Seinäjoki University of Applied Sciences
School of Health Care and Social Work
Degree Programme in Nursing
Full-Time and Part-Time

EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR PRACTICAL TRAINING OF CLINICAL COMPETENCE IN NURSING CARE STUDY MODULE

Registered Nurse (UAS) competence at the beginning of the studies
1st academic year

Excellent 5
The student:
- is able to search for professional information related to practical training from different scientific sources and validate the usage of this information in clinical know-how of nursing care
- is able to use and apply evidence-based knowledge in various clinical know-how nursing care situations
- is able to act in a customer-oriented manner, responsibly and patient safely in clinical know-how of nursing care
- is able to justify his/her actions related to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work out professional tasks and problems related to clinical know-how of nursing care
- can justify his/her actions regarding clinical competence of nursing care according to the ethical principles of registered nurses/ public health nurses
- is able to function in different working teams and share his/her professional clinical knowledge of nursing care
- is able to actively develop personally and his/her professional competence in clinical nursing

Good 3 - 4
The student:
- is able to search for information related to practical training of clinical nursing from different scientific sources and to get actively acquainted with clinical nursing know-how data base
- is able to use and apply evidence-based knowledge related to clinical know-how of nursing care
- is able to act in a client-oriented manner, responsibly and patient safely when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to act according to the ethical principles of registered nurses/ public health nurses in what clinical competence of nursing care is concerned
- is able to work in a team according to the principles of clinical nursing care competence and share his/her professional knowledge
- is able to develop personally and his/her professional competence regarding clinical know-how of nursing care

Satisfactory 1-2
The student:
- is able to search for information in simple situations of clinical nursing competence
- is able to demonstrate the usage of some data base of clinical nursing competence
- is able to make the difference between working knowledge and researched information related to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to perform in simple clinical nursing competence situations according to guidelines
- is able to indicate being aware of the ethical principles of registered nurses/ public health nurses regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work as a team member and somewhat share his/her professional knowledge of clinical nursing
- is able to analyze his/ her own strengths and development needs regarding clinical nursing competence

Fail 0
The student:
- is hardly able to use data base for clinical competence of nursing care and is not enough aware of the information sources of this field
- is not able to work according to the required principles and guidelines of clinical competence of nursing care
- does not take into consideration the registered nurses'/ public health nurses' ethical instructions
- does not act in a client-oriented manner, responsibly and patient safely in clinical nursing situations

Registered Nurse (UAS) intermediate phase academic competence
2nd & 3rd academic years

Excellent 5
The student:
- is able to apply nursing science concepts and knowledge fluently and widely regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to assess and use evidence-based knowledge of clinical nursing
- is able to apply his/her professional competence to various professional clinical nursing situations
- is able to evaluate the consequences of his/ her actions regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to act in a customer-oriented manner, responsibly and patient safely when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to put into practice alternative nursing/ public health nursing solutions in professional decision making concerning clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to evaluate activity and safety of clinical know-how of nursing care in accordance with registered nurses'/ public health nurses' professional ethical principles
- is able to work in a multi-professional and/or multidisciplinary working team and project work together with multicultural people in clinical nursing care
- is able to develop personally and professionally, as well as a member of the work community in a career-oriented manner regarding clinical nursing competence

Good 3 – 4
The student:
- is able to search for scientific information and validate the usage of scientific sources in clinical nursing competence
- is able to use nursing science knowledge logically regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to justify his/her actions using evidence-based knowledge of clinical nursing
- is able to apply his/her nursing/ public health nursing professional competence in various situations regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to act in a customer-oriented manner, responsibly and patient safely when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to perform different nursing/ public health nursing tasks in various operational environments according to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to validate his/her activity according to the ethical principles of registered nurses/ public health nurses and can evaluate the safety of his/her actions regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work in a target-oriented manner in a group or project work in clinical nursing
- is able to develop his/her clinical competence of nursing care

Satisfactory 1-2
The student:

- is able to search for information in various ways from scientific sources of his/her own professional field, and is able to use clinical nursing science knowledge
- is able to demonstrate familiarity with nursing science knowledge and core issues regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to demonstrate acquisition of sufficient clinical nursing competence to be able to work in professional clinical nursing situations
- is able to act is a client-oriented manner and patient safely regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work out professional tasks and problems related to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work safely and in accordance with the ethical principles of registered nurses/ public health nurses regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to bring forward his/her clinical nursing knowledge for the group's / project's use
- is able to evaluate his/her own strengths and needs for professional development regarding clinical competence of nursing care

Fail 0
The student:

- is unaware or insufficiently able to use nursing/ public health nursing concepts of clinical competence of nursing care
- uses poorly nursing science information and is not sufficiently aware of professional scientific sources of clinical nursing competence
- is unable to demonstrate sufficient professional knowledge and skills and applies his/her clinical nursing professional competence insufficiently
- is unable to act in a good enough client-oriented manner and patient safely regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is unable to pay enough attention in his/her work to safety and nurses'/ public health nurses' ethical principles when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is unable to demonstrate sufficient ability to develop professionally and is unable to take part in developing clinical competence of nursing care

Registered Nurse (UAS) final phase academic competence
3rd & 4th academic years

Excellent 5
The student:

- is able to demonstrate a mastery of nursing science knowledge and to apply this knowledge skillfully in clinical nursing know-how
- is able to independently search for nursing science related international and evidence-based information, and to use and evaluate it critically when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to apply his/her clinical nursing professional competence predictably and is able to independently make decisions in various clinical nursing situations and working environments
- is able to take responsibility of the clients'/ patients' entire nursing and service process in clinical know-how nursing care
- is able to come up with innovative and alternative solutions for professional decision making regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to develop clinical nursing activity and safety according to the professional ethical principles of nurses/ public health nurses

- is able to develop activity as an expert of clinical nursing care in multi-professional teams and projects working together with multicultural people
- is able to work in a target-oriented and career-oriented manner towards personal, professional and working life development when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care

Good 3 – 4

The student:

- is able to apply nursing science concepts and knowledge fluently and widely regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to evaluate and critically use evidence-based clinical nursing knowledge
- is able to use his/her professional competence predictably and is able to make independent decisions in various nursing situations related to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to act responsibly, in a client-oriented manner and patient safely when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to apply alternative solutions in professional decision making concerning clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to evaluate activity and safety according to the professional ethical principles of nurses/ public health nurses regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work as an expert of nursing in multi-professional teams and projects working together with multicultural people in clinical nursing care
- is able to develop personally and professionally, as well as the working community according to plan regarding clinical competence of nursing care

Satisfactory 1 -2

The student:

- is able to use nursing science information logically in clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to search for information and to justify the usage of scientific sources in clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to justify nursing activity using evidence-based clinical knowledge of nursing care
- is able to apply his/her professional clinical nursing knowledge in different nursing care situations
- is able to act in a client-oriented manner and patient safely regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work out professional tasks and problems related to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to act safely and according to nurses' professional ethical principles when it comes to clinical competence of nursing care
- is able to work as an expert of nursing care in multi-professional teams working together with multicultural people in clinical nursing care
- is able to develop his/her clinical professional competence of nursing care

Fail 0

The student:

- is unable to sufficiently evaluate and use clinical nursing scientific knowledge
- is unable to justify his/her nursing activity sufficiently regarding clinical competence of nursing care
- is unable to apply his/her professional competence of nursing care well-enough
- is unable to act well-enough in a client-oriented manner and patient safely in what clinical competence of nursing care is concerned

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