

The Curriculum Revision Journey

2015-2016

Curriculum Committee charge: Using data from the EE committee and a systematic review of national guidelines for BSN Education (NCLEX, QSEN, CCNE, and AACN) identify a plan for the total examination and revision of the BSN curriculum. Develop a timeline for the curriculum revision and implementation.

Committee and Faculty Work

- Review of national standards
- Review of EE results (outcomes, surveys, HESI exit)
- Surveyed faculty on writing assignments in the courses
- Liberal Arts Focus –review program mission
- Committee review of **NCLEX data** (1st time taker results)—shared weaknesses with NFO
- Mapping of course outcomes in large faculty retreat (**1/2016**); mapping what we were teaching and how it was covered. Subsequent faculty work session for courses to map individual courses to course outcomes, identify & link content to outcomes and describe evaluation methods.
- Approved new Community Course Outcomes
- Surveyed documentation and use of Sim Chart in courses
- Qualtrics surveys with faculty and stakeholders; information shared on D2L site
- Focus groups with moderator for students and faculty planned and started (2 sessions each)---Developed questions, obtained moderator
- Committee members met with hospital stakeholders and advisors (NOV-DEC)
- Proposed courses

2016-2017

Curriculum Committee Charges

1. Utilize assessment and mapping data from BSN curriculum to make recommendations for curriculum revision to include (program outcomes, courses, credit hours, sequencing, content and content threads). Develop a time line for implementation of revisions to curriculum.

2. Present recommendations to NFO by January, 2017—**did not meet this deadline.**

- Jan: presented PPT to faculty with proposed course titles, sequencing and presented student feedback regarding the curriculum
- Sent faculty qualtrics survey regarding proposed courses (14 responded)
- Committee reviewed and summarized the feedback from stakeholders and faculty survey regarding course titles, hours, etc. and planned next forum.

- Feb: moderated faculty forum
- Committee worked on reducing program outcomes from 10-6
- Tied outcomes to liberal arts outcomes and our standards
- Faculty work session to revise and work on the committee's 6 proposed outcomes and the proposed courses.
- D2L discussion postings with faculty; proposed program outcomes (feedback, revisions)
- Spring School of Nursing Advisory Board Meeting—presented status of curriculum –
- Other Committee work: RN-BSN course changes (3142/4200)
- Faculty 2 Day Retreat-curriculum approved

2017-2018 (Fall Semester 2017)

Curriculum Committee Charges

1. Complete the BSN Curriculum changes and prepare all documents necessary final approval within the university by the end of fall semester.

*Aug: Committee planning, work, reviewed testing policy and Portfolium discussed with NFO

* September: **WORK, WORK, WORK**----Course Proposal forms, fee forms, teach out plan, course outcomes placeholders, registrar, seminars.....

*October: Proposal to COHS, CAPC.....

Faculty completed qualtrics surveys regarding teaching preferences

*November—teaching teams presented at NFO

Committee started review of RN-BSN curriculum/RN—MSN proposal

****** Faculty (Dr. Steele, Dr. Fowler, and Ms. Parrish)—developed our first new course: Healthcare Delivery System**

Spring Semester prepare the new BSN curriculum for implementation fall semester 2018.

Committee Meeting: 1/11/18—Seminar Review

Next meeting 1/26/18

Portfolio: Will plan meeting for committee and for faculty as a whole

NCLEX-next generation testing