

2026 Fall AAS Nursing Admissions - IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER & ACTION CHECKLIST

RECORD DATE WHEN STEP IS COMPLETED	ACTION/EVENT	DAY/DATE	COMMENTS	USEFUL LINKS	IMPORTANT INFORMATION
	Application Filing Period	February 15, 2026 to April 15, 2026	ALL STUDENTS MUST FILE AN APPLICATION ONLINE	Application for Admission	Print confirmation message after submission of application and retain for your records.
	Pre-admission NLN-NEX Exam-Submission of Scores	Deadline for submission of test scores: Wednesday April 15, 2026	Students must enroll for the NLN-NEX exam before they apply to the Program, and should take it as soon as possible.	NLN Guide and Instructions for Fall 2026	Submit your NLN-NEX scores to the Nursing Department by emailing them to
				NLN Testing Dates for Fall 2026 Admissions	AASnursingadmission@csi.cuny.edu
	Residency Requirement	Submission Deadline: Wednesday April 15, 2026	Email proof of U.S. Citizenship or Lawful Residency Status to Elaine Rocco at elaine.rocco@csi.cuny.edu	Residency Information	Students who do not submit the required proof of U.S. Citizenship or Lawful Residency Status will not be considered for acceptance into the AAS Nursing Program.
	Admission Status Notification	Monday June 8, 2026	Online after 10:00 am	Application Portal	Students will not be notified of acceptance by email or in person. This portal will close on Wednesday, June 18, 2025.
	NRS 110 Registration	Thursday June 11, 2026	Permission to register will be given on the day of orientation Thursday June 11, 2026 and students will self-enroll after 5:00pm.		Registration instructions will be available upon receiving admission acceptance.

	NRS 110 Orientation (Attendance Required)	Thursday June 11, 2026 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm	Admitted students will be notified with further information and instructions.		
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	CastleBranch Urine Drug Screen (UDS) (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	UDS must be completed between Wednesday June 10, 2026 and Friday July 10, 2026	Select code UZ86dt to order a Urine Drug Screen (UDS)	http://portal.castlebranch.com/uz86	Admitted students who do not order and complete a CastleBranch Urine Drug Screen (UDS) will not be allowed to remain matriculated to the AAS Nursing Program in the Fall 2025 semester. NOTE: A copy of the UDS lab results must be submitted with the NPE to the CSI Health Center. Approximate cost: \$38.50
	Nursing Physical Examination (NPE) Submission to the CSI Health Center for approval (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	NPE must be completed and approved by the CSI Health Center between Wednesday June 10, 2026 and Friday July 10, 2026	Submission of NPE is done in person by appointment ONLY . Call at 718.982.3045 to make an appointment to visit the CSI Health Center in 1C-Room 112 to submit your NPE. DO NOT EMAIL THE NPE & MEDICAL DOCUMENTS.	NPE Instructions NPE Form	Students must bring two (2) copies of the completed NPE, CastleBranch UDS and all lab results/vaccinations to the CSI Health Center. Also, students are responsible to follow up on having their NPE approved if they do not get an initial approval. The CSI Health Center will stamp the NPE on the top right corner of the first page to indicate approval.
	CastleBranch Background Check (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	Deadline: Monday, July 15, 2026	Select code UZ86bg to order a Background Check.	http://portal.castlebranch.com/uz86	Approximate cost: \$135
	AHA Basic Life Support (BLS) Certificate (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	Submission Deadline: Monday, July 15, 2026	The Nursing Department accepts BLS Certificates from the American Heart Association (AHA) ONLY.		More information on this requirement is included on the application status notification. All accepted students must reserve the following days for possible enrollment in a mandatory BLS hands-on class: 6/12/25, 6/13/25, 6/16/25
	N95 Mask Fit-testing (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	Between Wednesday June 10, 2026 and Friday July 10, 2026	Visit 5S-215, Monday through Thursday from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Read instructions included on the application status notification before your visit.		More information on this requirement is included on the application status notification.

	Submission of Clinical Onboarding Documents to the Nursing Department office (Required of Accepted Students ONLY)	Between Wednesday June 10, 2026 and Friday July 10, 2026	Students must submit hard copies of their NPE, BLS, Background Check & Nursing Program Attestation to the Nursing Department office in 5S-213 (Monday to Thursday from 9:00am to 5:00pm).	NPE & Clinical Onboarding Flowchart	
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