

UNIT REPORT

Health Care Quality and Safety MS
Assessment Plan Summary

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Ethical Issues in Health Care

Goal Description:

Leaders in healthcare quality and safety require skills and knowledge in leadership and management ethics.

RELATED ITEMS/ELEMENTS -----

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 1

Ethical Issues in Health Care

Learning Objective Description:

MS in Health Care Quality and Safety students will investigate ethical issues in health care leadership.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 2

Ethical Issues in Health Care

Indicator Description:

Reading, viewing, and writing assignments in HLTH 5335 – Health Services Administration will require students to identify factors which influence personal positions and beliefs and explain multiple viewpoints of various controversial and ethical issues facing today’s healthcare leader.

Criterion Description:

A topical paper will be assigned and 85% of the students will score 80% or above on this assignment

Findings Description:

This is a new program that was placed in catalog in 2016, however, program is to start in Fall of 2017. Therefore, no specific findings will be available until 2017-18.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3

Ethical Issues in Healthcare

Action Description:

If there is sufficient enrollment in 2017-18 for the program to hold classes, assessment will take place at the end of the academic year.

Health care Leadership skills

Goal Description:

Leaders in healthcare quality and safety require skills and knowledge in leadership and management ethics.

RELATED ITEMS/ELEMENTS -----

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 1

Health care leadership skills

Learning Objective Description:

MS in Health Care Quality and Safety students will analyze the elements of successful health care leadership.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 2

Health Care Leadership skills

Indicator Description:

One major component of the degree program is to allow students to be familiarized with leadership techniques. One common task that is required of a leader is to motivate employees to achieve certain goals. Students will be required to write and present a motivational speech on a healthcare topic. Students

Criterion Description:

85% of the student will score at least 80% on the combined paper and speech scoring.

Findings Description:

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RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3

Healthcare Leadership Skills

Action Description:

If there is sufficient enrollment in 2017-18 for the program to hold classes, assessment will take place at the end of the academic year.

Professional Application of didactic knowledge

Goal Description:

Leaders in healthcare quality need applied practical knowledge's and skills in healthcare leadership, quality and safety.

RELATED ITEMS/ELEMENTS -----

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 1

Professional application of didactic knowledge

Learning Objective Description:

MS in Health Care Quality and Safety students will apply professional didactic knowledge of their graduate program in their professional internship experience.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 2

Professional application of didactic knowledge

Indicator Description:

Through an internship experience, Health Care Quality and Safety students will demonstrate that they can synthesize, integrate, and apply their acquired knowledge and skills as the academic capstone to their learning experience.

Criterion Description:

At Least 85% of student will earn a grade of B in their professional internship experience.

Findings Description:

This is a new program that was placed in catalog in 2016, however, program is to start in Fall of 2017. Therefore, no specific findings will be available until 2017-18.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3

Professional Application of Didactic Knowledge

Action Description:

Will assess in 2017-2018

Update to Plan for Continuous Improvement for 2016-17

Previous Cycle's Plan For Continuous Improvement (Do Not Modify):

No Plan for Continuous Improvement for 2016-17 on file.

Update of Progress to the Previous Cycle's PCI:

No Plan for Continuous Improvement for 2016-17 on file.

Plan for Continuous Improvement for 2017-18

Closing Summary:

Due to the lack of students, the program didn't start in 2016, but will start in the FALL of 2017. Current plan is to collect these assessment data as we offer courses that are relevant to these data points. For FALL 2017, HLTH5355 will be introduced for the first time. The ethical issue paper will be assigned and assessment data will be collected. Motivation paper and speech as the second data point will be collected when the leadership course is offered, which would likely be Spring of 2018 of 2018. The last data point will be on internship experience, which won't happen until likely Summer of 2018, at which point data will be collected and assessed.