

HESI A2 Admission Assessment Exam

This test is a requirement for all applicants to the traditional undergraduate SIUE/SIUC School of Nursing program. (Application period is September 15-March 1st. Application can be found online at <http://www.siu.edu/nursing/prospectivestudents/undergrad/index.shtml>)

- The HESI A2 Exam will be given at least once a month in the fall and early winter.
- The exam schedule, registration and contact information can be found at <http://careerservices.siu.edu/testing/html/testschedule.htm>
- You must register for this exam to take it. Prepare to stay about 2 hours to complete the exam. You will receive your results immediately upon completion of the test.
- The fee for the Exam is \$55.00. This fee can be paid on the day of the test by cash, check, or cashier's check only.
- You will need to bring a state ID (ie. driver's license) to be admitted to the test.
- If you have any additional questions please email testing@siu.edu or call 618.453.6003

Exams Contained in the A2 include:

Math: Test items related to math concepts required when calculating drugs and solution problems. Sub-scoring of the following categories is provided: Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, decimals, ratio & proportion, household measures, and general math facts (Roman Numerals, Military Time, etc.)

Reading Comprehension: Reading scenarios related to health care topics

Vocabulary and General Knowledge: Rationales are provided at the completion of this exam.

Grammar: Tests ability to identify correct English writing formats.

- Suggested study guide: ***HESI Evolve-Reach Admission Assessment Exam Review, 2nd Edition***, by Mosby Elsevier

****In addition, the study guide above is available September-February through the

Morris Library online course reserves: The website is: <http://www.lib.siu.edu/index.html>

Click on "Course Reserves" in the Quick Links box at the left side of the screen. From there, use the pull down menus to find 'NURS 001' under 'Course'.