

# **WCCN Peer review Policy**

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#### All Change requests should be submitted to WCCN

| REVISION   | TITLE OR BRIEF DESCRIPTION | ENTERED BY  |
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## SENATE PREAMBLE

This policy is to be applied from adoption hereof. This policy is by no means to be retrospectively applied and will only deal with the exam cycle, immediately prior to ratification of this policy.





| Western Cape College of Nursing (WCCN): | Peer Review |
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| CAMPUS:                                 | _HOD        |
| LECTURER:                               | DATE        |

## OBJECTIVES

- 1. To improve overall learning and teaching
- 2. To evaluate educational standards
- 3. To standardise practices across campuses, nursing programmes and subjects
- 4. To share information and best practices
- 5. To contribute towards training and development
- 6. To ensure that the internal and external environment is conducive for learning and teaching
- 7. To recognise outstanding performance
- 8. To maintain accreditation at CHE and SANC

WCCN NO 42 Policy on the setting and handling of assessment papers and scripts across a multi campus setup

## To be completed <u>during</u> the pre-observation meeting

| Lecturer   |  |
|--|--|
| Institution  |  |
| Campus   |  |
| Subject code and name  |  |
| Year level   |  |
| Type of session: face-to-face/online<br>(e.g.<br>lecture/tutorial/lab/clinic/workshop) |  |
| Number of students enrolled<br>in subject  |  |
| Date and time of session   |  |
| Length of session  |  |
| Part of session observed   |  |
| Dimensions chosen for peer review<br>(minimum of six)                                  |  |
| Dimension 10 (optional)  |  |

## To be completed <u>after</u> the peer observation

| Number of students in the session            |  |
|--|--|
| Date peer review report signed and submitted |  |

## Peer Review Report: Observation of Teaching Practice

#### A. General comments

| Dimensions of learning and teaching activity:  | Quantity and quality of evidence |                       |                        |
|--|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| <ol> <li>Students are actively engaged in learning<br/>Your examples and comments</li> </ol>                                     | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□  | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples<br>□  |
|  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear      | Effective             | Very<br>effective      |
| <ul> <li>Students' prior knowledge and experience is built upon</li> <li>Your examples and comments</li> </ul>                   | No<br>apparent<br>examples       | Some<br>examples      | Many<br>examples       |
|  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear      | Effective             | Very<br>effective      |
| <b>3. Teaching caters for student diversity</b><br>Your examples and comments  | No<br>apparent<br>examples       | Some<br>examples      | Many<br>examples       |
|  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear      | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| <ul> <li>Students are encouraged to develop/expand their conceptual understanding</li> <li>Your examples and comments</li> </ul> | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□  | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples<br>□  |
|  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear<br>□ | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| <ul> <li>5. Students are made aware of key learning outcomes</li> <li>Your examples and comments</li> </ul>                      | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□  | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples       |
|  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear      | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| <ol> <li>Actively links theory and practice through<br/>research, professional/ industry or discipline<br/>examples.</li> </ol>  | No<br>apparent<br>examples       | Some<br>examples      | Many<br>examples       |

| Dimensions of learning and teaching activity:   | Quantity an                     | d quality of e        | vidence                |
|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Your examples and comments  | Effectivenes<br>s not clear     | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| <ul> <li>7. Uses learning environments, educational resources<br/>and techniques appropriately</li> <li>Your examples and comments</li> </ul> | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□ | Some<br>examples      | Many<br>examples       |
|   | Effectivenes<br>s not clear     | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| 8. Presents material logically<br>Your examples and comments  | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□ | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples<br>□  |
|   | Effectivenes<br>s not clear     | Effective             | Very<br>effective      |
| <ul> <li>Seeks feedback on students' understanding and acts on this accordingly</li> <li>Your examples and comments</li> </ul>                | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□ | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples       |
|   | Effectivenes<br>s not clear     | Effective             | Very<br>effective<br>□ |
| <b>10. Other areas as determined by the lecturer</b><br>Your examples and comments  | No<br>apparent<br>examples<br>□ | Some<br>examples<br>□ | Many<br>examples<br>□  |
|   | Effectivenes<br>s not clear     | Effective             | Very<br>effective      |

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Recommendations or comments

| Signed | Assessor |
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| Signed | Lecturer |
| Date   | _        |

#### Reference

Charles Sturt University. N.d. Peer Review. Available online <u>https://www.csu.edu.au/division/learning-and-teaching/home/teaching-staff/peer-review/peer-review-tools-and-resources</u> Accessed [2020/08/06]