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Message from the Department of Nursing Chair and Professor Linda Adams-Wendling, Ph.D., APRN, GNP-BC



Dear Friends of ESU/Department of Nursing:

For nearly 94 years nursing education has resonated through the halls of Newman Regional Health in Emporia, Kansas. The nursing program at Emporia State University has a very proud history, starting with the inception of the Newman Hospital School of Nursing, diploma program from 1933-1990, to the Newman Division of Nursing (NDN) from 1990-2014, and now the Emporia State University Department of Nursing (EDN) from July 1, 2014. The nursing faculty, students, and alumni have achieved many accomplishments through the years. Consistently we have updated you annually on these accomplishments though our Alumni Newsletter, however our new format will be called our progress report(s) that will come out at least every three years. Our progress reports will continue to be distributed to all interested constituents and supporters of the nursing program.

It is such an exciting time here at Emporia State University Department of Nursing. As I reflect on the past three years, I am reminded of what an outstanding nursing program is at ESU. The progress and accomplishments of the nursing program these past three years have been amazing. These accomplishments are fueled by the passion and vision of our outstanding students, faculty, staff, alumni, clinical partners, donors, and friends. This report outlines the nursing program's progress towards outcomes and provides examples of student and faculty "engagement." We update you on the latest additions to our high fidelity simulator family providing for teaching innovation. We also want to take this opportunity to send a special appreciation to our clinical partners and scholarship and other donors. Your current and continued support of our program is essential to the future of nursing.

I hope you will enjoy reviewing this information on the nursing program. I look forward to an amazing future as a team member of the ESU Department of Nursing. As students, faculty, staff, donors, alumni clinical partners, or friends of the ESU Department of Nursing we have so much to be proud of and thankful for. In closing, thank you for your commitment to the past, present, and future of the ESU Department of Nursing and nursing education in Emporia and the surrounding counties. Remember in 2022 we will celebrate 100 years of nursing education in Emporia, Kansas. Please let me know if you have any questions and please stop by anytime to visit the program. We would love to see you.

Stingers up!

Sincerely,

Dr. Linda Adams-Wendling



EMPORIA STATE UNIVERSITY MISSION

Preparing Students for lifelong learning, rewarding careers, and adaptive leadership.

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING MISSION

The mission of the Department of Nursing, a department within the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Emporia State University, is to offer a quality baccalaureate nursing program that prepares graduates as adaptive leaders with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes to function in a rewarding career, as professional nurses.

ESU DEPARTMENT OF NURSING FACULTY ACADEMIC YEAR 2015



Amy Douglass, MSN, RN
Assistant Professor



Kari Hess, MS, RN Associate Professor



Keri Jarvis, MS, APRN Assistant Professor



Mary Mitsui, Ph.D., APRN

Assistant Professor



Nichole Pearson, MSN, RN Assistant Professor



Gina Peek, MS, APRN Assistant Professor



Lynnette Schreiner, MSN, RN Associate Professor



Sarah Tidwell, MS, RN Assistant Professor

The ESU Department of Nursing is fortunate to have such outstanding faculty. Last year (2014) Mrs. Lynette Schreiner and Dr. Mary Mitsui celebrated over 20 years of service to the ESU/Department of Nursing. Additionally, last year Mrs. Lynnette Schreiner and Mrs. Kari Hess were promoted to Associate Professors of Nursing. Mrs. Keri Jarvis, Mrs. Lynnette Schreiner, and Mrs. Kari Hess are all enrolled in doctoral programs,

so necessary for the future of the nursing program.

The nursing program has recently been ranked 14th in the top 100 nursing programs in the United States based on accessibility, affordability and quality NCLEX pass-rates by College Atlas. This accomplishment is due to the amazing students, faculty and staff at the ESU Department of Nursing! It's a great day to be a Hornet!

Part-Time Faculty:
Cathy Pimple, MSN, APRN
Juli Heitman, MSN, APRN
Dawn Norris, MSN, RN
Martha Lindeman, MSN, APRN
Tomas Hernandez, MSN, APRN

Staff:

Kenna Havens,

Administrative Specialist

Michelle Brown, Librarian

Student Workers:
Bridget Camien
Adam Tebben
Michaela Cape
Payton Shook
Whitney Landreth
Charley Wilkens

Emporia State University Newman Nursing Alumni Association Update



Dear Nursing Alumni:

Over the last several years I have been a part of many wonderful changes as the President of the Emporia State University/Newman Nursing Alumni Association. The interior of the nursing school has been given a facelift, we have joined forces with ESU and the ESU Foundation, we have held several successful Alumni Banquets, and we have helped support many nursing students with scholarships to continue their education. These are all efforts I am very proud to be a part of! This is my last Fall Newsletter for the Association as my term will end in March, but before I go, I want to share with you one more bit of exciting news...

On Wednesday, March 30th, 2016 we will host our Spring Alumni Banquet. Yes, this is a change from the usual Saturday evening activity, but the reason is outstanding! We are so very fortunate to share this date with the nursing program as they are bringing in none other than Dr. Patch Adams as a guest speaker for the day!! This is a continuing education opportunity for nurses from near and far. You may also attend just to enjoy the speaker. He has brought attention to the need of humor in medicine.

So what this means for alumni is the opportunity to earn some education credits, hear from a world renowned guest speaker that is guaranteed to make you laugh, and attend the Alumni Banquet in the evening and catch up with colleagues and friends. All in one amazing day!!

Please take this opportunity to mark Wednesday, March 30th, 2016 on your calendars and plan to be a part of our special day! If you have any questions about this fabulous event, please contact the ESU Department of Nursing at 620-341-4440. Thank you for the opportunity to lead such a great organization! Good luck in the future!

Sincerely, President Tammi Ogle, RN-BSN (08)

Join Us in Continuing the FUTURE of the Emporia State Department of Nursing

Donations to the Nursing Program are welcome

Yes, I want to donate to the ESU/NNAA Scholarship Fund

Checks may be made payable to: ESU/NNAA Scholarship Fund 1 Kellogg Circle Emporia, Kansas 66801 **Yes**, I want to donate to the ESU Nursing Enhancement Fund (e.g., Library, Bolz Faculty Development, other items for the nursing program)

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TECHNOLOGY IN ACTION



Loretto A. Langley Trust Expands High Fidelity Simulation

Since 2009 the nursing program has benefited from generous donations from the Loretto Langley Trust to expand high fidelity simulation opportunities. In 2009 the Loretto A. Langley Trust donated a NOELLE and baby HAL birthing simulator. Recently the Loretto A. Langley Trust donated funds for the nursing program to acquire an Adult High Fidelity Simulator and funding for two pediatric simulators. The addition of these simulators has created the LORETTO A. LANGLEY SIMULATION CENTER.

Simulation is an integral part of nursing education at the ESU Department of Nursing. Each practicum course uses high fidelity simulation to teach about important concepts in care as well as for psychomotor competency evaluation.

Additionally, faculty and students utilize iPads to video capture scenarios and competencies to aid in teaching and remediation strategies.

The technology of simulation provides students with real life scenarios to practice nursing in a safe environment.





KEY NURSING EDUCATION NEWS

■ Academic Progression Enhanced

Starting in the fall of 2016, LPN graduates with an Associate's Degree may "validate" the first year of the nursing program and graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) in two years.

The RN-BSN program has also been enhanced to provide more individualized plans with blended, online, or face-to-face course options.

■ Program Admission Enhanced

In December 2015, the ESU Department of Nursing was approved to admit 50 generic students, an increase from 44 students. This increase in admissions was initiated due to the increase in demand for the program and BSN graduates in Emporia, Lyon, and surrounding counties.

Partnerships

The ESU Department of Nursing this past year has partnered with Newman Regional Health (NRH) and Flint Hills Technical College (FHTC) to implement a Simulation Hospital in the vacated ICU at NRH. This Simulation Hospital currently houses two ESU high fidelity simulators and one FHTC high fidelity simulator. Interdisciplinary and community education are now available through this collaborative partnership.



Above are the new formats for our Nursing Graduate Pin and graduate composite. Composites are hung in Cora Miller Hall. Pictured is the Class of 2015, our charter example.

HIGH IMPACT LEARNING STUDENT ENGAGEMENT IN ACTION

Our Story During the Kansas State Board of Regents Visit in 2014-2015



"Good morning, Josie. I will be your nurse."



Demonstrating the "heart & lung sounds" of high fidelity simulation



Mrs. Schreiner and nursing students demonstrating simulation



Nursing students explaining the effects of smoking on our lungs.



Nursing students explain the birthing simulator.



Nursing students demonstrating baby "Hal."

SHARDED GOVERNANCE: SERVICE IN ACTION

National Student Nurses Association (NSNA)

The ESU Department of Nursing was well represented at the 2015 National Student Nurses Association Meeting. Kayla Fraley served on the NSNA National Board of Directors as the Nominations and Elections Chair, Adam Tebben was elected to the NSNA National Board of Directors for 2015-2016, E-KANS was awarded the Community Health Project Chapter award, and the ESU Department of Nursing was presented with a 5-year STELLAR SCHOOL AWARD.

The National Student Nurses Association Stellar School Award recognition is awarded to nursing programs who demonstrate ongoing involvement in NSNA and a strong commitment to shared governance and professional development of their students and faculty. Programs must demonstrate a commitment in the areas of Category I: Official NSNA Constituency Status and Chapter Leadership Participation, Category II: Dean/Chair/Director and Faculty Support of Professional Development of Students through NSNA, Category III: Facilitating Professional Development and Participation in NSNA, Category IV: NSNA Program Involvement and Service Learning, and Category V: Support of NSNA Membership.





Mrs. Jarvis, Kayla Fraley, and Mrs. Hess at the NSNA National Convention (2014) . Kayla Fraley became ESU's first NSNA national officer in 2014.

Ambassador Program 2015

This past year student council developed guidelines for nursing students to be ambassadors for the nursing program. Ambassadors are oriented to conduct recruitment visits, Black and Gold Days, and provide tours, and answer questions for future nursing hornets!

Ambassador Sierra Smith discusses the ESU Nursing Program at a recruitment event, "Discover the Magic of Nursing"



Clinical Practicum



Aubrey Arnold (senior) provides "flu" vaccines to other ESU students during the Maternal Child clinical practicum under the direction of Mrs. Kari Hess, Associate Professor of Nursing.

LEADERSHIP IN ACTION

In 2013 ESU partnered with Washburn University and Baker University to become a charter chapter of the Sigma Theta Tau Eta Kappa Chapter at Large Honor Society of Nursing. Mrs. Tidwell and Mrs. Hess, as well as Mrs. Douglass serve as officers for the organization. In the spring graduates are inducted and in the fall community leaders are inducted.

The fall 2015 community leader inductees, Mrs. Juli Heitman, Mrs. Katelyn Haddock, and Mrs. Nichole Pearson. Mrs. Tidwell and Mrs. Hess are also pictured.





The Fall Soup Supper has become a student council tradition.





ESU Nursing students at a recent health promotion event on smoking sensation entitled "Kick Butts."

Student Council participated in their first VA Parade in Emporia, Kansas in 2014 to recognize Chris Booth a 2015 graduate and a veteran. The story was broadcasted on state and national media.

Emporia State University Kansas Association of Nursing Students (E-KANS)



The Emporia State University Kansas Association of Nursing Students (E-KANS) has been very active the past 10 years! E-KANS is a constituent of the Kansas Association of Nursing Students (KANS) and the National Student Nurses Association (NSNA). In 2014 E-KANS was renamed from the original student organization N-KANS with the transition to ESU. In the past three years the organization has won over 15 state awards, has won several national awards, has had over 15

officers on the KANS state board of directors including 2 Presidents, and has board of director representation at the national level for the past two years. Through the leadership of this Student Organization ESU Department of Nursing was awarded the prestigious Stellar School Award in 2015. Awesome job ESU Nursing Hornets!!! Mrs. Kari Hess and Mrs. Keri Jarvis serve as local advisors and Dr. Linda Adams-Wendling serves as the KANS State Advisor/Consultant.

Emporia State University Men in Nursing (E-MAN)

Emporia State University Department of Nursing formed the ESU Men in Nursing Student Organization at ESU a constituency of the American Assembly of Men in Nursing (AAMN), a National Organization.

"The purpose of AAMN is to provide a framework for nurses, as a group, to meet, to discuss and influence factors, which affect men as nurses.

AAMN Objectives include:

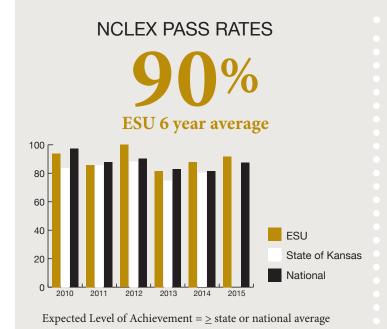
- Encourage men of all ages to become nurses and join together with all nurses in strengthening and humanizing health care.
- Support men who are nurses to grow professionally and demonstrate to each other and to society the increasing

- contributions being made by men within the nursing profession.
- Advocate for continued research, education and dissemination of information about men's health issues, men in nursing, and nursing knowledge at the local and national levels.

Support members' full participation in the nursing profession and it's organizations and use this Assembly for the limited objectives stated above." www.aamn.org/aamn (2015)

Zachary Mandell, junior nursing student serves as President of the Organization and Mrs. Amy Douglass serves as the sponsor of the organization.

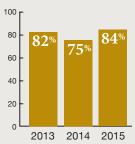
ESU DEPARTMENT OF NURSING OUTCOMES



GRADUATION RATE

80%

3 year average



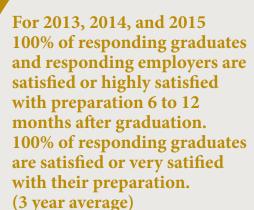
Expected Level of Achievement ≥ 75%

SCHOLARSHIPS

90%

of applied receive nursing scholarships (3 year average)

GRADUATE/EMPLOYER JOB SATISFACTION



Expected Level of Achievement ≥ 90%

JOB PLACEMENT RATE

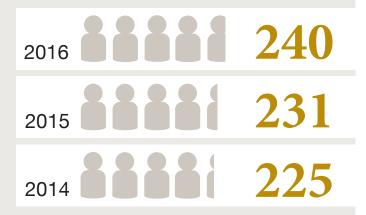
98.6%

placement of graduates once NCLEX successfully completed (3 year average)

Expected Level of Achievement ≥ 90% within 6 months of graduation

ENROLLMENT

Goal: Continue to increase to 150 nursing and 150 pre-nursing program



A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR CLINICAL PRACTICUM SITES AND SCHOLARSHIP AND OTHER DONORS

Clinical Practicum Sites

Camp Wood, Elmdale Central Care Cancer Center, Emporia Coffey Health Systems, Burlington Colmery O-Neil Veterans Hospital, Topeka

Emporia Day Care Center III, Emporia Emporia Presbyterian Manor, Emporia Emporia Recreation Center, Emporia Flint Hills Care Center, Inc., Emporia Flint Hills Community Health Center, Emporia

Fresenius Renal Care Group, Emporia Lawrence Memorial Hospital, Lawrence Lyon County Jail, Emporia Memorial Health System, Abilene Mental Health Center of East Central Kansas, Emporia

Morris County Hospital, Council Grove Newman Regional Health, Emporia Newton Medical Center, Newton Osawatomie State Hospital,

Osawatomie

Renal Care Group

Salina Regional Health Center, Salina St. Luke's Health System, Overland Park Stormont Vail HealthCare, Topeka Student Health Services, Emporia State University, Emporia

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