**North Dakota State College of Science**

 **Practical Nursing Programs**

**Practical Nursing Program Outcomes**

NDSCS Practical Nursing Program outcomes are:

1. NDSCS PN Performance on licensure exam will be at 80% or higher for all first-time test takers during the same 12-month period.
2. 50% of PN student will complete the program within three (3) academic terms from the time of entry into the program.
3. 80% of PN graduates will indicate student satisfaction with the preparation provided by the program for entry-level practice (EPSLOs).
4. 80% of PN graduates will be employed as a PN within 12 months of graduation.
5. 80% of PN students will achieve 88% or higher benchmark of probability to pass NCLEX on the proctored ATI Comprehensive Predictor Exam on or before the second attempt.

**Practical Nursing End of Program Student Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of the Practical Nursing Program the graduate will display the following:

1. **Patient Centered Care**

Graduate will provide quality nursing care to clients and their families from diverse backgrounds in a variety of settings.

1. **Teamwork and Collaboration**

Graduate will participate as a member of the inter-professional healthcare team in the delivery of safe, quality patient centered care.

1. **Evidence Based Practice (EBP)**

Graduate will utilize current evidence-based practice and resources when providing safe, quality patient centered care.

1. **Quality Improvement**

Graduate will participate in activities that improve and promote quality of care in health care settings.

1. **Safety**

Graduate will apply strategies that minimize risk of harm and provide a safe environment for clients, self, and others.

1. **Informatics**

Graduate will utilize information and technology to communicate and manage knowledge while providing safe quality patient care.

1. **Professionalism**

Graduate will comply with the ethical, legal, and regulatory frameworks of nursing and the scope of practice as outlined by the North Dakota Board of Nursing (NDBON).

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