

Alliance for Clinical Education (ACE) Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: July 22, 2013 8:00am – 12:00noon

Location: Swedish Medical Center

ACE Contact Persons: Barbara Nelson – co-chair
Darcy Copeland – co-chair
Eniko Sturts – secretary

Adams State University – Yvette Lujan | Aims Community College – Danette Altergott | Arapahoe Community College – Geri Rush, Linda Ketcham, Valerie Carter, June Weiss | Avista Adventist – Deb Cutler | Banner Health – Laurie Hamit, Kris Cazer | Center for Nursing Excellence – Lola Fehr | Central Colorado AHEC – Gloria Nussbaum | Children’s Hospital Colorado – Betsy Colbeth, Connie Pardee | College America – Marsha Jacobs, Angie Wooster | Colorado Christian University – Peg Miller, Dennis Ondrejka | Colorado Mountain College – Shannon Kyle | Denver Health – Dalia Ghosh | Denver School of Nursing – Evelyn Shinn, Bonnie Shaffer | Emily Griffith – Kathy Kail | Exempla Good Samaritan – Chris Thornam | Exempla St. Joseph – Vicki Vowell, Karen Beyer | Front Range Community College (Westminster) – Suzanne Villiers | Greater Metro Denver Healthcare Industry Partnership – Judy Emery | Kaiser Permanente – Mary Riebe | Littleton Adventist – Beth Hendrick | The Medical Center of Aurora – Kate Norton | Metropolitan State University of Denver – Barbara Nelson, Chris Lambert | National American University – Darlene Tafoya | North Suburban Medical Center – Tammy Dechant | Parker Adventist – Roxanne Shaw, Ruth Dahlin | Platt College – Dana Cutler | Porter Adventist – Mary Wontor | PSL/Rocky Mountain Hospital for Children – Julie Safford | Regis University – Greg Dehler, Rosann Messere, Candy Schoeneberger, Cris Finn | Rose Medical Center – B.J. O’Connor | St. Anthony Hospital – Darcy Copeland | St. Anthony North – Crystal Fant | State of Colorado Board of Nursing – Roberta Hills | Swedish Medical Center – Sandie Kerlagon | Tri-County Health Department – Melissa Spencer | University of Colorado – Allison Moravec-Rice | University Hospital – Elsyse Hansen | University of Northern Colorado – Audrey Bopp, Vicky Wilson | University of Phoenix – Seth Jones, Eniko Sturts | VAMC – Darcy Donaldson

Agenda Item	Discussion	Follow-up
Networking		
Welcome/ Introductions/ Round Robin	<p>Meeting called to order 0830 by Barbara Nelson. Introductions by all attendees and new members welcomed. The ACE contact list was circulated.</p> <p>Approved by ACE that representative from myClinical Exchange be a regular presence in the meetings, placed in community report.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FRCC- full time faculty opening, M/S nursing • Porter had magnet appraisers out for re-designation, Joint commission is out today • myCE – training this afternoon, sandbox information if anyone needs it • greater Denver healthcare partnership – intraoperative training • Peg Miller – reducing hours, her position is open with Colorado Christian University • Audrey Bopp interim assistant director at UNC • Rose continues to have construction (state of disarray), lvl4 trauma and primary stroke center, continue work for Magnet, up certification for lvl 3 trauma • Dalia Ghosh – no addition of new rotations, at this time, only taking DH senior practicum 	

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	<p>students or volunteers; badge process; construction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children’s Hospital – 40 new grads hired • Accelerated student graduating – CU • UoP – move completed, August 1 grand re-opening, lost our College Campus Chair job opening should be posted soon • Metro State – RN to BSN enrollment increasing; traditional program approved by BON, may start cohort in January • St. Anthony’s – comprehensive stroke center, ED won Lantern award, first cohort of Nurse residency completed, 2nd group starts in August. 	
Minutes	The minutes from the April 2013 meeting were approved with no additions.	
myClinical Exchange subcommittee update – Linda Ketcham, Lori _____ and Beth Hendricks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical Instructor attestation approved at April meeting, additional changes made and passed around to gain additional comments and changes that may be needed. Change made to state flu expiration to 9/30 of the following year. Example: flu shot given 10/13/12, list in attestation as expiration:9/30/13 • (use Lori’s presentation as a guide for completing minutes) • Demonstrations by facility and school of the my Clinical Exchange system • Many options from mCE on training for facilities and schools • Ability to play in the “sandbox” demo site • Dennis Andreka – Colorado Christian University – motivational deterrents • Beth Hendricks – turnover an issue? • Children’s Hospital – if we agreed to use this as a group why is this a choice • Almost all schools have students paying for the myCE • myCE great for shortcuts to paperwork for keeping student information • compliance and safety of HIPAA and FERPA information better • School frustrations about continuing dual process and uploading paperwork • Students upset that not all hospitals are using myCE, difficulty with communication due to dual process • Students like the “one-stop shopping” with the system and the clinical forms all in one place 	Subcommittee will continue to meet and keep discussion going to fine tune the system and process
Nominations 2014-2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair nominees – Bonnie Schaffer, Denver School of Nursing • Secretary nominees – Bonnie Schaffer, Denver School of Nursing 	Ballot will be prepared for the October meeting
Community Reports <i>Colorado Nurses Association – Kasey Grohe</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unable to attend meeting 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The clinical scholar course will be at Rose Medical Center, October 21-25 • Powerful presentations course to be held. • State of Georgia – nurses will need to demonstrate competency prior to license renewal as of 	

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<p><i>Colorado Center for Nursing Excellence – Lola Fehr</i></p>	<p>2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reconvening meeting in June for specific actions to bring IOM recommendations to life • Highest priority of the day became legislative action to mandate BSN within a set number of years (not mentioned previously); Colorado Nurses Association has started a discussion related to this topic; needs rural input into this topic • Improve partnerships between partnerships and service; needs a theoretical and philosophical discussion that needs to take place; associate degree students not being accepted in some facilities • Financial incentives are a barrier, as well as clinical placements for RN-BSN students • Reimbursement from employers is not sufficient; • Rural facilities not encouraging BSN, afraid that they will lose the nurses; we need to help rural facilities to overcome the low BSN rates • Nurses have trouble with upfront costs; direct payment from employer on the back end of a course • Diverse settings for clinical experiences to get home health, palliative care, long-term care, and other settings to enhance curricula and clinical experiences • Increase retention and advancement – discussion with students that you are entering a professional practice, begin to change that we look at the profession as not a job but a practice; give a creation of ownership • Colorado student nurses association – how can they become a player in advancement for nursing in the state. How can we help facilitate to begin with our students to discuss issues. • General education that is not relevant, subcommittee to start looking at how to integrate general education to nursing courses • October 11th meeting in Pueblo for CCNE 	
<p><i>Central Colorado AHEC – Gloria Nussbaum</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nightingale award dinner was a great success. • AHEC is working with school of medicine to place students with family practice and obstetrics doctors. Students nominate doctors for awards, and a ceremony will be held at the Doubletree. • A class on healthcare for military vets and their families will be held at PSL on June 28. • Students are working on a project to target obesity in underserved areas, including how to prepare nutritional meals from food pantries. • Nightingale award changes – emails and postcards to go out middle of August, dates changed due to metro Denver science fair dates, February 8th, 2014 instead of March. Final deadline for nominations is January 13th, 2014. • Students from University of Colorado created online cookbook for obesity and chronic illness; 	

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<p><i>Board of Nursing – Georgia Roberts and Roberta Hills</i></p>	<p>using food pantry and food stamps. R.I.C.H. Cookbook</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food pantries need cooking oil and spices • Crock pots are also very useful for low-income families living in hotels 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New program director is Georgia Roberts, unable to be here due to meeting tomorrow • Full board meeting tomorrow – compact license RNs have 90-days to get Colorado license once state of residency is declared to be Colorado • Professional peer-review committee formed to review advance practice nurses • Annual report for schools may become an online presence in the next year; data will be available to the community • Medication aide authority – 3 programs in Colorado, set of treatments and medications listed by BON, some of these specific things have made problems in home health • Scope of practice restricts much of the delegation to CNA’s that were able to be delegated before, cannot delegate things that are in the scope for another license • Adequate resources needed to be demonstrated to increase admission for schools • PN statewide curriculum issues will be addressed tomorrow • NCSBN – national database of all licensed personnel, including disciplinary actions; nursys – e-notification system • Roberta to send rules related to medication aide authority to be sent out the committee • Brochures and article passed out 	
<p>Peer Health Assistance Program – Caitlin Kozicki, MA, Director and Donna Strickland, RN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See presentation materials sent out by email. 	
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Monday October 28, 2013 8:00 AM – 12:00 Noon at Swedish Medical Center. Submit agenda items for future meetings to: Darcy Copeland DarcyCopeland@Centura.org or Barb Nelson bnelso64@msudenver.edu</p>	

Respectfully submitted,
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Secretary, ACE