



2024 MENTORING FOR STUDENT SUCCESS WITH SCHOOLS OF NURSING

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Lessons Learned

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LEHMAN COLLEGE CUNY DEPARTMENT OF NURSING AND THE GREATER NY HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION GAP PROGRAM

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Lessons Learned

- History Perspectives of Program
- Impetus for the Program
- Partners

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Development of Curriculum

- Commitment of participating Institutions
- Identification of GAPS
- Timeline Developed
- Faculty Identified

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GAPS Assessment

- Discussion with Nurse Educators at Potential Institutions
- Potential Students Records review
- Commitment from institutions to release students 1 day a week

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Criteria for Selection of Student and Faculty

- Students:

Bachelor of Science Degree and or Masters Degree in Nursing

GPA

Commitment to serve as preceptor or faculty

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Criteria for Faculty

- Eligible for appointment to Lehman College and or faculty of City University of NY
- Experts in Content Taught
- Time commitment to program

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Gap Program Curriculum

- Theory course in Nurse's Role in Professional Development (3 credits)
- Clinical Course (3 credits)
- Areas Covered in both courses

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Outcomes

- 10 persons completed the program
- All awarded the 6 college credits
- Credits accepted by Adelphi, Hunter, SUNY Stoney Brook and Lehman
- Masters prepared students hired as adjuncts at Adelphi, Lehman
- Three BS only matriculated into masters program at Lehman and completed the degrees and 2 hired as adjuncts. 2 continue as adjuncts in maternal child
- 1. masters prepared student currently an assistant professor at Lehman College

Thank you

Questions