

Danville Area Community College Nursing Program

Advisory Council Meeting

October 19, 2016

12:00pm – 2:00pm

Meeting Objectives:

- Advise college administration and nursing faculty in matters of policy, curriculum development and evaluation
- Gather input from key stakeholders within the community related to clinical experiences for students as well as potential changes in clinical practice that effect the faculty and students in the Nursing Program
- Share updated information within the Nursing Program and ensure the current information is properly interpreted to the surrounding community

Welcome and Introductions Dr. Stephen Nacco

- DACC Staff & Administration *President*
- Nursing Faculty
- Advisory Committee Members
- Students

Discussion and Approval of 2015 Meeting Minutes Mary S. Skinner

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Nursing Program Updates..... Mary S. Skinner

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- ATI Integrated NCLEX Review
 - Results of one year-88.9% pass rate
 - RN-NLCEX Comprehensive Predictor was given May
 - RN-NCLEX Live Review given
 - Students who required remediation--16
 - Students who failed NCLEX and did the ATI-Virtual Review prior to retesting --2
- 2016 Preliminary NCLEX Results for 0516 Cohort 24/27 with 3 unknown & 2 ATT in October: 88.89% pass rate, 1215 16/31: pass rate 51.6%. Calendar year 2016 43/63=68.25%
 - 0517 PN pass rate 26/26=100%
 - 2015 Final NCLEX Results 32/35 = 91%.
 - 2014 Final NCLEX Results 42/54 = 78%.
 - National RN pass rates for 2015
 - RN= National--85%,
 - RN State of IL 86%
 - PN National—82%
 - PN State of IL—88%
- Current enrollment numbers are 147 student in 3 cohorts (see IDPFR report handout)
 - 0517 36 students to potentially graduate in the spring. Admitted 5 Level II LPN this term. Average GPA of new admits 3.01, Average science GPA for new admits 3.12
 - 1217 18 students currently. We plan to admit up to 32 for Level II in January. Have 20 applications for Level II Spring.
 - 0518 Admitted 40 out of 69 applicants. Average GPA 3.16, Average points 12.06 out of 31
- Retention plan
 - Tighten up admission standards.
 - PIPs for early intervention
 - Student tutors
 - Faculty tutors

- Expanded orientation with emphasis on study skills unique to nursing school
- Restructure NURS 192 for Fall of 2017—in early stages of discussion
- Changes in admission process for Fall 2016
 - results of 2016 changes-69 applicants
 - Separated out overall GPA and science GPA.
 - 0518 Average GPA 3.16
- EIU Duel Enrollment (see handout)
 - Four year total program
 - Year 1 is General Education-science EIU prerequisites
 - Year 2 & 3 is DACC Nursing program
 - Year 4 is post licensure RN-to-BSN completion
- Simulation plan underway-
 - Purchases are being made
 - ALS Sim Man
 - EHR med cart
 - Working headwall
 - Additional accessories for existing manikins
 - Defibrillator with physiological monitoring (Zoll)
 - NLN scenarios that dovetail with Lippincott’s vSim material
 - Lippincott’s DocuCare or Neehr Perfect EHR under consideration
 - Used VA Sim lab this spring for NURS 192 and will use it again in November
 - VA sim lab--booked it for NURS 296 in February

Illinois Nurse Practice Act is sun-downing in 2018. The bill has been drafted and given to the legislature to be written into law. It will be introduced when the new General Assembly convenes January 11, 2017.

Highlights:

- LPN Scope of Practice (Sect 55-30)
- RN Practice as it relates to delegation
 - Five Rights of Delegation
 - Systems need to be built to support RN’s delegation decisions
 - Meds and treatments cannot be delegated
 - Med Aides are in Nursing Homes only
 - Term “oversight” will be used instead of “supervision”
- Align RN Scope of Practice with ANA Standards
- NCLEX-must apply within 6 months of graduation and take within 12 months of graduation
- All existing programs must be accredited.

Clinical Affiliation UpdatesCommunity Members

Brainstorming Session..... Mary S. Skinner

- Issues with Disabilities and Accommodations in the healthcare facility setting
- Break out into assigned groups to answer the questions provided
 - Should we bring in a spring cohort?
 - How do you as employers handle disabilities and accommodations?
 - Program improvement suggestions
- Reconvene as a group to discuss the individual breakout session’s content

Closing Remarks and Adjournment Mary S. Skinner

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