



GRAND CANYON UNIVERSITY™

Amendment to the Nursing Concurrent Enrollment Program (NCEP) Agreement between Grand Canyon University and Hutchinson Community College dated October 16, 2023

This Amendment serves to modify the language regarding First-Time NCLEX-RN Pass Rates as set forth below and the coursewalks listed in Exhibit B per changes to the GCU RN-BSN and RN-MSN Bridge programs (attached).

First-Time NCELEX-RN Pass Rates:

Used by state boards of nursing, accrediting bodies, and nursing programs, first-time NCLEX-RN pass rates are a strong indicator of nursing program quality. As such, GCU evaluates the NCLEX-RN pass rates of prospective and current community college partners on an on-going basis and utilizes this data as a primary criterion for initiating or dissolving an educational partnership. Nursing programs must maintain an NCLEX-RN first-time pass rate of greater than 80% in any calendar year.

Any school who is disciplined/sanctioned by their respective board of nursing or accreditor must notify GCU's College of Nursing and Health Care Professions within 10 days of the sanction. Support will be provided to current community college partners who fall below an 80% first time pass rate with the understanding that in order to continue the partnership nursing programs will have one year, or (4) testing cycles, to bring their first-time NCLEX-RN pass rate at or above 80%.

Effect and Control. The above change is effective as of October 16, 2023, and will remain in effect for the duration of the current term as set forth in the Agreement unless modified in writing by the parties or otherwise terminated pursuant to the Agreement.

Except as expressly provided in this Amendment, all terms and provisions of the Agreement are and will remain in full force and effect and are hereby ratified and confirmed. This Amendment, together with the Agreement, constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with regard to the subject matter of this Amendment, and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, oral or written, with respect to such matters.

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