ADDENDUM

Updates to MSN and DNP Student Learning Outcomes

Updated MSN Student Learning Outcomes:
1. Incorporate advanced knowledge in nursing and related disciplines as the basis for decisions and innovation in advanced nursing practice.
2. Integrate and apply leadership, management and education principles into advanced nursing care that utilizes ethical and critical decision making forming the basis for an innovative nursing practice framework.
3. Integrate established and emerging principles of quality and safety for advanced nursing within diverse settings and populations.
4. Appraise research outcomes and current evidence for integration into practice to improve professional nursing practice and healthcare.
5. Manage informatics, communication and healthcare technologies to enhance, integrate, and coordinate patient care to improve delivery of nursing care and outcomes in accordance with best practice and standards.
6. Develop inter-disciplinary advocacy strategies to impact healthcare policy within complex systems of healthcare.
7. Communicate, collaborate and consult as a leader and member of intraprofessional and interprofessional teams for improvement of healthcare outcomes while recognizing and supporting individual perspectives, characteristics, norms and values.
8. Translate clinical judgement interventions for the provision of person-centered care and population-centered care that is culturally responsive to promote positive health outcomes.
9. Demonstrate role competencies in a specialized area of advanced nursing practice at the master’s level.

Updated DNP Student Learning Outcomes:
1. Evaluate established and evolving disciplinary knowledge and theories from nursing and other disciplines to promote the highest level of clinical judgment and decision-making for advanced practice nursing.
2. Integrate holistic and just care to a socially diverse population guided by ethics, advocacy, and evidence that support positive health outcomes.
3. Develop sustainable partnerships to promote equitable, systemic health policies for the improvement of population health outcomes.
4. Synthesize, translate, and disseminate evidence to transform nursing practice and models of care for diverse populations and organizations.
5. Evaluate evidence-based principles of safety science for quality improvement in nursing care for the patient and health system.
6. Foster interprofessional practice perspectives to improve patient-centered experiences, holistic patient and population health outcomes and reduce healthcare costs.
7. Initiate changes in complex systems of healthcare through nursing leadership and the ethical design and implementation of health policies for diverse populations.
8. Integrate innovative healthcare, informatics, and communication technologies for quality improvements in healthcare systems using practice and regulatory standards.

9. Refine professional identity, demonstrate role competencies, and enhance accountability to the practice of nursing that reflects the discipline’s common values.

10. Engage in holistic strategies that promote personal well-being, lifelong professional learning and leadership development.