Student and Faculty Collaboration: Update of a Mentorship Model for Online Students

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Distance Modalities for Faculty Supervision
Purpose: Collaborative Process

Faculty + Students
Methods

NUR 590A
- Develop learning agreement
- Describe characteristics of prospective mentors
- Compiled lists posted for discussion

NUR 590B
- Report on projects
- Compiled lists posted for confirmation of mentor qualities

Analysis
- Lists and discussion logs content analyzed
- Major themes and patterns identified
Initial Analysis

- Motivating
- Excellent communication skills
- Nursing supporter
- Treats others with respect
- Organized
- Role model
Caring
Inspiring &
Challenging
Resourceful
Nursing
Experience
Nursing
Knowledge
Skilled Clinician
Skilled Researcher
Skilled Educator
Skilled Leader
Skilled Clinician, Educator, Leader & Researcher

Inspirring & Challenging

Resourceful

Caring

Nursing Knowledge & Experience
Outcomes Achieved

Uses of Model
- Mentor Selection
- Establish mentor-mentee relationship

Outcomes
- Clarifies expectations
- Suggests creative approaches to use when working together
- Less reports of negative experiences
Conclusions