Promoting Self-Efficacy in Senior BSN Students in the Community Setting

Facts:
- Clinical sites are becoming harder to secure.
- Patients are being discharged quicker.
- The general population is ageing.

Self-Efficacy beginning the Journey.

It begins with you.

You are the Nurse.

Fifteen weeks later…..
…..my students thrived!

They truly became the nurse.
Professional in all aspects of their care and behavior.
Perception by the community was they were the professionals, the “nurses”.

Self-efficacy is defined by psychologist Albert Bandura as one’s belief in one’s ability to succeed in specific situations.

Facts:
- Healthcare issues once regarded as acute events are now viewed as chronic illnesses.
- Education, Health Promotion and follow-up are needed for our clients in the environment where the healthcare system expects them to function and live.

Solution

We chose partnering with a Community Agency.

Solutions:
- Partnerships with Community Agencies.
- Partnerships with Local Healthcare Institutions.
- Looking outside the traditional settings/ outside the box
- Utilization of Simulation.

Self-efficacy the Journey worth taking!

Encourage your students to define and focus on their goal.

Results will have students saying: I do know how to be a nurse… I am the Nurse!

Self-efficacy the journey continues

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