

Program: (Name of Program) 2002-03

Associate Degree in Nursing and Certificate in Practical Nursing

Outcome 1	Measurable Criteria	Measurement Tool	Time Frame
Graduates of the Nursing Program (ADN and PN) will pass the National Council of State Boards Licensing Exam (RN-NCLEX and PN-NCLEX)	90% of Nursing Program graduates will pass the NCLEX exam on the first try	PN Predictor Exam GN Predictor Exam NCLEX-PN; NCLEX - RN	Measurement will be done annually when results are reported, usually within 6 months of graduation.
<p>Results: 27 of the 29 students writing the RN-NCLEX have passed state boards on the first attempt. The percentage is 93.7%. One student had been predicted to fail by the GN Predictor Exam. The other student was 3 percentile points above the students predicted to be at risk. Two students who were predicted to fail passed on the first try; and three students who were at risk passed on the first try. We have not yet received a report on the Practical Nursing students who graduated in August of 2002. Based on unofficial data 23 out of 24 students have passed for a 95% average.</p>			
<p>Analysis and Action: Criteria has been meet for the XADN and PN. Continue with giving the predictor exams as well as the individual student review of this test results and development of a study plan for NCLEX.</p>			

Outcome 2	Measurable Criteria	Measurement Tool	Time Frame
90% of all students will complete the PN program within 5 quarters and within 4 years of starting the program.	Determining graduation rates within the time frame given.	Data collection within the Nursing Department on graduation and attrition.	Will be computed annually within the 4 year time frame.
<p>Results: Preliminary results for 2001-2002 indicate that of the 27 students that start the PN program 24 graduated within 4 quarters. Students who did not finish will be monitored for the next three academic years. The graduation rate was 88 %.</p>			

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Analysis and Action:

Will continue to monitor trends and evaluate the reasons for not completing. These three students have 3 more years to complete the PN year.

Outcome3	Measurable Criteria	Measurement Tool	Time Frame
90% of all associate degree nursing students will graduate within 4 quarters for the full time program and 8 quarters for the part-time program	Determining graduation rates within the time frame given.	Data collection within the Nursing Department on graduation and attrition.	Will be computed annually within the 4 year time frame.

Results:

Of the 33 students who started as full time students in the Fall of 2002, 27 students graduated within the time frame given. Three transferred to the part-time evening program and are currently enrolled. They have been moved to the part time program data. Of the 30 who continued as first time admission to the ADN year 27 graduated. This results in 90% within the time frame given.

Analysis and Action:

The students who did not graduate will continue to be monitored over the next four years. The students who went part time will be included in the part-time statistics. This group has yet to complete the sequence.