

January 2025 HESI Admission Assessment (A2) Exam Information for
Elmhurst University Department of Nursing and Health Sciences

Testing Dates and Times (Room assignments will be sent out the week before the testing date)

- Monday, January 6, 2025 12pm-3pm
- Tuesday, January 7, 2025 9 am – 12 pm
- Wednesday, January 29, 2025 9 am -12 pm
- Thursday, January 30, 2025 12 pm – 3 pm

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

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

Please use this [link](#) to sign up for the test. There will have plenty of room on each testing date so add lines if needed to the sign-up sheet. (If you are taking the second A & P in spring, please wait until summer to take the admission test—you can negotiate a time with Professor Brennan brennanl@elmhurst.edu)

The exam consists of 3 sections as noted below (The A2 test has more exams but Elmhurst only tests on the following three).

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

A review book is not necessary but students may be 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

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 Laura Brennan at brennanl@elmhurst.edu