Sheila Paul Podium Presentation

American Holistic Nurses Association

June, 2012

Purpose Statement

nursing is promoting self-care and improving client health care and

This presentation will define, integrate and provide learning strategies

plan designed to impact healthcare transformation

Equip holistic nurses with skills/approaches to participate

from an Integrated Education Model

Conference Goal:

Title:

other costs of implementing the Respecting Choices ®

implementation of a comprehensive ACP model in this area. Grant

awarded a Community Service/ Service Development grant to support

Advance Care Planning Team (formerly the Bemidji Area Palliative

communicating thoughtfully considered and well-informed decisions

and the benefits. The INET shows nurses how to educate their clients.

and promote holistic nursing care and provide holistic education to

Students Planning for Communities!

The Closed Pod Dispensing event we did last fall has been accepted by Minnesota Department of

Health as a best practice in the state! Our activity will be presented at the

The faculty and staff at NTC and BSU have been a vital part of my wonderful and unexpected nursing journey which began

I began the RN to BSN program at Bemidji State University and also returned to NTC to serve as a tutor for nursing students. At BSU I attended classes with other

I have been teaching in a baccalaureate nursing program for

Connecting with Alums

Dr. Gangeness hosted an alumni event in Denver in July. They enjoyed an afternoon of

Another alumni event was held in September in Minnetonka. Dean Gangeness joined the

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Diane Gangeness has turned her Community Service/ Service Development job to support implementation of a comprehensive ACP model in this area. Grant
dollars will support a collaborative partnership, education, materials and other costs of implementing the Informed Consent...
Faculty Scholarship

Leslie Darmofal

I gave a poster presentation at the 30th CNS conference. The focus of the CNS is on demonstrating the Advanced Practice Role in health care and three of its domains are: scholarship, practice, and education. I presented on a research poster titled ‘The impact of the CNS and the Advanced Practice Role in Diabetes Care’.

Debra Thorsen

Design and Sample: For this pre-post-test intervention study, 30 children ages 8 to 12 were recruited from a rural Midwestern Boys and Girls Club. Intervention physical activity levels, parental support, and perceived support were determined before and after implementation of supportive parental interventions.

Methods: Physical activity levels were objectively measured by accelerometers. Parental support and the continuous education required to maintain certifications contribute to the creation of an environment of accountability and professionalism. As a voluntary process, special certification points in nurse’s commitment to career development and dedication to patients.

Julie Casspers Dissertation Abstract


Moore, B. (2013). Contribution to family systems, family education. To Improve Staff Nurse Education.


Hennen, T.J. (in press). Implementations of simulation to improve Staff Nurse Education. Journal of Staff Nurse Education.

Hennen, T.J. (2013). Implementing simulation to improve Staff Nurse Education. Paper presentations at the 13th Annual Communities Collaborative Brain Development Conference, Mahnomen, Minnesota.

Scholarship in Action:

The literature is replete regarding behavioral norms that effectively motivate children to increase physical activity levels. Because some research has shown parental influence can affect children’s behavior, it is hypothesized that a facilitative parenting style may influence children’s physical activity levels.

Purpose: The purpose of this study was to examine the effects of parental support on children’s physical activity levels. Parents’ Health Promotion Model (HSM) served as a theoretical guide.

underpinning of this model is based on the assumption that individuals are influenced by interpersonal factors such as parental support.

Drs. Hall, and Moore continued on next page

Scholarship Completed

Top 5 Rules

Rule #1. Your level of accountability determines your level of happiness, so don’t hope to be lucky, choose to be happy.

Rule #2. Suffering is optional, so choose happiness.

Rule #3. You can never do too much for people. Your action, not outcome, will produce.

Rule #4. Say “Yes” to what’s real. Change is opportunity.

Rule #5. You can always eliminate circumstances. Succeed anyway.

Hand Hygiene

Hand hygiene is the most effective mechanism to prevent the spread of infection, including viruses, bacterial, and environmental. Health care providers, including nurses, have different ideas concerning hand hygiene policies and procedures. Our study was designed to address this gap and evaluate the effectiveness of hand hygiene. Hand hygiene is the most effective mechanism to prevent the spread of infection.

Nicole Bell,

Schoolcraft College

Schoolcraft Screening

by: Sarah Tarutis

Scholarship Completed

Deadlines and grants for the 2013-14 academic year are as follows:

November 15th 3 pm, students enrolled in Foundations of Nursing (ENGR 1000), the first nursing course for the RN Program, for those who are interested to provide hand/screening for the students in grades 4-5 at Schoolcraft Learning (Community) which is located at Concordia Language Village. There are 27 students to the campus who are interested in this program and they provided vision and hearing screenings along with taking height and weight on approximately 100 students at Schoolcraft College.

Schoolcraft Screening by: Vicki Roff

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