

Nursing Program Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 30, 2013

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Attendance: Rayne Engle (Lynnwood - Group Health), Joanne Metropolis (SEIU Healthcare), Brenda Neuman (Swedish/Edmonds & Committee Chair), Kathryn Ogden (Swedish Medical Center), Robin Fleming (Washington State Nurse Association)

Faculty/Staff Attendance: Lynn Von Schlieder, Corki Budnick, Sharon Stewart, Anna Sterner, Linda Barnes, Hermien Watkins, Lori Stephens, Mary Danielsen (Associate Faculty), Mary Burroughs, Gillian Lewis, David Cunningham, Sharon Lowenborg (Recorder)

Students Present: Marcus Engley – 4th Quarter student and Co-President of SCCANS

I. Welcome and Introductions – Lynn Von Schlieder, Nursing Program Director & Faculty Lead
Brenda Neuman, Committee Chairperson

Introductions by committee members

II. Approval of October 30, 2012 Minutes

Gillian Lewis moved to approve minutes with corrections; Mary Burroughs- 2nd the motion- approved. All in favor to accept with the following corrections

Addition to October 2012: Put Joanne Metropolis on Octobers meeting minutes
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III. Committee Members Updates (Community Members)

- Robin Fleming –Representing Washington State Nurses Association (WSNA)
 - Convention begins tomorrow at Tulalip Casino
 - Offering CNEs
 - Students welcome
 - Speakers
 - Webinar recently pertaining to Psych and boarding – available for free as a one hour CNE – very beneficial – you do not need to be a member – free to everyone
 - Faculty please post on CANVAS for students
 - Nursing staffing issues – not enough skilled nurses

Working on the legislative front

Rest break legislation

Staffing Ratio legislation

Will continue on getting these passed

Listen to tape pertaining to nursing schools/nursing students

Discussion: Department of Health will be setting ratio standards;

No ratio set at this time; it is acuity dependent; fewer infections – deaths – re-admittance

Health Promotions go to schools (school nurses)

More education for nursing students in the school settings

Robin would be happy to come out and give a talk on school nursing

Asking to veto _____ to Gov. Inslee

Do not sign this bill 5941 – you can contact the governor to veto this bill

Many groups oppose this bill

School nursing is a very difficult job

“Community ER”

- Ranye Engle – representing Lynnwood Group Health – have had some administrative lay offs
Looking at serving the underserved

- Brenda Neuman
No updates at this point all is status quo
- Joanne Metropolis
Working w/WSNA on current legislation
Have brought over 100 nurses to lobby to tell the stories of what goes on
Need minimum standards
Trying to get the public involved more
The pertains to patient safety
Training fund group health/highline.....
Hospitals are doing the compass testing right on campus
Preparing students to go to school with anatomy/physiology/statistics
How to study / how do you take notes
- Kathryn Ogden- Swedish Medical Center
 - Reported residency programs going from 40 to 50 every 4 months
 - \$500,000 from the luncheon to expand the Sims lab
 - 3 consortiums are collaborating on a website which will be up and running in May
 - Each consortium will have their own link with links for programs students, faculty

- The site will test this on May 1st
- By the end of the day Friday other people will test
- May 15th it should go live
- Self-running modules will be on there
- One is almost ready with more to come
- Standardized across the state

Discussion:

We have 3 people in our program that will be testing the consortium website (?): a faculty, a 4th quarter student, Marcus Engley, and a 1st quarter student with limited computer skills

Same mission and vision across the state

Same version of the passport will be used across the state

V. Shoreline Nursing Program Updates

a) Budget Update- Gillian Lewis

Dealing with the legislature who are on a few days off right now – the indication is that we are flat lined right now

It is anticipated that we stay at our current level

Working with NW with the Sim Center

Really appreciate the community members that attend our advisory committee meetings – thank you to each one of you

b) NCLEX results for First Quarter 2013

26 took from Jan to March – all 26 passed – this is pretty typical – we are 100% usually

Standard has been raised – management of care/and

Clinical judgment

Question: when someone fails – should we contact the person that fails the NCLEX? Some programs are doing this – with tutoring – what areas are the students below standard

Dental Hygiene – has changed some of their perimeters – how do we remediate these students

Students were allowed to participate in the clinical aspects – were allowed to register for 2 credits with a current cohort.

NURS 290 for tutoring?

Prior learning experience for veterans?

Are they guaranteed a pass on the NCLEX? Linda doesn't think that we should get into this/there are very few students that fail

Our attrition rate is _____

Discussion:

Question: student success – in our core themes with 100% success rate on NCLEX

This is what it takes with a “hand shake” with our community members

Way above the average getting students properly trained

Graduate Nurses question: Joanne M. how can we keep graduates from school to gainfully employed -

There is a need for nurses – it has been economized

Need more advocates

Need to be progressing in their education

Military as a market?

Most branches do not take Associate degree nursing they want BSN

Presentation on outcomes in the fall from Swedish – stress shuts them down

Be more aware – coach them into an area of expertise – maybe not only in a hospital setting

How many in a residency group and not successful: 1 – 2

c) Simulations & Skills Lab

Contract with NWH every student goes for at least one 2 hour session

Discussion:

Students are coming out of Sim lab with PTSD – some students should be counseled to go in to something different than acute care

This is a learning situation

Practice in skills lab

Student just went through Sim training – it is a learning opportunity

Gillian has observed Sim training – an incredible learning experience

Learning how to operate in a crisis situation

The fact that they learn what they need to learn

Learning to think and respond

Students working together in a team

Positive experience

We have two vital Sim manikins and a NOELLE birthing Mom

HEAP grant with Renton college – working on scenarios

Working on some from NW and revising them for three levels

Some modules available for free on UW's ISIS program

What will work better

d) Current applications for Fall 2013

120 applicants

3 LPNs and 2 transfer students

32 accepted every quarter

Do we address the psycho social issue –

Mentoring –

Students are advised if they should look at a different path than nursing

Clinical in first quarter is a good way to show students what they are in for

Mentoring with SCCANS students; NURS 094

10 quarter program – very successful – they are absorbing information over a longer period of time

e) Faculty Development

working with WSNA developing workshops for faculty

the one on Saturday was very beneficial

evaluate students on a weekly basis

this tool will be put on the WSNA website

culture change – connections at facilities

Sally Watkins

WSNA is connected with AFT

Discussion on wages and load –

Carl Perkins moneys - \$17,000 can be used to pay for your substitute

Faculty boot camp

UW has an extensive con ed program – is this used?

Develop a tool kit for new faculty

We do have 2 faculty positions open at this time one for Health promotions and one for med/surg

CVs from faculty?

VI. Next Meeting

The next Nursing Advisory Committee meeting will be on October 29, 2013 from 11:30-1:00 pm at Shoreline Community College in the Board Room. The meeting adjourned at 1:05 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sharon Lowenborg