



SANTA ROSA
JUNIOR COLLEGE

Santa Rosa Junior College and Sonoma State University
Nursing Advisory Committee Minutes
Monday, Nov 18, 2024; 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

Hosted by Sonoma State University - via ZOOM

Welcome and Introductions (10:30 am)

In Attendance Committee Members:

Krista Altaker Sonoma State University

Surani Hayre-Kwan Sutter Health & West Go Health Center

Katherine Magee Santa Rosa Junior College

SSU Administration, Staff & Faculty:

Rich Fidler, Kaija Freborg, Brian Herrera, Rachel Napoli, Pattie Stein, and Anna Valdez

SRJC Administration, Staff & Faculty:

Diane Donnelly, Melissa Gory, Erica Lohne, Tiffany Lundquist, Anita McInnis, Claire Raymond,
Megan Rhodes, Jennifer Richardson, Tammy Sakanashi, Jake Samson, and Rachel Smith

Off-Campus Invited Guests:

Salina Gonzalez	Council on Aging
Suzanne Hewitt	Mendocino College
Jennifer Gosztyla-Borzoni	Providence
Amanda Magrum	Providence
Rachel Stageman	Providence
Samantha Wilson	Providence

Minutes: Jessica Hansen, Sonoma State University

Review/Approve Minutes from last meeting was approved at the November 6, 2024 meeting

Sonoma State Nursing Updates:

- **Chair's Report:** Accreditation Site Visit: Today (Nov 18-20); Joint Visit with BRN and CCNE.
- **Pre-Licensure Report:** 24 students are admitted each admissions cycle; however, we hope to increase to 32 students. The curriculum needs to be revised first. The first-time pass rates for the NCLEX are very high. In addition to the dedicated skills lab, a second skills lab was added this past summer.
- **Post-Licensure Report:** Applications are open to mid-year graduates. 36 students graduated in May 2024. We had 43 students admitted in the summer. Currently, we have 30 in the program.
- **MSN FNP Report:** The FNP program is increasing admissions. There is a whole day of sim/skills labs today.

Santa Rosa Junior College Nursing Updates

- **Director's Report: Katherine Magee:** The plan is to admit 105 new students while working on expanding the program per the Chancellor's Office capital improvements. The NCLEX pass rate is at 98%. SRJC is reaching more students through the lottery and mirrors the Sonoma County demographics. They are currently at full faculty with 13 FT contract faculty and 6 active Associate Faculty. Jean Farham is retiring and they are hoping to hire Grey Gardner. They may hire six new faculty due to retirements. SRJC was awarded \$300,000 in grants to support nursing student retention.

Advisory Committee Members Updates/Roundtable Discussion

Items to Discuss:

- **Legislation for BSN at CC:** From a budgetary standpoint, Katherine Magee, says that SRJC is not moving towards it right now. She encourages the local ADN programs and the SSU CNECM program to continue these discussions with President Garcia and with Dr. Wade.
- **Suzanne Hewitt, Mendocino College Report:** The current NCLEX pass rate is 100%. There are no areas of non-compliance or recommendations from their current visit, which is a big change from their 2019 BRN accreditation visit. They are fully staffed and have more interest in adjunct faculty. Faculty are doing well, they have a good space, but their only limiting factor to expanding their program is clinical placements.
- **Surani Hayre-Kwan, Sutter Health Report:** There is no change to the on-boarding process for students at this time.
- **Amanda Magrum, Providence Report:** Centralized Clinical Placement System (CCPS) is moving **to /from** Clinical Edify, Inc. for their onboarding. They are working through the IT process, then training, and hope to go live by Spring 2025.

SSU Accreditors from CCNE and BRN joined the Zoom call at 11:04 am and all SSU faculty and staff left at 11:05 am for the accreditors to talk with the Nursing Advisory Committee (as you are significant members of our "Community of Interest").