

Advisory Committee Meeting
Thursday, April 26, 2018
Hospice of Humboldt – 2:00 – 4:30pm

Present: Brenda Goosby, Roberta Farrar, Michelle Lamarr, Robert Pitts, Janice Polos, Alison Pritchard, Kathryn Reymore, Katie Schoenfield, Jude Stromberg, Sally Urban

Agenda Item	Discussion
Program Statistics-Fiscal year, first time test takers	Pass rate fiscal year (2016-17) – 87.72% Quarter pass rate – 88% BRN requires a pass rate of 75% (cannot drop below 75%).
Graduates – May 2017	Generic - 42 LVN/Paramedic -RN – 12 Total 54
Applicants – 2018 Application Period	Generic – 95 LVN/Paramedic -RN - 15
TEAS Testing - 2018	Qualified Applicants – 79 Passed - 79
Waitlist	Generic – 163 LVN-RN – 15 Waitlist approximately two years for both Generic and LVN/Paramedic - RN
Admit	Generic – 44 LVN/Paramedic -RN – 10 - (Students join the third semester of the RN Program). Mandate from Chancellor’s Office – students need to be prepared for College – cutting down on remedial courses. Immediate Algebra and English 150 will no longer be offered at the College. Instead, students will be provided additional support in these areas as needed.
Program Satisfaction	May 2017 pre- RN graduation satisfaction survey - 95% satisfied with the program. Benchmark is 85%. Employers were surveyed 10 months after graduation (February/March of the following year) - 86.4% satisfied. Comments - med administration skills are not as strong as they could be.
Student/Faculty Satisfaction with Clinical Sites	Students and faculty were recently surveyed. Results to be provided at next regular meeting of the committee.
Open Position	Psych position remains open. Must have position filled by June 15, or plan B in place as mandated by BRN Nursing Education Consultant. Plan B thus far includes lecture being provided by Connie Wolfsen, professor emeritus, psych nursing. Clinical oversight TBD.

Staffing Challenges	<p>Discussion: Clinical faculty staffing constraints are becoming more burdensome:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Most staff work full time and are reluctant to add additional hours to their current workload. 2. Pay is not competitive with what industry can pay. 3. Minimum requirements at CR to teach: Associate degree plus 6 years of experience; Bachelor degree plus 2 years' experience 4. BRN requires one year of experience in the last 5 years in each area of nursing – med/surg, peds, ob, geriatrics and psych.
Curriculum Revision Update	<p>Concept Based Curriculum</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Decrease content saturation. 2. 41 concepts occur over 4 semesters of the program. 3. Each concept taught through exemplars. 4. Flipped classroom environment to facilitate making connections between exemplar and concept. 5. Students work together concept/critically think/bring together in a learning environment. (Student driven) 6. Each concept has 6-8 interrelated concepts. 7. Hands on type learning, student doing the thinking while they are working thru activities. 8. Will be implemented in the Fall 2018 (N1); Spring 2019 (N2); Fall 2019 (N3); Spring 20 (N4). 9. Clinical learning will focus on concepts <p>Group concerns discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCLEX – test on concept or content? Pass rates have stayed consistent over the years. Shy students may have more difficulty with this new learning
HSU RN-BSN Fit – Post graduate degree.	<p>RN-BSN Curriculum has gone thru the master planning committee; t is curriculum committee next week; academic senate before the end of the semester or the first meeting in the fall. Final step is CSU Chancellor's Office for approval.</p> <p>Admissions Requirements: 2.75 gpa; RN licensure; statistics. 26 units total – additional 17 units thru licensure. Health Assessment course/lab (on CR campus) community course and lab (occur in the Fall so it will not compete with CR).</p> <p>First Cohort: Consist of 30 students. Fifty percent of each course will be on line in some way. Fifty percent of class will be in person. Accreditation will occur at the same time of graduation—parallel process. When accreditation is achieved will work with CR to develop a collaborative model.</p> <p>Goal – Fall 2019 start. Part Time – 2 years Full Time – 1 year HSU will hire faculty – program under Kinesiology. It will be a nursing degree – BSN. Program is post-licensure and will be endowed (funded through donation) rather than HSU-supported.</p>

Other	<p>LVN Program: Program is doing well. Hired Monica Malt as LVN faculty. Self-Study and re-approval scheduled for the Program in Fall 2018. The Program will also move to a concept-based curriculum.</p> <p>LVN-RN Program: Potential in Del Norte for this program with 10-15 students per cohort. The psych clinical may be held at Pelican Bay. Telepresence will provide the lectures. BRN must approve prior to admission.</p>

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