VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
EDUCATION SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
Wednesday, September 2, 2020
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive, 2nd Floor, Suite 201
Henrico, Virginia
Training Room 1

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE, Chair
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STAFF: Jacquelyn Wilmoth, MSN, RN, Nursing Education Program Manager
Beth Yates, Nursing and Nurse Aide Education Coordinator

9:00 a.m. Public Comment

CONTINUED FACULTY EXCEPTION:
Eastern Mennonite University BSN Program, Harrisonburg, US28509700

VOLUNTARY CLOSURE:
Chesterfield County Public Schools, PN Program, Chesterfield, US28104300
Hampton University BSN Program, Virginia Beach, US28500400

DISCUSSION ITEMS:
NCSBN Annual Survey
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Prepared by: Beth Yates
Date: August 10, 2020

To: Jacquelyn Wilmoth RN, MSN, Nursing Education Program Manager

From: Dr. Sharon Pope, Chief Academic Officer

Via: Annette Reilly-Aurelio, CCPS CCTC Nursing Coordinator

Subject: Closure of the Chesterfield County Public Schools Practical Nursing Program effective June 2021

In accordance with regulation 18V AC90-27-240 Closing of an Approved Nursing Education Program; Custody of Records. Chesterfield County Public Schools (CCPS) hereby informs the Board of our intention to close our Practical Nursing Program on June 30, 2021.

CCPS in partnership with John Tyler Community College (JTCC) are partnering to better streamline our vertical academic programs and in doing so CCPS will shed the Practical Nursing Program while JTCC will begin theirs. This change will allow CCPS to focus student learning in the areas of medical assisting, nurse aide, pharmacy technician, dental, and PTOT. Upon completion of the CCPS health and medical science programs, students will be encouraged to continue their studies at JTCC and other institutions of higher learning in the health and medical fields.

CCPS will teach out the current cohort of students, Practical Nursing II, already in the Practical Nursing Program with an anticipated graduation date of June 30, 2021 (Covid 19 restrictions, guidelines, and regulations may delay this anticipated graduation date). For the school year 2020-21, CCPS will not accept any new, first year practical nursing students (Practical Nursing I). Students who expressed an interest in entering the Practical Nursing I Program are being referred to JTCC and other institutions of higher learning.

During this transition, Annette Reilly-Aurelio MSN,RN will continue as the Practical Nursing Program Coordinator with Theresa Parker and Christy Burke-Peyton continuing as the teachers of record for Practical Nursing II. All student transcripts will be uploaded per CCPS Career and Technical Education student records policies.

CC: Chad Maclin, CTE Director
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Jay Douglas, Executive Director
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Re: Program Closure (US28500400)

Dear Ms. Douglas,

I trust that you are safe and well during this most challenging time in our nation and world. I write to inform you that due to low enrollment over a number of years, and the unprecedented financial impact of COVID-19, Hampton University has decided to close the College of Virginia Beach campus and the accelerated nursing programs, effective fall 2020.

The program will have a “teach-out” period of two years, ending in spring 2022, at which time the 3-year accelerated BS in Nursing and 3-year accelerated LPN – BS degrees will no longer be available. The School of Nursing administration communicated this information to the students on July 21, 2020, via certified mail. There are eight students remaining in the program; four will complete their matriculation May 2021; three will complete by May 2022. One students’ matriculation will not be completed until May 2023. She was provided the options to transfer to the traditional BS in Nursing program on Hampton’s main campus, or to receive assistance in transferring to another nursing program. We are awaiting her response regarding her selection.

The delivery of the “teach-out” plan for the face-to-face accelerated program will occur on the University’s main campus in an accelerated format. Current student records and graduate records will be transferred to the School of Nursing on Hampton’s main campus. Enclosed please find a list of the names of all eight students currently enrolled in the programs at the College of Virginia Beach.

Without question, we are committed to assisting these students in completing their baccalaureate degree in nursing and achieving their career goals. Please let me know if there is any additional information needed to facilitate this process.

Respectfully,

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Dean

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