

END OF PROGRAM STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon completion of the Associate in Science Degree – Nursing, the graduate will:

1. compare the function of the health care team in providing patient centered care.
2. value a spirit of inquiry by utilizing evidence-based practice and critical thinking in the decision making process.
3. engage in professional development activities that enhance the role of the nurse and facilitate lifelong learning.
4. utilize the quality improvement process to improve care for patients, families and communities.
5. incorporate health information technology in the practice of nursing to make informed clinical decisions.
6. exhibit sound clinical judgement in providing safe and quality care.
7. practice within the ethical/legal parameters of the profession.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

1. 80% of graduates will pass the NCLEX-RN examination on the first attempt.
2. 80% of graduates will be employed in nursing within 1 year of graduation.
3. Within one year of completion, 75% of responding graduates will express satisfaction with the program of study.
4. Within one year of employment, 75% of responding employers will express satisfaction with graduates in the workplace.
5. 50% of students will complete the program of study within three years.