

Open Application Checklist (Spring 2027 start):

Applications due Friday, September 18th, 2026 at 5pm (MT)

- ☐ Be admitted to UNC – have a Bear # and Bear email address
- ☐ Meet with a pre-nursing advisor
- ☐ Take the Casper assessment

Casper Test Dates:

August	Tuesday, August 4 th , 2026	6pm MST
September	Thursday, September 3 rd , 2026	6pm MST

*Casper scores will be sent directly to UNC. You can submit your NursingCAS application without having completed the assessment.
- ☐ Arrange Standardized Recommendation Surveys (SRS) – 1 academic, 1 professional
- ☐ Take the HESI admission assessment

HESI Test Dates:
 one time within the window of August 3rd, 2026 and September 17th, 2026 by 5pm.
Watch for signup genius posted to [the School of Nursing website](#) soon (for testing at Aims Community College)!

*HESI scores will be sent directly to UNC (if you sign up to take the HESI through our option at Aims). You can submit your NursingCAS application without having completed the assessment.
- ☐ Submit all official transcripts to/through NursingCAS – including UNC transcript
 **Including proof of current enrollment (if needed) of remaining pre-requisites.
- ☐ Submit School of Nursing BSN application through NursingCAS – by Friday, September 18th, 2026, at 5pm (MT)
- ☐ Complete all prerequisite courses by December 11th, 2026, with a grade of 'C-' / S+ or higher