## Clearwater Campus – TEAS Testing - Building #1 – Student Services 6100 154th Avenue N, Clearwater, FL 33760 Phone: 727-538-7167

Testing times are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning at 8:00 a.m. Arrive at 7:30 a.m. and two (2) times per month on Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m. Arrive at 4:00 p.m. It is required that you arrive early to pay and complete other testing requirements. See "Click here for required steps to take the TEAS" on myptc.edu – Clearwater Campus - Admissions – Testing Page. You are required to test at the Clearwater campus for Clearwater PN classes.

# **Additional TEAS Information**

The TEAS is an 170 question advanced reading, math, language and science test which is required for entry into the Practical Nursing Programs at Pinellas Technical College. It is not a nursing test – you do not have to be a nurse to answer the questions – but the questions are nursing related, for example, the knowledge needed to answer the questions can be transferred over to a nursing related circumstance. The content areas of the test include: reading, math, science and English language usage. The test will take approximately 3.5 hours to complete. You must score at least 56% on the TEAS Version 7 test to be considered eligible for application to the Practical Nursing program. Approximately 40% of students take the TEAS more than once. Test preparation is strongly encouraged before taking this comprehensive test. The TEAS may be taken only four (4) times in a year, from your first test date. There is a required 14 day waiting period between testing. TEAS test scores are good for two (2) years from the class start date.

It is recommended that you must have scored a minimum 236 in Math and 249 in Reading on the CASAS before taking the TEAS test.

## **Test Prep Information**

Information and the purchase of a study guide and practice tests for the TEAS may be obtained from the website <u>http://www.atitestingcom/</u>. The cost will be approximately \$90.

There are several other test prep options available via the website listed below, where TEAS aids are available:

<u>https://www.mometrix.com/academy/teas-test/</u> (Test prep – Free) <u>https://www.teaspracticetest.com/</u> (Practice test – Free) <u>https://www.test-guide.com/free-teas-practice-tests.html</u> (Test pre - Free) <u>https://www.purplemath.com/</u> (Math course – Free)

You can also "Google" the word "TEAS" or the title "TEAS Study Guide" for additional online resources. Disclaimer: You can use AI, ChatGPT or Microsoft CoPilot, but it is recommended that answers are checked carefully and this is a third tier of your study materials.

#### What to Bring:

- Photo ID State ID, Driver's License or Passport only
- ATI's User Name and Password. Go to <u>www.atitesting.com</u>. You MUST have this information to test
- Credit Card to purchase discounted \$70 for TEAS Version 7 test

### **TEAS Score Ranking Criteria for PTC Practical Nursing Packets\***

| TEAS Score Values    | Points |
|----------------------|--------|
| TEAS Score 91.0-100  | 6      |
| TEAS Score 84.0-90.9 | 5      |
| TEAS Score 77.0-83.9 | 4      |
| TEAS Score 70.0-76.9 | 3      |
| TEAS Score 63.0-69.9 | 2      |
| TEAS Score 56.0-62.9 | 1      |

\*Other criteria used