

MINUTES

ADVISORY PEER EDUCATION COMMITTEE NURSING MEETING

August 1, 2019
Heber M. Wells Bldg.
Room 475, Fourth Floor – 8:30 a.m.
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

CONVENED: 8:30 A.M.

ADJOURNED: 10:00 A.M.

DOPL STAFF PRESENT:

Bureau Manager: Jeff Busjahn
Board Secretary: Thomas Togisala

CONDUCTING:

Donna Lister, Ph.D., APRN - Chair

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Donna Lister, Ph.D., APRN – Chair
Stephanie Richardson, Ph.D., RN
Heather Panek, DNP, RN
Susan Watson, Ph.D.
Juanita Takeno, DNP, RN
Laura Dotson, Ph.D., RN

COMMITTEE MEMBERS EXCUSED:

Jodi Morstein, Ph.D., APRN

GUESTS:

Larry Banks – Ameritech College
Heather Doman – Ameritech College
Joshua Ray – Ameritech College
David Haskell – Ameritech College
Karla Huntsman – Ameritech College
Andrew Nydegger – Eagle Gate College
Lisa Presnall – Concordia University
Margaret Erickson – Provo College

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Dr. Lister called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

REVIEW AND APPROVE THE MAY 2, 2019 MINUTES.

Dr. Watson motioned to approve the minutes.

Ms. Dotson seconded the motion.

The vote in favor was unanimous.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

PROGRAM UPDATES:

In-state:

Dixie State University:

No Show

Southern Utah University:

LPN/Paramedic to BSN Program

○ Start Date: Summer 2020

RN to BSN Program

○ Available online

Out-of-state:

Number of programs and attestation compliance of out-of-state schools providing clinical experiences for 2019

○ 56 total online programs in Utah – 55 in compliance.

MEDICATION AIDE PROGRAM UPDATE:

(Refer to audio for specifics. 57:07 – 01:01:30)

Uintah Basin Technical College Medication Aide-Certified application

○ 100 hour certification program

The Committee unanimously voted to approve the UB Tech medication aide program.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: Discussion of Nurse Practice Act wording in certain sections:

(Refer to audio for specifics. 05:20 – 7:41)

The Committee discussed and requested the possibility to open the Nurse Practice Act to reword and clarify certain sections.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCAN:

(Refer to audio for specifics. 10:49 – 11:25)

Mr. Busjahn will be in attendance for the 2019 NCSBN Conference August 20th - 25th.

The nursing program manager at the Ogden-Weber Applied Technical College, Mary Lou Morales, will retire by end of August 2019. Cherie Crezee will become the new program manager.

ACCREDITATION AND COMPLIANCE WITH LIMITED APPROVAL STATUS UPDATES:

(Refer to audio for specifics. 11:33 – 13:25)

Stevens-Henager College:

- No Updates

Dixie Technical College: PN Program

- 12 students started their PN program
- ACEN Visit: September 17th – 19th, 2019
- Director of PN Program: Jan Call

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY: New Program Review

(Refer to audio for specifics. 14:49 – 36:46)

Ms. Presnall presented the Committee an overview of Concordia University’s online BSN nursing program.

Concordia University is seeking approval for their Utah students to have a site to perform their simulation and testing.

Concordia University will need to submit a letter of understanding for their program.

- Start Date: May 2020
- 24 students will start and the cohort will max out at 48 students.
- 16 month accelerated program
 - First graduating class will be in 2021

AMERITECH COLLEGE OF HEALTHCARE: New Program Review

(Refer to audio for specifics. 36:47 – 56:29)

Ameritech College of Healthcare are adding BSN and Direct Entry MSN programs.

- The BSN program will have a total of nine semesters.
- Students will have access to 12 clinical facilities.
- The Direct Entry MSN program will allow students to complete this program within 32 months.

NCLEX SCORE REVIEW– First Time Pass Rates: Q2 2019

(Refer to audio for specifics. 01:02:16 – 01:04:05)

2ND Quarter Results:

- US Average – RN: 89.27% UT Average – RN: 84.82%
- US Average – PN: 86.73% UT Average – PN: 98.74%.

NCLEX SCORE REVIEW FOR OVERALL 2018 WITH SELECT SCHOOLS:

(Refer to audio for specifics. 01:04:06 – 01:17:50 / 01:17:50 – 01:28:23)

Provo College & Eagle Gate College:

As of September of 2018, Provo College and Eagle Gate College were acquired by Unitek College.

To improve score results, both colleges have implemented the following changes:

- Admissions Process
- ATI comprehensive guides
- Access to a SmartPrep study package
- Increased simulations into curriculum
- Four day live reviews

Nightingale College:

To improve score results, they have implemented the following changes:

- Restructured curriculum
- More coaching for both staff and student populations
- NCLEX testing throughout the year

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING: NOVEMBER 7, 2019

ADJOURN: 10:00 A.M.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 A.M.

Note: These minutes are not intended to be a verbatim transcript but are intended to record the significant features of the business conducted in this meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily shown in the chronological order they occurred.

11-7-2019

Date Approved

Donna Lister

Donna Lister - Chairperson, Education Committee

11-7-19

Date Approved

Jeff Busjahn

Jeff Busjahn - Bureau Manager, DOPL