



# LAKE SUPERIOR STATE UNIVERSITY

## Testing Information Sheet

### LSSU BSN Application About the TEAS and Critical Thinking Tests

Beginning spring semester 2010, the nursing faculty at LSSU decided to follow the lead of many other Schools of Nursing across the state (and across the country) to require all nursing program applicants to complete two on-line tests from ATI (Assessment Technologies Institute); the **TEAS Test** and the **Critical Thinking Test**.

The **TEAS Test** (Testing of Essential Academic Skills) will cost you \$45.00 in payment to our LSSU Testing Center. It is a four-part general test of basic knowledge in Math, English, Reading and Science. You have up to 209 minutes to complete this 170 question test while sitting at a computer at the Testing Center on our campus.

The **Critical Thinking Test** will cost you \$43.00 in payment to our LSSU Testing Center. It is a 40 minute test of 30 questions and is also taken on a computer at the Testing Center on our campus.

Scores from both tests are due to the Department of Nursing no later than Dec. 1, 2009

#### **Before you are allowed to take these two tests, you will need to:**

- (1) Sign up for an appointment at the LSSU Testing Center (Carol Boger 635-2452).
- (2) Pay your testing fees (cash or check payable to LSSU).
- (3) Provide LSSU's Testing Services with your LSSU student ID.

#### **Testing Dates, Times and Locations:**

##### **TEAS:**

Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009, 1:30 – 5:30 pm

Sunday, Oct. 25, 2009, 1:30 – 5:30 pm

Sunday, Nov. 8, 2009, 1:30 – 5:30 pm

##### **Critical Thinking:**

Monday, Oct. 26, 2009, 10:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:00 noon, 1:00 pm, 2:00 pm, 3:00 pm

Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2009, 1:00 pm, 2:00 pm, 3:00 pm

Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2009, 10:00 am, 4:00 pm, 5:00 pm

Thursday, Oct. 29, 2009, 5:00 pm, 6:00 pm, 7:00 pm

All testing will be given in Library 253. Please enter that room by going through the Library and following the Circulation Desk to the left.