

## **Policy: NURS 4750/NURS 4922 Professional Preceptorship Placement and Employment**

### **PURPOSE:**

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The purpose of this policy is to outline clear expectations in the practice placement process for the NURS 4750/NURS 4922 Professional Preceptorship course.

### **DEFINITIONS:**

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N/A

### **POLICY SCOPE:**

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This policy applies to all NESA BN Programs students engaged in the NURS 4750/NURS 4922 Professional Preceptorship course.

### **POLICY STATEMENT(S):**

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1. It is recommended that students seek opportunities for practice learning during the professional preceptorship that differ from their employment setting.

### **SPECIFICS OF THE POLICY:**

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1. NESA BN Programs student are required to complete the *NURS 4750/NURS 4922 Professional Preceptorship Placement Preference Form*, indicating their top four preferences for their preceptorship placement.
2. Students are permitted to do their preceptorship on a unit with a relative as long as it is not immediate family member. Students cannot be precepted or assessed and evaluated by a relative.

### **APPENDIX:**

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N/A

### **RELATED POLICIES/ASSOCIATED GUIDELINES: (internal NESA) policies/guidelines**

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NESA BN Programs Guideline: Out-of-Region and Specialty Preceptorship Placement Preference Application

**REFERENCES:**

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N/A

***\*NOTE: NESAs Policies exist within organizational frameworks of policy for Lethbridge College and the University of Lethbridge, and within agreements established with practice partner organizations. If and when NESAs policies are found to differ from such policies and agreements, it is important to note that such policies/agreements will take precedence over NESAs program policies.***

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