

## 1. Two Notarized Government-Issued Identification Documents

- Acceptable ID types are listed on our [website](#).
- Documents must be notarized by a notary public or lawyer (not a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner of Oaths).
- If your name differs across documents, submit a notarized proof of legal name change (e.g., marriage certificate).
- If documents or notarizations are not in English, provide official English translations.
- IDs must be clear, legible copies. One must be a primary ID showing full name, date of birth, signature, and a recognizable photo.

## 2. Educational Credential Assessment (ECA)

Submit an ECA from one of the following approved agencies:

- World Education Services (WES)
- Comparative Education Service – University of Toronto (CES)
- International Credential Assessment Service of Canada (ICAS)
- International Credential Evaluation Service (ICES)
- National Nursing Assessment Service (NNAS)

**Note:** If you submitted your ECA for IRCC and are applying to BC, Yukon, Nunavut, or the Northwest Territories, you may need a more detailed report. Check the agency's website for upgrade options.

## 3. English Language Proficiency (ELP)

You must provide valid proof of English proficiency. Accepted tests:

- CELBAN (Canadian English Language Benchmark Assessment for Nurses)
- IELTS Academic (International English Language Testing System)
- OET (Occupational English Test)
- PTE Academic (Pearson Test of English)

### **Test Score Validity:**

- CELBAN: 3 years | IELTS, OET, PTE: 2 years
- Scores must be valid at the time of application submission.

Alternatively, you may provide proof of your English Language Proficiency by submitting any combination (**at least two**) of acceptable alternative documents listed on our [website](#).

**Note:** Inspire may require an official ELP test if submitted alternatives do not meet requirements. Reminder: RN and LPN applicants share the same ELP requirements. HCA applicants must meet different ELP standards—[see the official score chart](#).

## 4. Account Creation & Application Submission

- Create your Inspire account and submit your IEN application.
- Ensure all details are accurate and complete.
- Inaccurate or missing information may delay processing or affect eligibility.

**Final Reminder:** It is your responsibility to carefully review your application before submission.

 **Note:** Application requirements are subject to change. See our website for the most up-to-date information.