

Kentucky Board of Nursing

Programs of Nursing Update

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WELCOME BACK!!

As you receive this newsletter, everyone should be easing back into school ready for the new academic year!! Wishing faculty and students a great one!

NCLEX Communication With Graduates

Effective April 23, 2006 candidates who choose to provide an e-mail address at the time of registration, regardless of registration method, will receive the correspondence only by e-mail. Prior to April 23, all candidates were mailed hard copies of all correspondence in addition to receiving copies by e-mail.

Hard copy correspondence will only be sent to candidates who do not have an e-mail address. If correspondence to an e-mail address proves to be undeliverable, candidates will then be send a copy of the undelivered correspondence by US mail.

Candidates will be informed at the time of registration that if they decide to provide an e-mail address with their registration information, all later correspondence from Pearson Vue will automatically be sent ONLY to the e-mail address. Candidate correspondence includes: authorization to test (ATT) and confirmation of scheduled, re-scheduled or un-scheduled appointments.

NEW ADMINSTRATORS ORIENTATION

For the next academic year, I have set up four different orientations:

- October 4, 2006
 - December 6, 2006
 - February 7, 2007
 - March 21, 2007
- } 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All sessions are held at the Board office. The orientation is open to all faculty or administrators. We ask that you pre-register at lilaa.hicks@ky.gov

VISIT THE BOARD AT THE STATE FAIR

The Board is hosting a booth at the State Fair this year in the Health Pavilion. If you are at the fair—stop by.

NEW UNIVERSAL NURSING APPLICATION: No More Notary or Picture

There is a new universal application available on the KBN website. Applicants are already starting to send them in. The important piece is that the new application does not require a picture or a notary. A future goal is to develop the application into an "interactive" one so that the applicant can complete it and make payment on the web.

The old application will no longer be accepted—please throw out any old copies that you may have.

PLEASE DISTRIBUTE MATERIALS WE SEND!!!!

The Credentialing Department receives phone calls from students asking for their program code in order to complete the NCLEX application. Students tell us that they do not receive copies of the NCLEX Test Booklets and handouts that we mail to each program. We go to great expense and time to package these and mail them out—please distribute to students! We will no longer give out the school ID but refer the students back to the program or the NCLEX website.

A Special Hello to New Administrators

There have been a number of changes over the last few months with respect to nurse administrators across the state. I would like to share some new appointments for program administrators across the state:

Western Kentucky University- ADN Program

Kimberly Harris, MSN, RN

Bellarmino University, BSN Program

Linda Cain, MSN, PhD, RN

Eastern Kentucky University- BSN Program

Judy Short, MSN, DSN, RN

St. Catherine College- ADN Program (Acting)

Darrell Richardson, BSN, RN

ANNUAL REPORT

The Annual Report is being mailed under separate cover. If you do not receive, please contact Lila.

I will be Out-----

I am having surgery very soon—and will be out for the next month or so. Lila will be here to assist as always. I will have access to e-mail within a couple of weeks.

NCLEX REPORTS ARE ENCLOSED ONLY IF YOU HAVE HAD STUDENTS GRADUATE SINCE JULY 1, 2005 AND HAVE TAKEN NCLEX.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE

Office Use Only

Print clearly using capital letters and black ink.
 Refer to instruction sheet before completing this application.

APPLICATION FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Section 1: Biographical Data

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Maiden Name
 Male: Female:

Social Security #
 - -

Date of Birth
 - -

U.S. Citizen? Yes No

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City

State

Zip

County of Residence

International Country (Not U.S.A.)

International Postal Code

Daytime Phone #
 - -

Home Phone #
 - -

Ethnic Group:

1. African American 2. Asian 3. Multiracial 4. Hispanic or Latino

5. Native American 6. Pacific Islander 7. Caucasian 8. Other

Section 2: Type and Method of Application

Make check or money order payable to Kentucky Board of Nursing.

License Type:

If You Have Never Held a Kentucky Nursing License

- RN
 LPN

- Endorsement** \$150 Fee and \$24 Fingerprint Card Fee Complete Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12
 Submit Either NurSys Form or Attachment 2
- Examination** \$110 Fee Complete Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12
 Submit Criminal History Report

If You Held a Kentucky Nursing License

- Reinstatement** \$120 Fee Complete Sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12
 Submit Attachment 1 (If Applicable)

Section 3: Declaration of Permanent Residence and Areas of Practice

List your primary state of residence: KY Other

Do not submit evidence of primary residence unless requested to do so.

Jurisdictions in which you currently practice (circle ALL that apply):

- AL CA FL ID LA MN ND NV PA SD VA WI
- AK CO GA IL MA MO NE NY PR TN VI WV
- AR CT GU IN ME MS NH OH RI TX VT WY
- AS DC HI KS MD MT NJ OK SC UT WA
- AZ DE IA KY MI NC NM OR Other _____ (Specify)

Section 10: Application for Licensure by Endorsement - Valid for 6 Months

State & Year of Original Licensure as RN State & Year of Original Licensure as LPN

Refer to the instruction sheet for additional requirements if your nursing education was not received in a U.S. jurisdiction.

Select ONE of the following:

- I have been licensed less than 5 years.
- I have practiced 500 hours within the last 5 years.
- I have not practiced 500 hours in the last 5 years but have been licensed in another state longer than 5 years. **Contact KBN for requirements.**

Applicants for endorsement must submit:

1. A fingerprint card issued by KBN (and additional \$24 processing fee).
2. Verification of original licensure. **NurSys Form or Attachment 2**
3. Evidence of having earned 2 contact hours of KBN approved HIV/AIDS education. Contact hours must not be earned more than 2 years prior to date of application.
4. An official transcript (see the instruction sheet for additional information).

Provide the following information regarding your last two employers:

Name of Employer 1

Contact Person

City State Zip

Telephone # - - Length of Employment _____

Name of Employer 2

Contact Person

City State Zip

Telephone # - - Length of Employment _____

New Graduates Only: A provisional license will be issued within 14 business days of receipt of 1 and 4 above. See instructions for additional information.

I have practiced 120 hours in the same licensure type for which I am applying. Yes No

Section 11: Responsibility and Accountability of Kentucky Licensed Nurses

KRS 314.021(2): All individuals licensed under provisions of this chapter shall be responsible and accountable for making decisions that are based upon the individual's educational preparation and experience in nursing and shall practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety.

Section 12: Attestation Statement

I certify that I am the person referred to in the foregoing application for licensure in Kentucky; that I am not in default of a student loan administered by the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA), that I am not delinquent in the repayment of a defaulted Nursing Incentive Scholarship Fund award administered by KBN, that all statements contained herein and on all attachments are true and correct in every respect; and that I have read and understand this application and all requirements stated therein. I further understand that all information on this application is subject to an audit for verification and that the falsification of any information contained herein will be cause for disciplinary action. I declare my primary state of residence to be the state as indicated in Section 3 of this application.

Applicant's Signature

Office Use Only

HIV/AIDS in PON: _____

Workshop Endorsements

"...take note of how effectively this course was run. Some of the strategies utilized that made this class run so smooth might be missed by a first time e-learner. . . I really appreciated having identified sources as a basis for our learning and then how you promoted our individual growth. Thank you for a great class. I would put this class experience into my top 5 list."

- *Connie Meier-Gade, Nursing Faculty,
Online Workshop Participant*

"I like the way you have the course set up so that we practice what we are assigned....Thanks for a great educational experience."

- *JoAnn Olson, Nursing Faculty,
Online Workshop Participant*

"Overall this was a good experience. I definitely feel more knowledgeable about the topic. Tim was very prompt with his responses, and answered questions in a timely manner."

- *Catherine K. Pagel
Online Workshop Participant*

"This class ranks as one of the best - it definitely made use of educational principals and truly applied them. I have participated in many educational workshops/classes that did not walk the talk. This class most certainly did."

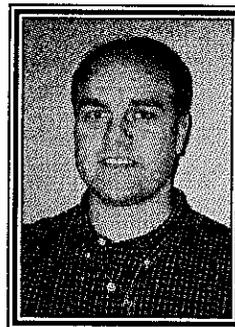
- *Summer '06
Online Workshop Participant*

"I enjoyed this workshop, and feel I learned a lot. I can't wait until I can use some of the tools I learned with my course."

- *Summer '06
Online Workshop Participant*

Tim Bristol, PhD, MSN, RN

Tim is a Nurse Educator and E-Learning Specialist who has taught face-to-face (F2F) and on-line courses in undergraduate and graduate nursing programs. Tim has provided faculty development for public and private institutions, facilitated strategic planning for E-Learning, and served as a coach for faculty and administrators. Tim also assists organizations in developing effective instructional design for F2F, clinical, and lab resource centers.



Contact Information

Register on-line:

www.nursetim.com

Major Credit Cards Accepted Online

or

Register by postal mail:

Nurse Tim Workshops

724 CR 670

Green Forest, Arkansas 72638

Voice/Fax—866.861.2896

For More Information Contact:

Deanne A. Blach, MSN, RN

Workshop Coordinator

870.715.7508 / deanneblach@aol.com

Registration is required and seats are limited. Registration will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Cancellations are requested at least two weeks in advance due to the limited number of slots. This will allow time for providing others to access that slot. A \$10 fee will be incurred for Credit Card Cancellations.

Evidence-Based E-Learning for Nurse Educators

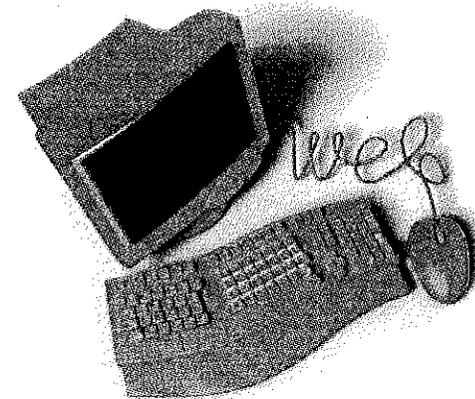
On-Line Workshop

Practical Training Immediate Application

Facilitated by

Tim Bristol, PhD, MSN, RN

Sept 25 - Oct 22, 2006



Workshop Objectives

The participant will be able to:

- Describe the theoretical basis for E-Learning use in nursing education.
- Analyze challenges and opportunities of E-Learning for nursing education.
- Collaborate with peers in strategic planning for E-Learning implementation and management.
- Improve communication with students through the use of E-Learning.
- Enhance learning for students through the use of E-Learning.
- Develop effective evaluation strategies for on-line courses and students.

Technology Requirements

- Different Web sites will have different requirements.
- Windows 95 – Present (Macintosh may also work in most activities)
- Internet Connection – Dial up will work for most of the activities, however if you have an unstable connection, you may wish to use a computer connected to high speed (DSL, T1, Cable, etc.)
- Email (any type, free, work, school, etc.)

Nursing Contact Hours

28.8 contact hours are pending based on approval by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Purpose of the Workshop

This workshop will analyze facts, figures, and fables related to E-Learning in Nursing Education. Interactive practice exercises will focus on developing E-Learning objects for face-to-face and on-line nursing courses. This highly interactive on-line workshop will place the educator in the role of the student while simultaneously learning theory and pedagogy for effective E-Learning.

Target Audience

This workshop is intended for Nurse Educators interested in exploring or improving their use of E-Learning. This may include administrators, full-time, part-time, adjuncts, preceptors and lab faculty. While the focus is on nursing education, secondary and post secondary educators in other professions will also discover valuable insight into creating successful E-Learning courses.

Participants will receive a course module. Please have the following available at the start of the E-learning workshop:

- Syllabi
- Modules
- Learning activities

These can be converted to the E-Learning format (clinical, lab, or theory courses).

**For questions
please contact:**

Dr. Tim Bristol
(866) 861-2896 ext.1
workshops@nursetim.com

Registration

Registration Deadline: September 15, 2006

Registration with fees will be taken on a first come-first serve basis

Enrollment is limited
Please print clearly!

Name

E-Mail for confirmation and log-on

Position

Employer

Employer Address

Employer Phone Number

Home Address

Home Phone Number

Course Management System in Work Setting

Registration Fee: \$450

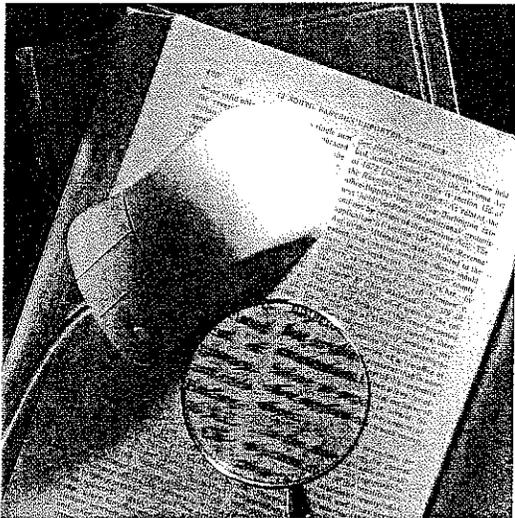
Major Credit Cards Accepted with online registration at:
www.nursetim.com

Checks and money orders accepted
Please send registration form and fee to:
Nurse Tim Workshops
724 CR 670
Green Forest, AR 72638

See Cancellation Policy on Reverse Side

Nurse Practice Acts
 2.0 Contact Hours @ \$12
 go to www.learningext.com

Nurse Practice Acts CE Courses



Planning to move or have you recently relocated to a new state?
 Did you know that the rules and regulations of nursing vary by state?

Understand
 the history of licensure, the purpose of nursing regulation
 and the functions of the board of nursing.

Identify
 the powers and responsibilities of the board.

Examine
 the definition of licenses and the duties of licensees.

Recognize
 the disciplinary authority of the board and due-process
 procedures.

Distinguish
 between the alternatives to discipline.

Board of Nursing jurisdictions with a Nurse Practice Act
 online CE course with NCSBN Learning Extension:
 Idaho, Iowa, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri,
 Nevada, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio,
 Virginia, West Virginia-PN and West Virginia-RN.

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