

WESTERN CAPE COLLEGE OF NURSING (WCCN): MISSION, VISION, VALUES AND GOALS

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GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- The formulation of a culturally inclusive vision and mission statement where the core values and strategic goals provide the context for all activities of the Western Cape College of Nursing (WCCN), an institution of Higher Education and Training (HEI)
- The legal framework guiding Nursing in South Africa as provided for by the Nursing Act, 2005 (Act 33 of 2005)
- The legal framework guiding Higher Education and Training in South Africa as provided for by the Higher Education Act, 1997 (Act 101 of 1997, as amended),

1. Vision Statement: WCCN

A premier nursing education and training institution that prepares graduates to provide person centered quality care, embrace technology and innovation and function as a member of interprofessional teams in all healthcare settings locally and globally.

2. Mission Statement

The WCCN provides high quality education and training programmes for various categories of nurses who must meet the health needs of the Western Cape Province and South Africa, therefore community-based curricula in keeping with the policy directives of the Department of Health and WHO is presented.

The curriculum is designed advancing the profession and promote the art and science of nursing in an interprofessional collaborative culture locally and globally

The WCCN functions in a multi campus set-up encompassing the Cape Metropole, Boland Overberg district and the Southern Cape Karoo district to ensure optimal utilization and sharing of resources to enhance accessibility.

The WCCN further engages in research and outreach services, in partnership with educational institutions and community stakeholders to enhance sustainable environmental practices.

3. Our Core Values: I-CARE AND COMPASSION

Integrity: Veracity, fidelity with transparency in everything we do.

Collaboration: We value intra-professional, inter-professional and community collaboration to advance learning, innovation, and evidence-based practice.

Accountability: We hold ourselves responsible for behaviours, actions, and results.

Respect: We are considerate of the differences of individuals and their respective contributions.

Excellence: The practice of outstanding service provision.

Compassion: A legacy of compassionate care that is expressed and lived in the WCCN Mission and Values. Students, staff, and the community who experiences this care will find that it is rooted in a spirit of community that touches the hearts and souls of all those who experience or encounter us.