Senior Information

S2 Website
baylor.edu/nursing/nursing_undergrad/S2

* Baylor Login required
Four (4) Lists Circulating!

1. Diploma Registry
2. Graduating Student Check-off List
3. BON Licensure List
4. Senior Composite Photo Sitting

*Do not leave today without signing off on all 4 LISTS!*
1. Diploma Registry

SERVES AS YOUR INTENT TO GRADUATE

Do not leave without completing

• Print your name as you want it to appear on your diploma.
  – Does not have to be your legal name…

• Do not fill this out for anyone else

• If you need to make changes after today.
  Email: Debra_Milam@baylor.edu
List all States you *might* apply for Licensure in yellow highlighted column

**WHY?**

- Helps us know if you need additional information on other state application processes.
- Helps us locate your license after you graduate.
Verify on the check list before you leave TODAY the following!

- Application name
- Birth Date
- SS# - on file with BU

*Must match your ID & NCLEX App
• **GOAL 100% PARTICIPATION!**

• No Sitting Fee

• No Purchase Required!
  Consider purchasing at least a composite

• Dorm Lobby – 2/8 & 2/15
  – Sign up sheet is circulating

If everyone participates; Composite will be complete.
LICENSURE VS NCLEX

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE??

Two separate processes – Both are required!

No matter what state you apply in!
LICENSURE vs NCLEX
Licensure Application
• By State
• Each state process is different
• Fees vary by State
• Background Check process varies by state

NCLEX Registration-PearsonVue
• Nationwide Exam
• May test anywhere in the US
• Fee is the same for everyone
• Communicates with each State BON

Two separate processes – Both are required!
• APPLY ONLINE NOW!!
  (pay $100 fee)
  – Exam Information
  – Online Application

• Fingerprints?
  Everyone was fingerprinted for the Texas Board of Nursing upon entering the nursing school.

  **You will not need to do this again**
  if applying in Texas

• Remember: This is a separate process from the NCLEX Registration!
• **Online Applications:**
  * (January 11th – February 15th)
  ✓ Print out receipt & keep it in a safe place!!
  ✓ Email Debbie confirmation
    *(Forward your email)*
Alternative Application

- Paper Applications - *Only* if you had unusual circumstances

- Or want to pay by check/Money order

*such as a D.O.*- Completed applications must be submitted 90-120 days prior to grad date.
What is this? Who needs this?

Anyone who has been:

– Arrested, fingerprinted, deferred adjudication…

– diagnosed, treated, or hospitalized, for mental illness

– addicted to or treated for drugs and/or alcohol

* Submit a copy of your BON clearance letter.

* MUST submit a hard copy Application

* Details on pg. 2 of application
Applying in another State

Nurse Licensure Compact States

Questions? nursecompact@ncsbn.org

The video will help explain what this is
AFTER GRADUATION

- **Affidavits** – LHSON will submit to TX BON after graduation
- **ATT issued by PearsonVue** – Student receives Authorization To Test (ATT)
- **NCLEX** – Choose your date and time to take the NCLEX with PearsonVue
- **Applying Out of State? Read Guidelines!**
  - Need HELP?
    - Call me or email me
    - contact the State Board for the State you are applying in.
Register to take the **NCLEX** with **PearsonVue**

- Apply for Licensure FIRST
- Set up your account and login
- Pay $200.00 registration fee

*You will not choose your date & time until after you receive ATT from the BON, (5-15 business days after Graduation)*
• Name you use must match the name on your ID
Need to change your name or address with the TX BON? (Name/Address Change Instructions)

• All name and address information must match on all aspects of ALL applications

• Use an *email address you’ll check regularly

*Baylor email is OK. You will have it for up to 6 months after graduation. (you will be transferred to the Alumni site after graduation.)
Licensure Process Overview

A copy of this is in your Senior Information Folder.
Licensure Recap

• Submit application & fee to BON Mar/Apr
• Register for NCLEX – Mar/Apr
• NJPE (Nursing Jurisprudence Exam) * anytime after you apply
• Affidavits sent to BON by LHSON Monday May 16th
• Student receives ATT from BON May/June
• NCLEX - Student Selects Date/Time/Location
PINNING
• **Rehearsal**
  Wed. **May 11th 1:00pm**
  Rehearsal is **Mandatory**

• **Pinning**
  Thr. **May 12th 1:00pm**
  *students arrive by 11:45am*

• **East Dallas Christian Church**

*maps & information will sent via email*
Pinning Attire

Pinning Ceremony
• **Pinner:** Dean & Associate Dean

• **Attire:** LHSON Lab coat and....
  - Ladies: Black dress* or slacks & modest white shirt, *Shoes should be Low to flat heels, no sandals.
  - Men: Black Slacks, collared white shirt with a tie and dress shoes
Dressing Appropriately - SHOES
Dressing Appropriately - Clothing

Dressing Appropriately

[Images of dress and formal attire with a checkmark for appropriateness and examples of inappropriate attire with an X mark]
Pinning Ceremony

- **Photos**: Professional photographer taking pictures.

- **Invitations**: available through Jostens, just like graduation invitations.

- **Guests**: Tickets!
  - guest count for Ceremony
  - guest count for Reception
• RECEPTION - immediately following ceremony
  (Come & Go Style, with no table seating)

• Where: **BGCT Building**
  located next-door to the Landry Center

• **Menu:** Light refreshments
  Coffee, punch, cookies
  & desert bars
OFFICIAL BAYLOR NURSING PIN
• **Who qualifies:** Pins may be purchased by any current graduating student.

• **Cost:** $248 solid 10K gold
  $50 gold plated
  available with or without swivel necklace option

• **Pin or No Pin:** A pin is not required for students to participate in the ceremony.
  • May use other pin.
  • Only 1 pin may be used.

• **Deadline:** March 1st
  for guaranteed arrival for the pinning ceremony.
  • ONLINE ORDERING! – follow instructions in your packet.

*Contact the company directly, if you don’t order by the deadline!
• When do I get my Pin?
  • Pins are delivered to the nursing school not the student.
  • You will receive your pin during the ceremony.

• Pin or No Pin?
  You are not required to purchase a pin, however we strongly encourage you to do so.

*Everyone gets a green ribbon with or without a pin.
COMMENCEMENT

AKA...GRADUATION
• **WHEN:** Friday May 13, 2016

• **TIME:** 2:30pm*

• **WHERE:** Ferrell Center, Waco

• **REHEARSAL:** Mandatory if you participate in Commencement. Details will be sent via email from Waco. NO TICKETS are required

* Details can be found on the [Commencement Webpage](#)
• **Regalia** - sold by the bookstore in Waco. *Follett Bookstore will be here at LHSON in March to place or pick up orders.*

• **Invitations** - are available through [Jostens](#) online NOW

• **Attendance** - If you are NOT attending, click on “not attending graduation”

• **Name Pronunciation** – if you have an unusual, or [difficult name to pronounce](#) *login required!*
• Diploma Registry – TODAY!

• Ring – Rep. at LHSON Feb 8th
  • Ring Ceremony in Waco Hall
    May 3, 2016 at 5:30pm

• Attendance? – Only if NOT attending

• Name Pronunciation - Online
Please take time to read ALL emails!

From

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(alias Debbie!)

Especially if the subject line contains

✓ Licensure
✓ BON
✓ ATT
✓ NCLEX
✓ Graduation; Commencement etc…
CONGRATULATIONS!

Sic ‘Em Bears!