

**Kansas State Board of Nursing
Landon State Office Building, Room 106
Education Committee Minutes
December 17, 2002**

TIME: 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM
11:00 AM – Noon

Committee Members: Diane Okeson, Ed.D MN, RN, ARNP/CNS Chairperson
Sandra Qamar, RN, MN, CCRN, Vice Chair
Tamara Hutchison, RN, BSN
Karen Gilpin, RN, MSN, CNAA
Wanda Bonnel, ARNP, PhD
Myrna Bartel, RN, MS
Jeanne Walsh, RN, MSN

Members Absent Judith Calhoun, RN, PhD, absent with prior notice

Staff: Janette Pucci, RN, MSN
Roberta Kellogg, Administrative Specialist

Call to order: The Education Committee meeting was called to order @ 8:00 a.m. by Diane Okeson, Chair, in Room 106 of the Landon State Office Building.

Review of onsite packets: Fifteen minutes were allowed to review the on site packet information and regulations.

Announcements:

1. Judith Calhoun was absent with prior notice.
2. The faculty from Seward County Community College were present.

Add/Rev agenda: It was moved to amend the agenda by consensus of the committee. Curriculum requests, survey visits and petitions to retest were addressed prior to discussion on major and minor curriculum forms.

Minutes: The minutes of the September 23, 2002 meeting were reviewed. It was moved approval of minutes with revisions. Motion #1 Gilpin/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

Educ. Spec. Rpt: See Education Committee Book.

Old Business:

AUAP: Evaluation of American Universities Admissions Program (AUAP). Materials distributed at May 2002 meeting. Staff does not recommend use of AUAP. CGFNs remains the most reliable, accurate and consistent evaluation of

transcripts for foreign nurse graduates. It was moved that we accept CGFNs as the sole provider for the evaluation of transcripts and nursing programs of foreign nurse graduates. Motion #2 Walsh/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

TOEFL/TSE minimal scoring changes were discussed. This topic was tabled until the February 2003 meeting in order for the committee members to gain additional information.

Curriculum Requests:

Emporia State University represented by Sarah Tidwell, requested permission to increase the admission number from 30 to 35 beginning immediately. The rationale for the change is:

1. The faculty/student ratio of no more than 10 students per faculty member in the clinical areas will be maintained.
2. The number and type of clinical agencies used by the Newman Division of Nursing for student learning opportunities would remain unchanged.
3. The increased admission number will allow more flexibility in the number of students admitted based on the quality and quantity of the applicants.
4. The increased admission number will allow for any attrition that may occur with each admission class.

It was moved approval of the request of Newman Division of Nursing ESU to change admission numbers from 30 to 35. Motion #3 Bartel/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.

Emporia State University represented by Sarah Tidwell requests NU310: Palliative Care, an elective offering within the department be changed to a required one credit hour course. The content of this course was identified at a higher level, necessitating the change from NU310 to NU404. requests one major curriculum change.

The credit hours for the nursing department will increase by one hour with the change of the elective course NU310 to the required course NU404. The required credit hours for graduation will remain at 128 with 59 of those as nursing credits. The committee was informed about the minor curriculum change that changes the course numbers for physical assessment lab from NU362 to NU363. It was moved to accept the change of curriculum request made by Emporia State University. Motion #4 Gilpin/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

Pittsburg State University represented by Carolyn Keil requested a complete curriculum revision. The proposed request reflects the following:

1. An increase in medical/surgical hours

2. A decrease in specialty hours
3. The addition of recommended gerontology content in a separate course.
4. A separate course in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention, an area on the national exam where PSU graduates need more knowledge. The curriculum proposed is based on a simple to complex, wellness to illness model that includes medical/surgical content in each semester.

The rationale for the request is that PSU BSN graduates of the Department of Nursing have been inconsistent in achieving the PSU benchmark pass rate on the national exam for registered nurses. The (AACN) American Association of Colleges of Nursing recommended an increase in medical/surgical hours and a decrease in specialty hours. The AACN also recommended PSU use the national licensing exam's published test plan, PSU students testing results, and the AACN document, The Essentials of Baccalaureate Nursing Education, as guides. Pittsburg State University – BSN program also requested the following:

1. **New courses** effective Fall 2003
 NURS 205 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention, 2 credit hours.
 NURS 302 Techniques for Nursing, 2 credit hours.
 NURS 405 Health Alterations in Older Adults, 3 credit hours.
 NURS 457 Nursing the Child and the Childbearing Family Practicum, 3 credit hours.
 NURS 312 Neonatal Resuscitation, 2 credit hours.
 NURS 599 Internship in Nursing Practice, 3 credit hours.
 NURS 445/745 Trans-cultural Health Care, 1 credit hour
 NURS 446/746, Practicum in Trans-cultural Health Care 1 credit hour.
2. **Delete** NURS 306 Trends and Issues in Nursing.
3. **Change credit hours** in NURS 300, NURS 452, NURS 462, NURS 470, NURS 475, NURS 525,
4. **Revise** course NURS 320, NURS 475, NURS 521, NURS 525.
5. **Course Number Change** NURS 414 to NURS 390, NURS 310 to NURS 410, NURS 610 to NURS 480, NURS 475 to NURS 502.

It was moved by the committee to (approve) ~~approval of~~ Health Promotion and Disease Prevention, a new course for PSU. Motion #5 Bartel/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

It was moved by committee to approve the Techniques for Nursing course NSG 302 for Pittsburg State University. Motion #6 Qamar/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

It was moved the acceptance of deletion of course NSG 306 Trends and Issues by PSU school of nursing. Motion #7 Gilpin/Hutchison Adopted UYVV

It was moved we accept the revision of NSG 300, Foundations of Nursing Practice from 6 credit hours to 5 credit hours. Motion #8 Walsh/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

It was moved NURS 310 changing to NURS 410 and credit hours to 7. Motion #9 Bonnell/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

It was moved approval of NURS 405 Health Alt. in Older Adults as a new course for 3 credit hours. Motion #10 Gilpin/Bonnel Adopted UYVV.

It was moved we accept the request to change credit hours from 1-6 to 3 credit hours for NURS 452. Motion #11 Walsh/Bartel Adopted UYVV.

It was moved by the committee approval of new course 457 Nursing the Child and Childbearing Family Practicum for PSU. Motion #12 Bartel/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

It was moved to decrease in credit hours from 6 to 3 credit hours for NURS 462 Nursing of Child and Family. Motion #13 Gilpin/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

It was moved NURS 470 change to 5 credit hours. Motion #14 Bonnell/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

It was moved NURS 475 6 credit hours to NURS 502 4 credit hours. Motion #15 Hutchison/Bonnel Adopted UYVV.

It was moved to accept the change in NURS 521 Leadership and Management to increase didactic and delete clinical content. Motion #16 Gilpin/Bartel Adopted UYVV.

It was moved the committee approve changing 525 from 5 to 6 credit hours as requested by Pittsburg State University. Motion #17 Qamar/Walsh Adopted UYVV.

It was moved to approve [new course] NURS 599 Internship in Nursing Practice. Motion #18 Hutchison/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.

It was moved approval of curriculum revision package as presented by PSU. Motion #19 Bartel/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.

Survey Visit Reports:

GCCC-ADN: Garden City Community College – ADN It was moved to approve the survey results for Garden City Community College with no recommendations. Motion #20 Walsh/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.

KCKCC: Kansas City Kansas Community College – ADN. It was moved to approve the survey visit to Kansas City Kansas Community College with out requirements. Motion # 21 Hutchison/Bonnel Adopted UYVV.

SCCC: Seward County Community College – Bi Level. It was moved we accept the results of the survey visit to Seward County Community College with no recommendations. Motion #22 Walsh/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

KU: University of Kansas – BSN. It was moved approval of KU, SON survey visit report with the requirement as identified. Motion #23 Bartel/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.

WSU: Wichita State University – BSN. It was moved we accept the results of the survey visit of Wichita State University. Motion #24 Walsh/Qamar Adopted UYVV. KAR 60-9-105 requirements attached to survey visit.

Consent Items:

Petitions: Edna Mae Alexander, Melanie Fischer, Kendra Mathis, Johnette Nanez, Angela Pennycuff, Sharon Taylor, Lana Schmidt, Bernadine Henderson, Paula Reynolds and Jessie Romero petitioned to retake the exam.

It was moved (the petition for) Edna Mae Alexander be delayed and returned to the committee following verification of a review course and (than) brought back to the committee. Motion withdrawn. It was moved we deny the petition for retake of the NCLEX-PN of Edna Mae Alexander based on the graduation date of 1988. Motion #25 Walsh/Bonnel Adopted UYVV.

Break: Break for regulation hearing 9:55 a.m. Regulation hearing closed at 10:52.

Open Session: 11:00 a.m.

- Petitions Cont: It was moved Melanie Fischer be approved to retest following submitting her paper on PN to RN role differentiation. Motion #26 Gilpin/Qamar Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved to by the committee to approve the petition of Kendra Mathis to retest. (NCLEX) Motion # 27 Qamar/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved Johnette Nanez be approved to retest with no requirements. Motion #28 Gilpin/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved (the petition for) Angela Pennycuff pending completion of PN to RN (role differentiation be) approved to retake NCLEX. Motion #29 Bonnel/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved by the committee to approve the petition of Sharon Taylor to retake the NCLEX. Motion #30 Qamar/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved the petition of Bernadine Henderson to retest – NCLECX-RN. Motion #31 Bartel/Gilpin Adopted UYVV.
- It was moved approval of Paula Reynolds to retest for NCLEX RN. Motion #32 Gilpin/Bonnel Adopted UYVV.
- It was approved by the committee to approve the petition of Jessie Romero to retest the NCLEX following completion/submission of LPN/RN role differentiation paper. Motion #33 Qamar/Hutchison Adopted UYVV.
- Foreign Nurse Req.: Graduates of foreign schools applications for Annette Clark, Rebecca Mathousek and Rima Corral were reviewed and approved by staff. No action taken by committee.
- Petitions Cont: It was moved to approve Lana Schmidt retest PN. Motion #34 Hutchison/Qamar Adopted UYVV.
- Forms: Major and Minor curriculum change forms were reviewed. Discussion for criteria and revision will be continued at the February meeting.
- Adjourn: 12:15 p.m. It was moved to adjourn the meeting. Motion #35 Walsh/Qamar Adopted UYVV.

Committee Chairperson

Date