



LIMPOPO

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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TO : ALL QUALIFYING CANDIDATES

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DEPARTMENTAL CIRCULAR NO.....OF 2023


ADVERTISEMENT FOR STUDENT NURSE TRAINING FOR THE DIPLOMA IN NURSING: GENERAL (R.171) FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024.

1. Applications are hereby invited from suitable candidates for the 3-year Diploma in Nursing: General (Government Notice R.171 of 8 March 2013) for the academic year 2024.
2. Applications should include an application form, a rating scale, certified copies of the following: required educational qualifications including Matric or National Senior Certificate, Proof of Residence and an Identity Document (ID).
3. Applicants responding to this circular should quote Departmental Circular Number.
4. Applications will be done Online.
5. To download application forms for Limpopo College of Nursing, go to <https://www.ldoh.gov.za/?q=college2023>
6. To apply and upload, go to <https://ldoh-vacancyapplication.azurewebsites.net/?>
7. The College reserves the right to select or not to select the applicant.
8. Correspondence will be entered into with selected candidates only.
9. Candidates should consider their applications unsuccessful if they have not heard from the College by the end of February 2024
10. The closing date for applications is 31 October 2023

NB 1: A non-refundable administration fee of R100.00 must be paid by all applicants. [See Prospectus for the Banking Details and proof of payment must be attached to the application form]

NB 2: Kindly note that NO payment of any kind is required when applying to be registered for training as a nurse at Limpopo College of Nursing.

General enquiries about the advertised post should be directed to Student Affairs Offices at 015 291 1120/1013/1017/1019/1020 during office hours.


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DR NDWAMATO NN
ACTING HEAD OF DEPARTMENT

04/10/2023

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DATE

CANDIDATES FOR THE DIPLOMA IN NURSING: GENERAL (R.171).

Applications are invited to apply to study towards Diploma in Nursing: General (R.171) for the academic year 2024 for the Limpopo College of Nursing.

The programme will be offered at the following nursing campuses:

- **Giyani Campus**
- **Sovenga Campus**
- **Thohoyandou Campus**

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A) Must be a South African citizen, who resides in Limpopo Province.
- B) Must have a school leaving certificate: Senior Certificate with endorsement (Matric Exemption) or National Senior Certificate – Bachelor's Degree Pass or currently in Grade 12.
 - A minimum of 24 points on Rating Scale, excluding Life Orientation
 - Minimum Requirements for Compulsory Subjects:
 - English HG-D or Level 4
 - Biology/Life Sciences HG-D or Level 4
 - Physical Science HG-D or Level 4
 - Mathematics HG-D or Level 4
 - Mathematics Literacy Level 5
- C) Current Grade 12 learners must meet the National Senior Certificate requirements in their Grade 11 results.
- D) The applicant must be a South African citizen and must provide Proof of Residence and an Identity Document.

How to apply

The application shall be done online by following the links provided.

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2. To apply and upload, go to <https://ldoh-vacancyapplication.azurewebsites.net/>
3. Certified documents will be uploaded onto the system and candidates and candidates will be required to submit the original documents to the College, should they be selected.
4. No hand-delivery or e-mailed applications will be accepted as all applications must be done online.

ALL THE REGISTERED STUDENTS WITH THE LIMPOPO COLLEGE OF NURSING WILL RECEIVE BURSARY ALLOWANCE.

**THIS IS OUR
SECOND INTAKE OF
NURSES SINCE NEW
CURRICULUM**

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING FOR THE 2024

**APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED TO LIMPOPO
COLLEGE OF NURSING**

NAME OF PROGRAMME: DIPLOMA IN NURSING :GENERAL	SANC REGULATION: R.171 OF 8 MARCH 2013
DURATION: THREE(3)YEARS	NQF LEVEL:6
TOTAL CREDITS:	364
MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION	ENGLISH



MEC for Health
DR PHOPHI RAMATHUBA

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Senior Certificate with endorsement (Matric exemption) or National Senior certificate- Bachelor's Degree Pass.

A minimum of 24 points on rating scale excluding Life- Orientation

Minimum Requirements for Compulsory

subjects: English *HG E or Level 4;*
Biology/Life Sciences *HG E or Level 4;*
Physical Sciences *HG E / Level 4;*
Mathematics *HG E / Level 4;*
Maths Literacy *Level 5*

The applicant must be a South African citizen who resides in Limpopo Province

ADMINISTRATION FEES.

R100- Non refundable
NB: No Cash shall be accepted

TRAINING

The three -year diploma programme in nursing is presented by the Limpopo Province College of Nursing at its four (4) Campuses, namely Giyani, Sovenga, Thohoyandou, and Sekhukhune in accordance with Regulation R.171 of the South African Nursing Council. On completion of the course, a candidate will obtain a Diploma endorsed by the Moderating Higher Education Institution serving as Quality Assurer which allows for registration with the South African Nursing Council for the Diploma in General Nursing.

Enquiries

Limpopo College of Nursing: Student Affairs Offices
Telephone No. 015 291 1120 Ext 1019/1013/1017/1020
Physical address: 34 Hans Van Rensburg Street Polokwane
Mail: Private Bag X9538; Polokwane 0700

CLOSING DATE 31 OCTOBER 2023

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Application forms may be downloaded from the College website:

<https://www.lidoh.gov.za/?q=college2023>

COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS AND CERTIFIED COPIES MUST BE UPLOADED TO

<https://lidoh-vacancyapplication.azurewebsites.net/>

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

- ✔ Will be contacted telephonically or via their emails as captured on the application form.
- ✔ Will be required to sign an agreement with the Limpopo Department of Health for the bursary allowance.



LIMPOPO COLLEGE OF NURSING
DIPLOMA IN NURSING: GENERAL (R.171 OF 8 MARCH 2013)

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RATING SCALE

Rating scale to be completed by all applicants who have Senior Certificate with endorsement (Matric Exemption) OR National Senior Certificate with Bachelor's degree

FULL NAME OF APPLICANT _____

I.D. NUMBER

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CIRCLE YOUR SUBJECT UNDER THE APPROPRIATE SYMBOL/LEVEL AND TOTAL AT THE BOTTOM OF THE SCALE

NB: LIFE ORIENTATION SHOULD NOT BE COUNTED

%	80 -100%	70-79%	60-69%	50-59%	40-49%	30-39%	0-29%
LEVEL	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
HG	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
SG		A	B	C	D	E	F

ENGLISH							
LIFE SCIENCES/BIOLOGY							
PHYSICAL SCIENCES							
MATHEMATICS							
MATHEMATICAL LITERACY							
AFRIKAANS							
NORTHERN SOTHO/SEPEDI							
TSONGA							
VENDA							
ISINDEBELE							
AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE							
GEOGRAPHY							
HISTORY							
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY							
COMPUTER APPLICATION TECHNOLOGY							
ACCOUNTING							
ECONOMICS							
BUSINESS STUDIES							
CONSUMER STUDIES/HOSPITALITY (CIRCLE THE APPROPRIATE ONE)							
DRAMATIC ARTS/VISUAL ARTS/CULTURE AND ARTS (CIRCLE THE APPROPRIATE ONE)							
ENGINEERING GRAPHICSAND DESIGN							
MUSIC							
OTHER							

REQUIRED: MINIMUM 24 POINTS

TOTAL SCORE: _____

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____



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PROSPECTUS FOR LIMPOPO COLLEGE OF NURSING

Programmes: Diploma in Nursing General (R171 of 8 March 2013)

VISION

Limpopo College of nursing strives to be a Centre of excellence in the education and training of nurses who display allied competence in the provision of care to the community

MISSION

The College is committed to facilitate an outcomes-based scientific nursing education that will advocate for patients in a multicultural environment.

Medium of instruction: English Disclaimer

Limpopo College of Nursing (LCN) reserves the rights to amend/change any rule or

provision at any time without prior notice. LCN does not accept responsibility for possible inaccuracy.

VALIDITY

The Limpopo College of Nursing brochure/ prospectus is valid for the current year.

THE TRAINING PROGRAMMES:

The three -year diploma programme in nursing is presented by the Limpopo Province College of Nursing at its **four (4) Campuses, namely Giyani, Sovenga, Thohoyandou, and Sekhukhune** in accordance with Regulation R.171 of the South African Nursing Council. On completion of the course, a candidate will obtain a Diploma endorsed by the Moderating Higher Education Institution serving as Quality Assurer which allows for registration with the South African Nursing Council for the Diploma in General Nursing.



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IMPORTANT NOTICES FOR ALL APPLICANTS

1. College application forms may be downloaded from the College **website:** <http://www.ldoh.gov.za/?q=lcn>
2. The selected candidates shall be notified telephonically about the selection committee's final decision
3. Candidates should consider their applications unsuccessful if they have not heard from the College by the end of **February 2024**
4. The College reserves the right to select or not to select an applicant.
5. Compliance with the minimum requirements does not guarantee an admission as the College has a specific number of vacancies/spaces as approved by the Department of Health for first year intake.
6. The College will verify all grade 12 results of selected candidates after the intake. Registration will thus not be finalized until Umalusi results have been received. If a student's results are found not to be authentic, he/she will automatically be denied further registration with the College and will be deregistered and asked to leave. Any costs incurred by the College will be claimed from the student.
7. Original deposit slip for administration fee must be attached to the application form. If not attached, the application will be disqualified.
8. Three (3) telephone numbers of relatives or friends must be written on application form.
9. Certified proof of residential address must accompany or be attached to the application form.
10. The Grade 12 statement of results must be submitted on the 10th of January. Where the 10th of January falls on a Saturday or Sunday then the Grade 12 statement of results must be submitted on the Friday before.

CANDIDATES WHO PASSED STANDARD 10/GRADE 12 PRIOR TO THE CURRENT ACADEMIC YEAR

1. Senior Certificate with endorsement (Matric exemption) or National Senior certificate- Bachelor's Degree Pass.
2. Compulsory subjects: English HG D-symbol or Level 4 Biology/Life sciences HG D or Level 4, Physical Science HG D or Level 4, Mathematics HG D or Level 4 or Mathematical Literacy Level 5
3. An aggregate of 24 points on rating scale excluding Life- orientation
4. Certified proof of current registration with SANC (EN/ENA).
5. Must be a South African citizen from Limpopo Province.

CANDIDATES CURRENTLY IN GRADE 12 (NSC)

1. Candidates must submit certified copies of statement of results by the 10th of January each year after the Grade 12 examination results are released, to the office of the Registrar with the following pass criteria:
2. National Senior certificate—Bachelor's Degree Pass.
3. Compulsory subjects: English Level 4, Life sciences Level 4, Physical Science Level 4, Mathematics Level 4
4. An aggregate of 24 points on rating scale excluding Life- Orientation
5. Must be a South African citizen from Limpopo Province.

1. Applications are open till **31 OCTOBER 2023**
2. The completed application form must be signed.
3. A certified copy of the Senior Certificate, Identity book/card and marriage certificate where applicable must be attached.
4. Completed Rating scale must be attached where applicable.
5. Certified proof of registration with SANC must be attached where applicable
6. Certified or original proof of residence (municipal accounts of parents should be accompanied by an affidavit / letter from municipality)
7. Current Grade 12 candidates must provide a testimonial from the school with the selected subjects



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TRAINING

Students are allocated to any one of the college campuses. Lectures/contact sessions are given by the Lecturers of the College and must be attended according to the College's annual programme. Formative and Summative assessments are written at pre-determined times. The students are also expected to hand in assignments and complete projects given to them by the Lecturers. Work Integrated Learning (WIL) is done in various clinical facilities in the province.

Allocation to these facilities is done by the Campuses. Limited accommodation is available at campuses and clinical facilities.

Program Content

The Diploma covers a three year period. A student is only allowed to fail one year of study. Maximum period allowed to complete the course, is 4 years. Should a student therefore fail one year, she/he can only repeat that year of study once. The student's training will be terminated if she/he should fail any year thereafter. A student will not receive a bursary whilst repeating a year of study.

Standard Examinations are written yearly during October/November each year. Supplementary Examinations are written during December of the same year.

Intake: There shall be one intake per year Fees

A non-refundable administration fee of R100.00 which forms part of the application process must be deposited into the college bank account.

Bank details are as follows:

Name of Bank – NEDBANK Account no—1419021265;

Name of the Account—Limpopo College of Nursing Type of account—Cheque account Branch—Savannah

The college reserves the right to adjust the administration fee

Deposit slip as proof of payment must be attached to the application form.

NB! NO CASH SHALL BE ACCEPTED

Tuition fee is paid by all students, registered for training. The amount is determined by the College Council and is deducted in accordance with stipulated terms.

Successful candidates will be registered with the South African Nursing Council (SANC) as students.

Application forms are not sold

Books

A list of prescribed books is made available to students during orientation. NB: it is compulsory that students buy prescribed books.

Bursary

Training for this programme will be on bursary system.

Boarding and Lodging

Board and lodging is available at a prescribed monthly fee. Students shall sign a lease agreement for the accommodation provided.

NB: NO CATERING IS PROVIDED

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (CONTRACT)

All students shall sign a memorandum of agreement with the Limpopo Department of Health on admission to the college
CORRESPONDENCE/ ENQUIRY:

All Correspondence and Enquiries should be addressed to:
The Registrar: Academic Limpopo College of Nursing Private Bag
X9538 POLOKWANE
0700

Physical Address of Limpopo College of Nursing:
Department of Health Capricorn District Building
34 Hans van Rensburg Street Ground floor
Polokwane Office no 46

Telephone No. 015 291 1120 Ext 1019/1013/1017/1020