

Health Care Assistant Program – Non Native English Speakers

English Language Proficiency Tests for Program Entry

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Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) iBT

TOEFL iBT Price is \$245.00

The total test time is 4 hours.

Printed score reports are mailed **approximately 13 days** after test date.

[LINK TO TOEFL FAQ](#)

[LINK TO TOEFL LOCATIONS & UPCOMING SITTINGS](#)

International English Language Testing System (IELTS)

IELTS Price: \$295 CAD + tax

The total test time is 2 hours and 45 minutes.

Results released: Test Report Forms are posted to candidates 13 calendar days after test date

[LINK TO IELTS FAQ](#)

[LINK TO IELTS LOCATIONS & UPCOMING SITTINGS](#)

Canadian Language Benchmarks Placement Test (CLBPT)

CLBPT Price ranges vary but generally ranges from \$100-150 CAD + tax depending on test centre.

The test is approximately 1 hour and 20 minutes.

Results Released: May vary but typically no longer than 10 days. Depending on the test centre, results may be provided immediately after the test to the test taker.

[LINK TO CLBPT FLYER](#)

[LINK TO CLBPT LOCATIONS](#)

CELP

CELP Price: \$265 CAD + tax

Total test time allotted is 210 min or 3.5 hours.

Results released: Scores are posted online within 8 business days after the scheduled test date.

[LINK TO CELP FAQ](#)

[LINK TO CELP LOCATIONS & UPCOMING SITTINGS](#)

**Please note: the CELP Academic test has been retired and is no longer available; please see the following web link for further information. <https://www.celpiptest.ca/2015/09/celp-academic-retired/>
CELP Academic test scores are valid for a period of up to 2 years.

Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL)

CAEL Price is \$195.00

The total time for the test is approximately 2 hours and 15 minutes.

Results Released: Results are available no later than 15 business days after the Assessment date.

[LINK TO CAEL FAQ](#)

[LINK TO CAEL LOCATIONS & UPCOMING SITTINGS](#)