



**---UAB School of Nursing Applicants Only---**

**GRE, GMAT or MAT Waiver Process (for MSN and AMNP students only)**

The GRE, GMAT or MAT Waiver Process will allow eligible candidates for masters' study to have the requirement of satisfactory GRE, GMAT or MAT scores waived for admission if they meet certain criteria.

Students who meet all of the following requirements are eligible to waive the GRE, GMAT, MAT:

- BSN graduate from an accredited institution for MSN applicants a BA or BS from an accredited institution for AMNP applicants\*
- Undergraduate overall or last sixty hours of undergraduate course work Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.2 or above on a 4.0 scale

OR

- Post-graduate applicants (those applicants who have successfully graduated from a degree granting accredited graduate program such as: MA, MS, MSN, MPH or PhD), as long as the candidate has achieved a competitive GPA of 3.0 or above in the advanced degree

**Please note: With the exception of the GPA requirement, applicants for the GRE, GMAT or MAT waiver will be held to the same requirements for admission to the MSN program as all other applicants. Approval for the GRE, GMAT or MAT Waiver does not imply or guarantee admission to the MSN program.**

**GRE, GMAT or MAT Waiver Process:**

Applicants who meet the requirements listed above may choose to waive the GRE, GMAT or MAT by following the directions below:

- A completed application and all supporting documents must be submitted to Apply Yourself at the following link: <https://app.applyyourself.com/?id=uab-grad>
- When you come to the section requesting information about the GRE/MAT/GMAT select from the dropdown menu "waived". When you come to the part that request a date be entered for when the exam was taken, enter 10/2009
- Approval of the waiver will be sent to you after all of your transcripts have been received by UAB SON (so that your GPA can be validated)
- There is no actual waiver form to complete, just select waiver on the application

\*The following individuals are **not** eligible for the GRE waiver process:

- International applicants
- Non-Native English speaking applicants
- Dual degree seeking program applicants MSN/MPH

For further information on the GRE, GMAT or MAT Waiver process, contact:

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