



March 24, 2023

Dear Annabelle Hooper:

Congratulations! You have been accepted into the Utah State University PN program on the Price campus beginning fall semester 2023. I am excited that you have chosen to pursue and start the journey of becoming a nurse. Participants in a Gallup poll for several years have identified nurses among the top professionals with the highest honesty and ethical standards. Being a nurse isn't easy, but can provide endless opportunities for you to make a difference and it is a privilege to care for others as a nurse.

Please **sign/initial, date, and return** the Acceptance to the PN program form, and the Concept-based Curriculum Acknowledgement form, and return to Kizzy Ellington either in-person or as an email attachment ([kizzy.ellington@usu.edu](mailto:kizzy.ellington@usu.edu)) or mail to: USU Nursing, C/O Kizzy Ellington, 451 E 400 N, MCC 216, Price, UT 84501, by **April 10<sup>th</sup>**. Be sure to sign and initial the form in the places indicated. **Failure to meet the deadline for return of the acceptance and acknowledgement forms will result in loss of your position in the program.**

We encourage you to apply for all scholarships you are eligible for using the [USU Scholarship](#) page. [The Financial Aid office](#) can help you with any FAFSA application questions. USU Nursing offers a number of scholarships, and we encourage you to apply. You will find information for nursing specific scholarships on the [Nursing website](#). Scholarship applications are open until May 1 (midnight).

As a USU nursing student, you will be completing clinical shifts within our community and partner facilities. These hospitals and clinics have specific requirements that each of our students must meet in order to complete clinical shifts in their facilities. These requirements are found on our [nursing website](#). It is critically important that you are compliant prior to the beginning of fall semester (August 1). If you do not have your immunization documents with you now, please arrange to have your titers drawn, **specifically your Hepatitis B titer**, and have the documents ready to upload when instructed.

We will send additional information regarding clinical immunization and testing requirements, orientation, uniforms, course schedule, and textbooks in May 2023.

I look forward to meeting you should you accept a position in the USU PN program. Again, congratulations!

Sincerely,

Laura Dotson

Laura Dotson, DNP, MSN, A-GNP-C  
Director, Nursing Programs

**Utah State Department of Nursing**

Please initial, sign, and complete this form, and return to the USU Nursing Program by April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023. If you have any questions, please contact the person identified for your campus in the Letter of Acceptance.

**Please choose one by initializing your choice:**

- ☐ I plan to enter the USU Nursing Program as indicated in my *Letter of Acceptance* for Fall 2023.
- ☐ I do not plan to enter the USU Nursing Program as indicated in my *Letter of Acceptance* for Fall 2023.

**Please initial the following statement:**

- ☐ I am accepting a position in the USU Nursing Program and understand that I will lose my position in the program if I do not submit documentation of requirements (a list of required documents with the due date sent to me after my acceptance into USU Nursing Program).
- ☐ I understand that registration for the nursing courses for fall semester 2023 is contingent upon successful completion of the required prerequisites:
  - ☐ I graduated in December 2022, or prior to, and acknowledged that all my prerequisites need to be completed by May 30<sup>th</sup> to guarantee my acceptance into the AAS Nursing Program.
  - ☐ I graduated in May 2023 and acknowledged that all my prerequisites need to be completed by August 20<sup>th</sup> to guarantee my acceptance into the AAS Nursing Program.

**Student Information:**

Student Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name you go by: \_\_\_\_\_ A Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Information:**

*Phone Numbers:*

Best Contact Phone Number (Home): \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Phone Number (Cell): \_\_\_\_\_

*Email Address:* If you are a current, registered USU student, use you're a-number email (USU email). If you are a non-registered USU student, provide your secondary email that we can email information to.

USU Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\*USU provides an official [A#@usu.edu](mailto:A#@usu.edu) email account to all students for use during their academic career. USU (the Nursing Department) uses this address to send important communications to students.