

EDUCATION COMMUNIQUÉ

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Greetings to all of our nursing education program directors.

The Education Department is delighted to offer resourceful information to our approved program directors. We encourage you to share pertinent information with your faculty members and students. Continue to stay safe and protected during the pandemic.

“Intelligence plus character—that is the goal of true education.”
— Martin Luther King, Jr.

NCBON AND NCSBN ANNUAL REPORT COLLABORATION: A New Opportunity

The National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) will begin assisting with the collection of data for the Education Annual Report, starting with the 2021 – 2022 reporting period.

NCSBN Core Annual Report Project: What is it?

- The NCSBN survey was designed based on the core data results of a large, mixed-methods study of nursing program quality indicators and warning signs.
- This is the first-ever core nursing education database that has been developed.
- Questions regarding COVID-19 are included to analyze its impact within your program.
- The NCSBN has reported more than 20 Boards of Nursing are participating.

NCBON Annual Report

- Fulfills program director responsibility for report submission consistent with 21 NCAC 36 .0323(f)(1) by 11:59 pm on October 31.
- Data results will continue to be disseminated via the NCBON Trends Report.
- Data results will continue to assist the Sheps Center for Health Services Research and NCSBN in projecting the future workforce needs to be met by the nursing education programs in North Carolina.

How does this impact you?

- The process of completing the Annual Report will not change. The NCBON will provide a Qualtrics hyperlink via email granting access to the report the morning of October 1, 2022.
- Access will close at 11:59 pm on October 31, 2022.

More detailed information will be provided in the upcoming months.

EDUCATION AND PRACTICE COMMITTEE

The following Education & Practice Committee charge was approved by our Board at the January meeting to continue during 2022.

The Education and Practice Committee recommended that the Board charge the Committee to review best practices for nursing education program regulation, the related Law and Rules, and recommend any needed revisions to the NCBON Education Rules in 21 NCAC 36 .0300 - Approval of Nursing Programs to the Board.

The next meeting will be held virtually on March 8, 2022.



18TH ANNUAL EDUCATION SUMMIT

Virtual Offering

March 28, 2022

8:30 am - 12:45 pm

Presenters

Karin J. Sherrill, RN, MSN, CNE, ANEF, FAADN

Faculty Educator, Nursing Education Consultant

Next Generation NCLEX Update



Erin P. Fraher, PhD, MPP

Director of the Program on Health Workforce
Research and Policy

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research

The Nursing Workforce Model and Faculty Shortages



Teresa M. Stephens, PhD, MSN, RN, CNE

Interim Dean, Professor of Nursing

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King University

Resilience: Who, What, When, Why, & How



Contact hours will be awarded .

The North Carolina Board of Nursing is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the North Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentials Center's Commission on Accreditation.

TEMPORARY WAIVERS - EXTENDED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2022

Program Requirements - www.ncbon.com

Each program director is responsible for determining educationally sound modifications that are necessary, for identifying whether the program outcomes have been met, and for validating those students who meet the program outcomes and are eligible to apply to take the NCLEX-RN or NCLEX-PN. Once the temporary waivers expire, program directors must communicate any change(s), along with rationale for the proposed change(s) to NC BON by submitting a Program Change Form. [Click here](#) to view form.

Emergency Temporary Graduate RN/LPN Nurse License - www.ncbon.com

Waive the provisions of (a)(6) and (7) for applicants who are first time NCLEX test takers so they may practice as an RN or LPN until they are able to take and pass the NCLEX, and complete a criminal background check in accordance with the rule. The holder of a temporary permit shall identify themselves as a Graduate RN or Graduate LPN. This temporary permit shall expire 6 months from the date of issuance. This permit shall be deactivated if the applicant does not pass the NCLEX on the first taking of the exam or the criminal background check pursuant to §90-178.48 determines the applicant to be a risk to public safety.

2021 NCLEX PERFORMANCE RESULTS

NCLEX RN and PN

[View Results Here](#)

BOARD UPDATES - Announcing New Board Members

RN At-Large

Shakira Henderson, RN

Licensed Practical Nurse

Cheryl Wheeler, LPN

[Click here](#) to access NC BON Governance Information



AHEC

The NCBON and NC AHEC invite you to attend educational offerings for nursing program directors and faculty dedicated to learning how to prepare for the Next Generation NCLEX! In addition to the 18th Annual Education Summit, these live webinars will assist academic nursing administrators to consider all that is involved in planning for the preparation of students' successful outcomes on the Next Generation NCLEX.

Next Generation NCLEX: Deans/Directors: Is Your Plan Ready?

February 15, 2022

3:30 pm – 4:45 pm

Live Webinar

Diane M. Billings, RN, EdD, FAAN, ANEF

Next Generation NCLEX: Deans/Directors: Are Your Program Polices Ready?

April 13, 2022

3:30 pm – 4:45 pm

Live Webinar

Desiree Hensel, PhD, RN, PCNS-BC, CNE, CHSE

Next Generation NCLEX: Faculty Are You Ready?

May 19, 2022

8:45 am – 4:00 pm

Live In-Person with a Virtual Option

Diane M. Billings, RN, EdD, FAAN, ANEF

Desiree Hensel, PhD, RN, PCNS-BC, CNE, CHSE

For more information, please contact Laura Bliley, MSN, RN / blileyl@ecu.edu

NCSBN MAILING LIST

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