

Implementing New Educational Paradigms into Pre-Licensure Nursing Curricula: Learning Strategies, Activities, and Tools




Target Audience

Curriculum chairs and committee members, deans, directors, program chairs, course coordinators, and other faculty interested in pre-licensure and RN to BSN program curricula

Overview

- ❑ Opening reception on February 24, 2011 from 6–8 pm
- ❑ Refreshments provided during breaks every day
- ❑ Lunch provided for main conference days
- ❑ 4 dynamic national speakers
- ❑ Resource book
- ❑ Poster presentations and networking

Conference Outcomes

-  Explain the current emphasis on transforming pre-licensure nursing curricula.
-  Identify selected activities and tools you can incorporate into your nursing curriculum that reflect current best practices and trends.
-  Describe at least three learning activities that will help students develop in one of the QSEN competency areas.

Nursing Contact Hours

This activity has been submitted to the Illinois Nurses Association Approver Unit for approval to award contact hours.

The Illinois Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

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Speakers

Donna "Iggy" Ignatavicius, MS, RN, ANEF

Donna is internationally recognized as an expert in nursing education through her publications, speaking, and curriculum consulting activities. She is also highly acclaimed for her Boot Camp for Nurse Educators® conferences that have been attended by thousands of educators across the country for over 6 years. For her past and continuing contributions to the field of nursing education, Donna was inducted as a Fellow into the Academy of Nursing Education in 2007 (ANEF).

Theresa Alice Beery, PhD, RN, ACNP-BC

Terry is Professor and Director of the Center for Education Research, Scholarship, and Innovation in the Institute for Nursing Research and Scholarship at the University of Cincinnati – College of Nursing. As an expert in genetics and genomics, she provides faculty development on integrating genetics competencies into nursing curricula.

Tim Bristol, PhD, RN, CNE

Tim is a Nurse Educator who has taught at all levels of nursing education and consulted with the health care industry through public health, acute care, long-term care, and professional trade organizations. He has published articles on e-learning and faculty development. Specializing in instructional design with an emphasis in curricular innovation, Tim is owner of NurseTim, Inc. and faculty member at Walden University.

Louise M. LaFramboise, PhD, RN

Louise is Associate Professor and Director of the BSN Program at the University of Nebraska College of Nursing. As a QSEN consultant, she lead the integration of QSEN competencies into the program and developed multiple learning activities and strategies to emphasize quality and safety. Examples include safety brown bags, TeamSTEPS projects, and a QSEN newsletter for faculty.

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February 25-26, 2011

Pre-conference Sessions - February 24, 2011
Post-conference Sessions - February 27, 2011

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Registration form(s) and fee(s) must be postmarked by
December 17, 2010.

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For 3 or more faculty registrations *mailed together*.

Cancellation Policy

There are no refunds; however, a substitute faculty member
may attend. Please send another registration form for the
substitute prior to the conference.

Call for Posters

Share your creative teaching strategies/programs with other
attendees by participating in a poster display. All poster
presenters must be registered to attend this conference.

Submit an abstract to donna@diassociates.com
according to the guidelines found at www.diassociates.com.

Pre-conference Options for February 24, 2011

(Additional fee of \$200 each)

- D.1** *How to Improve NCLEX® Scores with Effective Classroom Learning Activities* by Donna Ignatavicius
- D.2** *Ensuring Quality and Safety in Your Curricula: An Informatics and Technology Approach* by Tim Bristol

Post-conference Options for February 27, 2011

(Additional fee of \$125 each)

- D.3** *Innovative Ideas for Implementing Evidence-Based Practice into Today's AD Nursing Curricula* by Donna Ignatavicius
- D.4** *Innovative Ideas for Incorporating the BSN Essentials into Today's Prelicensure Curricula* by Donna Ignatavicius

Agenda

Thursday, February 24

Pre-conference Sessions

- 7:30 – 8:30 Pre-conference registration and refreshments
- 8:30 – 11:30 **Pre-conference session** (D.1)
- 11:30 – 12:30 Lunch (on your own)
- 12:30 – 3:30 **Pre-conference session** (D.2)
- 3:30 – 5:30 Early conference registration
- 6:00 – 8:00 Opening reception

Friday, February 25

- 7:30 – 8:30 Conference registration and refreshments
- 8:30 – 8:45 Welcome and opening remarks
- 8:45 – 10:00 **Transforming Nursing Curricula: Rethinking Myths and Old Paradigms** (Ignatavicius)
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break with refreshments
- 10:15 – 11:45 **Transforming Nursing Curricula** (cont'd)
- 11:45 – 1:00 Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 – 2:15 **Integrating Safety Into Your Nursing Curricula: Individual, Staff, and System** (LaFramboise)
- 2:15 – 2:30 Break with refreshments
- 2:30 – 3:30 **Integrating Safety** (cont'd)
- 3:30 – 3:45 Summary and questions

Saturday, February 26

- 7:30 – 8:30 Sign-in and refreshments
- 8:30 – 10:00 **Helping Students Learn Essential Concepts of Pathophysiology: Making Connections with Care!** (Ignatavicius)
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break with refreshments
- 10:15 – 11:45 **Helping Students Learn Essential Concepts of Pharmacology: It Can Be Challenging and Fun!** (Ignatavicius)
- 11:45 – 1:00 Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 – 2:15 **Integrating Selected Genetics Competencies into Pre-licensure Nursing Curricula** (Beery)
- 2:15 – 2:30 Break with refreshments
- 2:30 – 3:00 **Integrating Selected Gerontologic Competencies into Pre-Licensure Nursing Curricula** (Ignatavicius)
- 3:00 – 3:45 Summary and conference evaluation

Sunday, February 27

Post-conference Sessions

- 7:30 – 8:30 Sign-in and refreshments
- 8:00 – 10:00 **Post-conference session** (D.3)
- 10:15 – 10:30 Break with refreshments
- 10:30 – 12:30 **Post-conference session** (D.4)

Travel Arrangements

Sunport Shuttle

505.883.4966 or 866.505.4966
www.sunportshuttle.com

Located on the first floor of the
Albuquerque International Sunport
across from Southwest baggage claim 3.

Reservations encouraged but not required.

Conference/Hotel Accommodations



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Albuquerque, NM 87102
505.245.7100 or 800.362.2779
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and manager's evening reception.)

A block of rooms is being held at the hotel
under "DI Associates, Curriculum Conference"
until January 23, 2011 unless the block is full.

Be sure to register early to get this rate!

Registration Deadline: February 15, 2011

Registrations must include full payment to be accepted.
Registrations faxed without payment will not be processed.
Confirmation is sent if your registration form and payment are
received two weeks before the conference begins.

Since conference registration and hotel rooms are
limited, **please register early**.

Please mail registration form & fees to:

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Employer: _____

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Fees

(Includes nursing contact hours, meals, notebook, & resources)

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Individual: \$495 (USD) \$ _____

3 or more faculty: \$475 each (USD) \$ _____

After December 17, 2010

Individual: \$515 (USD) \$ _____

3 or more faculty: \$495 each (USD) \$ _____

Pre-conference Sessions (optional)

Session D.1: \$200 (USD) \$ _____

Session D.2: \$200 (USD) \$ _____

Post-conference Sessions (optional)

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