



NURSING ADVISORY MEETING	May 30, 2019 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. HS 209
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Type of Meeting: Annual
Note Taker: Sylvia Waller

Present:

Alexis Baiza	Nursing Student	Antelope Valley College
Greg Bormann	Dean, Health and Safety Sciences	Antelope Valley College
Olivia Carchi	RN	DHS
Yesenia Cota	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Debra Dickinson	Professor	Antelope Valley College
Marveli Castillo	Nursing Student	Antelope Valley College
Greg Evans	Director of Pharmacy	Palmdale Regional Medical Center
Martin John Gonzales	Nursing Graduate	Antelope Valley College
Maria Kilayko	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Marissa Latuno	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Angela Lindbloom	CNS	Antelope Valley Hospital
Colleen Littlejohn	Stroke Coordinator	Antelope Valley Hospital
Deborah Lorick	Nurse Manager	Antelope Valley Hospital
Linda Lummer	Nurse Educator	Antelope Valley Hospital
Gloria O’Dell	MSN, PHN, RN	Antelope Valley Hospital
Kimmy Nelson	Director of Primary Care	Kaiser Permanente
Mateo Olivary	Registered Nurse	Antelope Valley Hospital
Katherine Quesada	Nursing Counselor	Antelope Valley College
Fatima Ramos	RN-BSN Advisor	California State Bakersfield
Sandra Robinson	Adjunct Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Dr. Casey Scudmore	Professor	Antelope Valley College
Kimberly Smith	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Susan Snyder	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Elizabeth Sundberg	Director of Nursing/Full-Time Faculty	Antelope Valley College
Karen Urson	RN-BSN Director	California State Bakersfield
Courtney Whipple	Full-time Faculty	Antelope Valley College

Items	Person	Action
I. Welcome and introductions	All	Elizabeth Sundberg extended a welcome; introductions took place. Also informed the committee that this would be her final year as Director of Nursing and a faculty member due to her retirement. Dr. Casey Scudmore would be taking over her position of Director.
II. Registered nursing program updates:	Elizabeth Sundberg	



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<p>a. Admissions Traditional and Bridge)</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Nursing program at AVC utilizes the multi screening criteria. Students receive points for GPA, additional languages, TEAS Score, additional degrees and other factors. The program had 37 applicants that will be admitted who had 67 points or more. The LVN-RN Bridge program does not utilize a multi screening criteria but is based on application date. There is a influx of applications to the bridge and LVN programs since the multi screening criteria was implemented. Some student who apply will never get in, so they are taking alternative routes. The LVN program got approval to hire a second fulltime faculty member so that they can increase the number of yearly admissions. It will also change to a multi screening criteria in hopes to decrease attrition rate.
<p>b. Grant Status/budget</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Nursing program has received a Nursing Grant that comes from the Chancellor's office which totaled \$153,000. It was previously used to fund the Nursing Counselors salary however she has become a tenured faculty and will be moved to district funds. \$180,000 was grated in Perkins money and the program purchased Nurse Annie simulator, OB simulator, hospital beds, AccuVein, bladder scanner and a new Pyxis machine.
<p>c. Mental Health Security</p>	<p>Courtney Whipple</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Going forward to those who will be teaching mental health, there are some issues with badge access for students. Was hoping to mainstream a process to allow students to have badge access. The issue that is concerning to faculty is that if a student did not have badge access, the students have no way to get

<p>d. Simulation and Skills Lab Needs</p>	<p>Debra Dickinson</p>	<p>out of the area should a situation arise where they need to evacuate. Was advised in the future to contact nursing education as soon as possible to get this issue resolved.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - There are 3 simulation rooms that have various simulation machines. There is a sim mom, sim baby, newbie, sim Jr., three adult simulators. The newest ones are sim Annie. About 10-20 hours are scheduled in the labs for students to utilize and practice. The purpose of the open lab is for students to be able to replicate instances that may actually take place in the hospital setting. Will purchase EHR Tutor for the students to use which looks very similar to Cerner which the hospitals are using.
<p>e. Pyxis</p>	<p>Dr. Casey Scudmore</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Students have limited access to Pyxis to pull meds. They cannot pull narcotics or any controlled substances and students have to have two nurses witness any medications that require it.
<p>f. Input on New Graduate Programs</p>	<p>Elizabeth Sundberg</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PRMC has indirect understanding that new grads are being raved about from the nursing leaders. Palmdale will also hold a new grad fair in June and July of 2019. AV Hospital new grad fair will be on June 10, 2019. A lot of institutions will only hire new grads that also hold a BSN.
<p>g. Faculty Needs</p>	<p>Elizabeth Sundberg</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The nursing program need more faculty. Interviews will be held within the next couple of weeks.
<p>h. Dialogue/input on Requirements</p>	<p>Elizabeth Sundberg</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A comment was made that the time requirement to apply as a faculty member seemed unreasonable since there are a lot of interested nurses who would want to apply but do not have the



		<p>experience. Unfortunately, the criteria for those who apply and the education and experiences is mandated by the chancellor's office.</p>
<p>III. Program Evaluation</p> <p>a. NCLEX Passing Rate/Standard for Passing</p> <p>b. Student Learning Outcome Achievement</p> <p>c. Program Learning Outcome Achievement</p> <p>d. Employment Rate</p> <p>e. Employer Graduate Feedback-Survey Completion</p>	<p>Yesenia Cota</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - NCLEX passing rate, the faculty meets twice a year to go over the data. In October 2016, there was a 94% pass rate, September 2018 there was a 87% pass rate and overall from the years 2017-2018 there is a 91% pass rate. Faculty hold NCLEX workshops to help students. - These are the outcomes that each students need to meet at the end of each semester. They are measured by weekly clinical evals and students will review them with the instructor. At the end of the semester they will receive a formative eval that will tie the whole semester in. - Students take a Kaplan and Predictor test. It is a three hour exam. These gives the student a preliminary result of where they will be for the NCLEX exam and will let them know areas that need to be worked on. - Surveys are sent to students upon graduation however, once the student has completed the program, they do not always respond. It is unfortunate because the BRN wants to view this data for their reports. - Surveys were passed out for those unit managers at the local hospitals to complete and return to AVC.



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IV. Vocational Nursing Program Update	Elizabeth Sundberg	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The class that will be admitted in fall of 2020 will be admitted by the multi screening criteria. The program is held every year with admission in the fall.
V. Registered Nursing Preceptorship Program	Elizabeth Sundberg	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This program is part of the community and not part of the nursing program. However, students are encouraged to participate. High Desert and Palmdale Regional offer Preceptorship programs for students.
VI. Community Partner Updates		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Greg with Palmdale Regional is very impressed with what is taking place with the nursing program and is valuable to the community. - Matteo with AV Hospital informed that the ER will expand to 46 beds. He also believes that AV has one of the best programs and they do amazing things for their students. Whatever the program needs from the hospital, they are there to support the program.
VII. Adjournment	All	The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m. Elizabeth thanked participants for attending.