computer.

***(Allotted time to complete the exam: 5 hrs and 30 minutes)***

#### English Language

Reading Comprehension  
Vocabulary and General Knowledge  
Grammar

#### Math

Basic Math Skills

#### Science

Anatomy and Physiology

#### Learner Profile

Learning Style  
Personality Profile

#### Critical Thinking

Problem Solving  
Biases & Ethical Dilemmas  
Argument Analysis

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#### Identification Policy

Only the following forms of identification are acceptable. If it is not on this list, it is not acceptable, and you will not be allowed to test.

- Current official photo ID must include the students name and a recognizable photograph.

Acceptable forms of valid photo identification include:

- A current driver's license
- A current state approved ID
- A current college ID
- A current state or federal ID card
- A current passport
- A current tribal ID card
- A current naturalization card or certificate of citizenship.

You will not be admitted without proper identification. All ID's must be valid.

#### Exam Information

\*Only two attempts are allowed during an academic year.

\*When retesting you can retake only the sections you need or you can retake the entire exam.

\*Minimum 75% score is needed in each section to apply for the program.

For more information please visit:  
<https://www.utrgv.edu/nursing/>

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