



DEPARTMENT OF
Nursing and Public Health

January 2026

HESI Admission Assessment (A2) Exam Information

Testing Dates and Times

(Room assignments will be sent out the week before the testing date)

Monday, January 26	9:00am-12:00pm	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, January 27	9:00am-12:00pm	1:00-4:00pm
Thursday, January 29	9:00am-12:00pm	1:00-4:00pm
Friday, January 30	9:00am-12:00pm	1:00-4:00pm

Exam cost: \$51 payable the day of testing. Payment accepted are cash (please bring exact amount) or check payable to Elmhurst University.

Sign Up Link: [Nursing HESI Admission Assessment-01-2026-SignUp.docx](#)

Or Copy and Paste: https://eccollege-my.sharepoint.com/:w/g/personal/donna_stiner_elmhurst_edu/EeKftqO2zpZCsjV5A2EqzJQB1nR3eSsjv-b2DRWSxvfI0g?e=3TQsda

If you are taking the second A & P in spring, please wait until summer to take the admission test. You can schedule a time with Professor Miller - Katherine.miller@elmhurst.edu.

Students must earn at least a **75% on each** section of the exam: Reading, Math and Anatomy & Physiology. (Exam sections are described below.) **Students are allowed only one attempt at the exam.**

Section	Description	Questions
Reading Comprehension	Provides reading scenarios in order to measure reading comprehension, identifying the main idea, finding meaning of words in context, passage comprehension, making logical inferences, etc.	55 Items
Basic Math Skills	Focuses on math skills needed for health care fields, including basic addition, subtraction, multiplication, fractions, decimals, ratio and proportion, household measures, general math facts, etc.	55 Items
Anatomy & Physiology	Provides coverage of general terminology and anatomical structures and systems.	30 Items

Review Resources:

A review book is not necessary but students may purchase the following publication if interested.

You can order the book via this link at a discounted price.

<https://evolve.elsevier.com/cs/product/9780323582261?role=student>

Elsevier: HESI: Admission Assessment Exam Review, 6th Edition Author: Elsevier
ISBN: 9780323582261

Free Review Resource:

You may also want to buy a used version Helpful websites (there are even more out there)

<https://www.hesia2practicetest.com/> <https://nursehub.com/free-hesi-a2-practice-test/>

<https://www.test-guide.com/free-hesi-a2-practice-tests.html>

<https://uniontestprep.com/hesi-exam/practice-test>

Any questions, email Professor Katie Miller at Katherine.miller@elmhurst.edu