

**Kansas Board of Nursing
Landon State Office Building, Room 509
Education Committee Minutes
June 14, 2016**

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 11:16 a.m.

Committee Members Present:

Patsy Zeller, MSN, APRN, NP-C, Chair
Carol Bragdon, PhD, APRN, V. Chair
Jeanne Catanzaro, MSN, RN
Christine Hober, PhD, MSN, RN-BC, CNE
Jane Weilert, EdD, RN
Susan White, RN, BSN, MS
Karen LaMartina, PhD, RN

Staff: Mary Blubaugh, MSN, RN, Executive Administrator
Carol Moreland, MSN, RN, Education Specialist
Jill Simons, Senior Administrative Assistant

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Patsy Zeller, MSN, APRN, NP-C, Chair, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building.

Add./Rev. Agenda: Change the order of the agenda. Annual Program Administrator Update will be discussed before site visits.

Announcements: Patsy Zeller announced that Mary Blubaugh, Executive Administrator for the Board of Nursing has announced her retirement effective March 1, 2017.

Rev. Onsite Packet: There was nothing for the onsite packet.

Minutes: The minutes from the March 2016 meeting were reviewed. It was moved to approve the minutes from March 29, 2016 as amended.
Motion #1 LaMartina/White Adopted.

Annual Program Administrator Update:

Education Committee is working on Regulation Review that needs to be taken to the Board in December 2016. The Education Committee have been meeting to work on Regulation Review the Monday before the Education Committee. This conflicts with the Annual Program Administrator Update that is held in September. Suggestions are to hold the Nuts and Bolts for Program Administrators every six months and the opposite six months hold “How to prepare for a Site Visit.” One suggestion would be the possibility of conducting a web-based meeting instead of a face to face meeting. KSBN IT Staff is looking into this.

Educ. Spec. Rpt: Carol Moreland, nursing program updates, and her projects. (See Education Committee packet for the full report.)

Site Visit Reports:

NCTKC – Hays: The March 7 & 8, 2016 site visit report at North Central Kansas Technical College – Hays PN Program was reviewed. Site visitors were Patricia (Patsy) Zeller, MSN, APRN-BC and Carol Moreland, MSN, RN.

It was moved to accept the site visit report for North Central Kansas Technical College – Hays PN Program with recommendations and to reapprove the program for a period of five years. Motion #2 LaMartina/White Adopted.

NCTKC – Hays: The March 7 & 8, 2016 site visit report at North Central Kansas Technical College – Hays ADN Program was reviewed. Site visitors were Patricia (Patsy) Zeller, MSN, APRN-BC and Carol Moreland, MSN, RN.

It was moved to accept the site visit report for North Central Kansas Technical College – Hays ADN Program with recommendations and to reapprove the program for a period of time consistent with national accreditation. Motion #3 White/Catanzaro Adopted.

WATC: The March 23 & 24, 2016 site visit report at Wichita Area Technical College PN Program was reviewed. Site visitors were Susan White, RN, BSN, MS and Carol Moreland, MSN, RN.

It was moved to accept the site visit report for Wichita Area Technical College PN Program with recommendations and to reapprove the program for a period of five years. Motion #4 LaMartina/Catanzaro Adopted.

Major Curriculum Change Requests:

NAU – OP: National American University – Overland Park BSN Program represented by Gloria Wood, MSN, RN requests to change NS3320D Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II from an online format to a hybrid format.

Rational for the change: Student end of course surveys have consistently indicated a level of difficulty for the nursing students in NS3320D Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II. Changing the format of the online course to a hybrid course would enrich the student's learning outcomes.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from National American University – Overland Park BSN Program to change NS3320D Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II from an online format to a hybrid format. Motion #5 Bragdon/Hober Adopted.

NAU – Wichita: National American University – Wichita BSN Program represented by Keisha Brooks, DNP, MSN, RN requests to change NS3320D

Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II from an online format to a hybrid format.

Rational for the change: Student end of course surveys have consistently indicated a level of difficulty for the nursing students in NS3320D Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II. Changing the format of the online course to a hybrid course would enrich the student's learning outcomes.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from National American University – Wichita BSN Program to change NS3320D Pathophysiologic Concepts I and NS3340D Pathophysiologic Concepts II from an online format to a hybrid format. Motion #6 Weilert/LaMartina Adopted.

Univ. of KS: University of Kansas DNP Program represented by Cynthia Teel, PhD, FAAN, RN requests a reduction in credit hours from 5 to 3, with concordant modification in course objectives for NRSG 801 Advanced Health Assessment.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from the University of Kansas DNP Program for a reduction in credit hours from 5 to 3, with concordant modification in course objectives for NRSG 801 Advanced Health Assessment. Motion #7 Catanzaro/White Adopted.

Univ. of KS: University of Kansas DNP Program represented by Cynthia Teel, PhD, FAAN, RN requests for NRSG 914 to replace NRSG 814 as the first of two specialty courses in the DNP program's Family Nurse Practitioner specialty area. The course change moves from an Acute/Chronic approach to a systems approach, including: assessment, diagnosis and treatment.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from the University of Kansas DNP Program for NRSG 914 to replace NRSG 814 as the first of two specialty courses in the DNP program's Family Nurse Practitioner specialty area. The course change moves from an Acute/Chronic approach to a systems approach, including: assessment, diagnosis and treatment. Motion #8 Hober/Weilert Adopted.

Univ. of KS: University of Kansas DNP Program represented by Cynthia Teel, PhD, FAAN, RN requests for NRSG 901 to replace NRSG 862 as the first of two specialty courses in the DNP program's Adult/Gerontology Practitioner specialty area. The course change moves from an Acute/Chronic approach to a systems approach, including: assessment, diagnosis and treatment.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from the University of Kansas DNP Program for NRS 901 to replace NRS 862 as the first of two specialty courses in the DNP program's Adult/Gerontology Practitioner specialty area. The course change moves from an Acute/Chronic approach to a systems approach, including: assessment, diagnosis and treatment. Motion #9 Bragdon/Catanzaro Adopted.

HCC: Hutchinson Community College ADN Program represented by Debra Hackler, MSN, RN requests to revise the curriculum for the LPN/Paramedic Bridge Program with the courses NR123 Health Maintenance Promotion and Restoration and NR123L Health Maintenance Promotion and Restoration Practicum and decrease overall credits from 70 to 69.

Rationale for the change: The LPN/Paramedic Bridge program needs to align with the new curriculum brought forward to the March 2016 KSBN Education Curriculum Committee meeting regarding HCC "Traditional" program.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from Hutchinson Community College ADN Program to revise the curriculum for the LPN/Paramedic Bridge Program with the courses NR123 Health Maintenance Promotion and Restoration and NR123L Health Maintenance Promotion and Restoration Practicum and decrease overall credits from 70 to 69. Motion #10 White/Hober Approved.

WU: Washburn University Graduate Post Graduate Certificate Program represented by Monica Scheibmeir, PhD, APRN, FAANP requests to add a two credit course to the Post Graduate Psychiatric Mental Health Certificate Program. This course was designed specifically for the non-APRN Master's prepared nurses who are admitted to the PMHNP Certificate Program to become Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners.

It was moved to accept the Major Curriculum Change Request from Washburn University Graduate Post Graduate Certificate Program to add a two credit course to the Post Graduate Psychiatric Mental Health Certificate Program. This course was designed specifically for the non-APRN Master's prepared nurses who are admitted to the PMHNP Certificate Program to become Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners. Motion #11 Bragdon/White Adopted. Catanzaro abstained.

Canadian NCLEX: Carol Moreland discussed Canadian NCLEX. KSBN has started getting requests from nurses who have taken NCLEX in Canada wanting to be licensed in Kansas. Canada is a foreign country of the United States. Our

regulations require foreign nurses to complete the CGFNS process. Part of that process would tell us if they were taught in English with English text books. If not they would then be required to complete the TOEFL report and would need to show documentation of English proficiency.

Canada began offering in 2015 the NCLEX-RN exam. New Brunswick is one province where the NCELX-RN can be taken in French. Our regulations require applicants to pass the licensure exam offered by National Council. It does not state that the NCLEX exam must be taken in English.

Unfinished Business:

Site Visit Schedule: The 2016 Nursing and MHT Program Site Visit Schedule were reviewed. Carol Moreland will be emailing committee members for assistance with the site visits.

Paramedic/Mobile Integrated Health Care Course Update:

Carol gave an update on the joint meeting between Board of Healing Arts and Board of Nursing. There was some concern that this might be encroaching on the scope of nursing. Community paramedics work under a medical director. It was determined that if anything comes out of this practice it will actually be between the Board of Healing Arts and Board of EMS. The Board of Nursing would not be part of the jurisdiction.

Education Regulations Review:

Patsy gave an update. The Education Committee has been working hard on the Education Regulations. Will meet again in September and hopefully the first step of the Regulations will be able to be brought to the Board at the December 2016 Board meeting.

Miscellaneous:

Petition Data: Carol discussed the petition data summary. Guidelines changed in June 2011. The NCLEX pass rates prior to June 2011 for petitioners were 12%. Since implementation pass rates have increased. Mary Blubaugh and Carol Moreland plan to write an article for the National Council concerning our guidelines.

Test/Retest: Petition for Permission to Test/Retest Summary from March 2, 2016 through May 16, 2016 which includes: Kasey Fontana

It was moved to approve the Petition for Permission to Test/Retest Summary from March 2, 2016 through May 16, 2016 which includes: Kasey Fontana. Motion #12 Weilert/Hober Adopted.

Agenda for September 2016

1. Site Visits Reports

Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Committee Chairperson

Date