Nursing Introduction Video Script

Hello, my name is Jessica Alvarado and I am a counselor here at Lane Community College who works with prospective students and students who have been accepted into Lane's LPN or RN nursing programs.

This is the Moodle Academic Advising Resource for Nursing LPN and RN Programs. You are watching a brief tutorial for how to use this resource. Thank you for taking the time to walk through this with me.

At the top of this page you will see an introduction. In this introduction there is an email address for you to email your specific questions to NursingProgram@lanecc.edu.

Next you will see information about the Health Professions Advising team. And, this is actually a link for you to sign up for a Nursing Advising Workshop. We, work with Nursing Students in a group format.

Typically the group size is anywhere from 1 person to up to 10 depending on the time of the year.

We work hard to make sure that you get your needs met. If you need additional support we have you email your questions to NursingProgram@lanecc.edu.

You will see here that we have the Latest News section with announcements that we send to students who are what we call "enrolled in this course." To be enrolled you will need to print out the instructions depending on how you logged in to Moodle.

If you logged in as a guest choose this link.

If you logged in with your L number and Pass Phrase choose this link.

We have a free Academic Advising Resource for every major at Lane including this one for Nursing.

You will see that the Resource is divided into Topic areas.

In Topic 1, you will find the most recent application to the Nursing Program. Please carefully review the application for the year that you are applying. Enrolled students in the resource will receive email notification when updates have been added.

In Topic 2, this is information for new and prospective students who plan to attend Lane. Here you will find the Academic Advising Guide and Term by Term sample planner. You can save the Advising Guide to your computer to use like a checklist or to create your own term by term plan. You can also send your completed plan by

mail or upload here in the Storage bank for Term by Term Planners. This will allow you to request feedback from us.

In Topic 3 is information about Oregon Health Sciences University. We are a member of the Oregon Consortium for Nursing Education. Community college students who attend a O C N E institution are allowed to progress toward Bachelor Degree completion through Oregon Health Sciences University to finish the last year of the their education through a distance learning model.

In Topic 4, Transferring Credits. This information is provided to help students take steps toward determining how courses from prior institutions can be used to meet application or program requirements.

This Transfer Advising Information will allow you to look up a course that you have taken. If your course appears in the Lane Transfer Tool as equivalent to a course that is listed in the Nursing Advising Guide no further steps are required. If your course is not listed you will need to take steps to determine if it is equivalent. The Transfer Information provided in Topic 4 will help you to do this.

If your course appears equivalent to a 1 x x or 2 x x course this means that it is considered a freshman or sophomore level course. What is unknown is how the course can be used for the Nursing application process. If you have questions please email us. We may then direct you to contact appropriate instructors or departments to continue to obtain course equivalencies.

Once you have obtained the appropriate documentation from an instructional department you will be able to use this in your program application to meet the specific requirement that the equivalency is written for.

In Topic 5 Educational Pathways and Licensing Information. You will find Career and scholarship information. You can also find contact information for all of the nursing schools in Oregon or throughout the U S.

Oregon Career Information System is licensed through the University of Oregon for Lane students to use. Students who sign in with the user name and the password are eligible to have access to all the information provided - not just for nursing but a wide range of options for completing your education towards a large variety of careers. Please contact Lane Career and Employment Services 541 463 5167 for the Username and password.

In Topic 6, the website for Lane Community College Student Nurses' Association. Students are eligible to participate in the association even if you are not yet admitted into a nursing program.

Topic 7, has Licensed Practical Nurse information. There are two program options. L P N only or the L P N to R N Bridge. Enrolled students in this resource will be sent an email notification when the updates have been added.

Topic 8, provides an overview of Lane Campus Resources.

This concludes the tutorial for Nursing Academic Advising Resources.

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