

ANGELINA COLLEGE NURSING PROGRAM PRECEPTOR/MENTOR AGREEMENT

The purpose of this Agreement is to obtain the mutual cooperation of

(preceptor/ mentor)

(preceptor/ mentor's employer)

and Angelina College in the provision of health care experiences for registered nurse students enrolled in the Associate Degree Nursing Program.

Angelina College and its assigned faculty person agree to:

1. Discuss with the preceptor at the beginning of the clinical experience to review/clarify clinical goal and objectives.
2. Be available during the clinical experience whether in person, by phone or beeper to provide assistance as needed.
3. Give the preceptor feedback on the clinical learning experiences.
4. Ensure written preceptor agreement is current within 2 years.
5. Meet with the preceptor at the end of the clinical experience to receive input on evaluation of the student and learning experiences.
6. Grade all assignments and performs all written evaluations of the student.

The preceptor/mentor agrees to:

1. Demonstrate a philosophy of health care which is congruent with the nursing education program of Angelina College.
2. Meet with faculty and reviews/clarifies written clinical objectives once per semester.
3. Guide student assignments based on clinical goal and objectives
4. Supervise student(s) in performing care while maintaining the client(s) safety.
5. Provides feedback to the student and faculty member regarding the student(s) progress in meeting designated goals and objectives.
6. Notifies the faculty member immediately in the event of unsafe clinical practice.
7. Meets with the faculty member at the conclusion of the learning experience to provide an input in the evaluation of the student and the learning experiences.

The Associate Degree Nursing Student will be instructed to:

1. Be responsible for his/her learning experiences.
2. Report to the agency preceptor/mentor prior to each learning experience unless other arrangements have been made.
3. Be accountable for his/her own nursing actions while in the health agency.
4. Respect the confidentiality of all information with regard to the client(s) and agency(s)
5. Be accountable to validate the attainment of objectives.
6. On initial meeting with the preceptor is prepared with clinical goals and objectives and discusses these with the preceptor.
7. Be prepared for each clinical learning experience.
8. Choose and accept assignments to meet course objectives.
9. Complete assignments demonstrating safe clinical practice.
10. Collaborate with the preceptor for mutual evaluation of clinical performance.

The following signatures acknowledge this arrangement and the content within. The preceptor will be provided with a copy of Clinical Preceptor Guidelines and understand this is not a salaried position.

Preceptor/Mentor

Date

Angelina College Faculty

Date