**ASN Admission Acceptance Disclaimer**

I understand that I have been accepted to the Salish Kootenai College’s A.S. in Nursing Program for fall 2020 contingent on the completion and submission of the required documents and results from your background check, and Health History form, by the deadline of August 15, 2020. By completing and signing this disclaimer I confirm that I plan to accept my admission placement in the fall 2020-2021 class.

I understand that my admission to the Nursing Program does not guarantee progression in the curriculum. To progress in the curriculum and graduate with an Associate of Science in Nursing Degree from SKC, I must complete all required courses each quarter with a grade of "C" or better. If I fail to receive a minimum of "C" in a required course, completion of degree requirements may extend beyond two years.

# Please read and initial each one of the Student Responsibility Statements.

As part of the admissions process, I  understand that:

 (Print Name)

\_\_\_\_ Official transcripts must verify the coursework completed.

\_\_\_\_ Fraud or misrepresentation on my nursing application or health form is grounds for dismissal from the Nursing Program.

\_\_\_\_ In the clinical setting, client safety must be maintained at all times. Students must be able to think clearly, with sound judgment and carry out safe physical and emotional care of the clients/patients. Student health problems that may potentially affect client safety must be stabilized prior to admission. New illnesses or injuries impacting safety must be reported immediately to the Nursing Director.

\_\_\_\_ Student pregnancies must be reported, to the student’s clinical instructor **AND** the Director of Nursing, before the clinical shift following pregnancy diagnosis to allow necessary adjustments to student clinical assignment.

\_\_\_\_ Educational expenses for enrollment in the Nursing Program are higher than those for the general college student. While SKC assists students in obtaining financial aid, students are fully responsible for payment of tuition, related education obligations, and living expenses.

\_\_\_\_ Personal transportation to clinical sites is required at the student’s expense.

\_\_\_\_A physician’s recommendation and official American with Disabilities Act documentation must accompany any request for specific classroom accommodations. It is required to have ongoing monitoring by a physician to ensure appropriate accommodations are met.

\_\_\_\_ Student background check is required annually.

\_\_\_\_ Drug testing is required; a fee of $55 will be charged to my SKC student account.

\_\_\_\_ Completion of the Associate Degree Program is not the sole criteria for obtaining a license to practice nursing in Montana. These requirements are independent of the graduation requirements of Salish Kootenai College. You are responsible for the satisfaction of the requirements of the Montana State Board of Nursing and Nursing Practice Act to be eligible for a RN license. A complete description of grounds for denial of a license is printed in the State of Montana Statutes and Rules relating to Nursing. A copy is available in the Nursing Department or maybe accessed via the State Board of Nursing website: <http://mt.gov/DLI/BSD/contact.asp>

\_\_\_\_ Attendance at Nursing Institute **(date / time TBA due to COVID restrictions)** is mandatory. Failure to attend all sessions of institute is subject for dismissal from the Nursing Program.

\_\_\_\_ Additional costs associated with the Nursing Institute (e.g. housing) will be the responsibility of the student.

\_\_\_\_ Student Uniform/logo, Name Tag Order, Liability Insurance, CPR Training, and Nursing Central app costs are separate from tuition and fees. Payment for these items will be the responsibility of the student.

\_\_\_\_ Failure to return all documentations for admission by the due date is subject for dismissal from the Nursing Program.

I have read and understand the Admissions Acceptance Disclaimer. This statement will be placed in my permanent record.

Applicant signature Date