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Learning Outcome:

GELO 1b Oral: Students will be able to effectively express ideas and information to others through oral communication.

Outcome Measures:

NRS 440: Creative Project revisited

Using the Creative Project completed in NRS 350, student will reflect and apply recent learning and development to the vocation of nursing. Students will "revisit" their purpose and choice of the creative project completed during their first term to reflect on how this project influenced or shaped their ideas for "professional" nursing practice.

NRS 440: EBP Presentation

Students synthesize Evidence Based Practice (EBP) Phases I and II (completed in previous NRS courses) with Phase III into final presentation of EBP Proposal.

Criteria for Success (how do you judge if the students have met your standards): 75% of students will show achievement at the Developed or Highly Developed levels

Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more but not all five):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

Longitudinal Data:

			Percentage of Students Developed
Course/Assignment	Semester	Ν	or Highly Developed
NRS 440/Creative Project	Fall 2016	NA	NA
NRS 440/Creative Project	Spring 2017	21	95%
NRS440/EBP Presentation	Fall 2016	NA	NA
NRS440/EBP Presentation	Spring 2017	NA	NA

We have had multiple challenges with technology and the development of assessment procedures for the RN-BSN program, due to this being a new program and report. NRS440 data for FA16 and NRS 440 EBP Presentation data SP17 are not available.

Conclusions Drawn from Data:

Creative Project – Students successfully met the benchmark for Spring 2017. EBP Presentation – N/A

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Changes to be Made Based on Data:

The RN-BSN program is a young program, and too little data has been collected so far to know if the current criteria for success are an appropriate baseline. The School of Nursing Program Assessment Committee will review data collected during SU17, FA17, and SP18 in order to determine an appropriate baseline and plan for future assessment.

Rubric Used

Creative Project Revisited Assignment Rubric EBP Phase III Project Assignment Rubric