NSG 597 Nursing Education Practicum Student-Preceptor Guidelines

Preceptor Role Definition: A nurse educator in a pre-licensure nursing program who agrees to provide support and guidance for an MSN student completing a nurse educator teaching practicum.

Final grading all course projects will be done by course faculty.

Preceptor Agreement: The Preceptor is asked to complete a Nursing Preceptor Agreement.

STUDENT-PRECEPTOR ACTIVITIES: PRIOR TO OR AT BEGINNING OF PRACTICUM:

Orient student to academic institution and the nursing program.

Assist in selecting a course lecture topic for student to teach Furnish text or online resource for corresponding lecture.

Assist the student in selecting a capstone project that will benefit the nursing program.

Collaborate with student to clarify information on key components of target course:

- Syllabus, Description and Objectives, Textbook
- Course procedures related to MSN Practicum Components
- Course assignment due dates
- Course student testing, feedback, and evaluation tools
- Tour academic institution and discuss clinical supervision protocols

STUDENT-PRECEPTOR ACTIVITIES DURING PRACTICUM:

Collaborate on planning and assessment of assignments (lecture, clinical, simulation, faculty development, etc.).

Monitor and provide feedback to any teaching activity the student completes (for example: teaching presentation, facilitating learning during clinical, facilitating clinical post-conference).

Furnish exam schedule timelines for test question submission, editing, and selection. Consult on item writing and assist in test analysis.

Provide contact information on participant observation activities for role work in committees and other faculty development activities.

Communicate periodically course faculty on practicum student progress and final outcomes.

Plan activities that will meet the NLN Core Competencies of a Nurse Educator

PRECEPTOR ACTIVITIES END OF PRACTICUM:

Provide an overall summary of the MSN Student at the end of the practicum experience.

Please contact the DePaul University course faculty for any questions or concerns. DePaul University course faculty will assign grades to assignments and consult faculty preceptor for any questions or concerns.