

## ACCEPTABLE ENGLISH LANGUAGE TESTS

All persons whose primary language is not English are required to successfully complete an English language proficiency test. The CRNS accepts the following tests as meeting this requirement for eligibility for registration in Saskatchewan.

*'Primary language shall be defined as the language you learned at home in childhood or it is the language which you identify as knowing best and being most comfortable with and is the language primarily used for reading, writing, listening, and speaking.'*

- The scores listed below are the **minimum** scores we accept.
- Combined scores from different tests are not acceptable.
- If your test results become more than two years old **at any time during the application process or prior to registration**, you will be required to provide updated test results.

Name of Test	Minimum Acceptable Test Score	Organization to Contact for More Information	
<b>IELTS</b> <i>International English Language Testing System</i>  *Academic Version	Speaking - 7 Writing – 6.5 Listening – 7 Reading – 6.5 Overall - 7 All components must be met on one test or if eligible IELTS One Skill Retake will be accepted	Tests 4 basic areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaking</li> <li>• Writing</li> <li>• Listening</li> <li>• Reading</li> </ul>	For current requirements and test information, please visit the IELTS website at: <a href="http://www.ielts.org/">www.ielts.org/</a> or <a href="http://www.ielts.org/">https://ielts.org/</a> <a href="http://www.ielts.org/">www.ielts.org/</a> or <a href="http://www.ielts.org/">https://ielts.org/</a>
<b>CELBAN</b> <i>Canadian English Language Benchmark Assessment for Nurses</i>	Speaking - 8 Writing - 7 Listening - 9 Reading - 8  All components must be met on one test	Composed of 4 sections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaking</li> </ul> Group: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listening</li> <li>• Reading</li> <li>• Writing</li> </ul>	For current requirements and test information, please visit the CELBAN website at: <a href="http://www.celbancentre.ca/">http://www.celbancentre.ca/</a>
<b>OET</b> <i>Occupational English Test</i>	Speaking – B Writing – C+ Listening – B Reading – C+ All components must be met on one test	Tests 4 basic areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaking</li> <li>• Writing</li> <li>• Listening</li> <li>• Reading</li> </ul>	For current requirements and test information, please visit the OET website at: <a href="https://oet.com/">https://oet.com/</a>