

Mental and Physical Eligibility Requirements

Students must be able to:

1. **Perform motor skills safely, such as:**
 - a. Lifting, bathing, positioning, and transporting patients;
 - b. Moving efficiently enough to meet the needs of several clients in a timely fashion;
 - c. Lifting, positioning, or moving an unconscious client in order to perform lifesaving procedures.
2. **Perform activities requiring manual dexterity, such as:**
 - a. Giving injections;
 - b. Operating equipment and devices such as thermometers, blood pressure cuffs, and IV pumps;
 - c. Efficiently operating equipment and devices in emergency situations;
 - d. Inserting and/or maintaining any client catheters or other tubes.
3. **Perform activities requiring accurate and efficient interpretation and communication of information in English, both written and spoken.** For example:
 - a. Responding to a physician's order;
 - b. Reading and recording information;
 - c. Directing assistive staff.
4. **Respond to signals, alarms, and other displays** indicating urgent client need, **and take immediate action.**
5. **Perform effectively under stress.**
6. **Demonstrate ability to analyze data, calculate, and measure.**
7. **Disabilities:**

Any student with a documented disability may be eligible for related accommodations. To determine eligibility and secure services, students should contact the coordinator of Disability Services at their first opportunity after registration for a class. Student Disability Services is located on the second floor of the Taylor Building on the Twin Falls Campus, 208-732-6260 (voice) or 208-734-9929 (TDD).