



Nurse Executive Exam Review (Basic)

Course Description

This seminar is a facilitator-led didactic course focusing on the knowledge base needed by candidates to successfully sit for the nurse executive leadership exam. This includes nursing theory, leadership theory, financial foundations and communication skills.

Who is eligible to take this exam? All requirements must be completed prior to application for the examination.

- Hold a current, active RN license in a state or territory of the United States or the professional, legally recognized equivalent in another country.
- Hold a baccalaureate or higher degree in nursing.
- Hold at least 2,000 hours of experience in a leadership, management or administrative role with a primary responsibility for the daily operations and outcomes of one (1) or more unit(s)/departments within the last three years.
- Completed 30 hours of continuing education in nursing administration within the last three years. This requirement is waived if you have a master's degree in nursing administration.

Program Learning Outcomes

This program prepares the learner to:

- Self-report at a 90% rate an increased knowledge and confidence in an ability to successfully pass the Nurse Executive Basic Certification Exam.

Agenda

Sign-in begins at 7:30 am. Each day includes a one-hour lunch (on your own), as well as a morning and afternoon break of 15 minutes each. The order of lectures presented and break times may vary according to speaker preference.

Day 1, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Foundations of Leadership

Definition of Mission, Vision and Philosophy | Traditional Leadership Styles | Contemporary Leadership Styles | Theories of Leadership

Nursing Leadership Theory

Environmental | Interpersonal Relations | Nature of Nursing Needs | Equilibrium | Nursing Process | Caring Model | Cultural Care Diversity

Organizational Structure and Planning

Corporate Integration | Centralized vs. Decentralized Industry | Strategic Stakeholders | SWOT Analysis | Project Management | Gantt and RACI Charts

Federal Laws Related to Human Resources

Human Capital Management | Federal Workforce Flexibility Act | Family and Medical Leave Act | COBRA | Americans with Disabilities Act | Fair Labors Standard Act | Age Discrimination Act | Civil Rights Act—Title VII

Organizations and Entities

OSHA | Workers' Compensation | Equal Employment Opportunity Commission | Affirmative Action | Corporate Compliance | HIPAA

Labor Relations

The Wagner Act | Taft-Hartley Amendment | Process of Unionization | Collective Bargaining | Labor Grievances | Arbitration and Strike

Tools for Building a Team

Employee Assistance | Job Descriptions | Recruiting | Multigenerational Workforce | Just Culture | Group Think

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Organizational Structure

Chain of Command | Span of Control | The Organizational Chart | Flat Organizational Structure | Sole Proprietorship | General Partnership | Corporation

Health and Public Policy

Mandatory Reporting | State-Mandated Reports | Communicable Diseases

Legal Foundations

Criminal Law | Civil Law | Professional Negligence/Malpractice | Liability in Nursing | Medicare Fraud and Abuse

Health Initiatives

Healthy People 2030 | Sullivan Commission and Diversity | IOM Future of Nursing

Financial Management

Payers | Budgets | Break-Even Charts | Return on Investment | Cost-Benefit Ratio | Cost-Effectiveness Analysis

Day 2, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Financial Considerations

Payment Options | Resource-Based Relative Value Scale System | HMO and PPO | Medicare and Medicaid

Nursing Workforce

Productive and Non-Productive Hours | Average Daily Census | Occupancy Rate | Profit per Inpatient Discharge | Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) | Nursing Hours Per Patient Day (NHPPD)

Knowledge Self-Evaluation

Quiz on Materials

Care Delivery Systems

Accrediting Bodies | Relationship-Based Care | Transforming Care at the Bedside | Family-Centered Care | Clinical Guideline, Pathway and Protocols

Model of Professional Nursing Practice Regulation

Scope & Standards of Practice | Ethics | Certification | Nurse Practice Act | Institutional Practice | Self-Determination

Professional Practice Models

Functional Nursing | Team Nursing | Primary Nursing | Disease-Management Model

Group Dynamics and Competency

Group Development | Orientation and Preceptorship | Competency Validation | Core Competency Framework | Organizational Transparency | Employee Performance | Lateral Violence/Incivility

Communication

Systems | Upward and Downward | Principles and Styles | Conflict and Challenges | Documentation

Quality Improvement

Process Improvement | Pareto Principle | Lean Thinking | Six Sigma | Analyzing Errors | Quality Indicators

Ethics and Advocacy

Autonomy | Justice | Beneficence | Non-Maleficence | Code of Ethics | Ethical Dilemmas | Advocates

Leadership Principles

Emotional Intelligence | Types of Conflict | Sources of Influence and Power | Changes Theories

Research and Data Collection

Institutional Review Board | Research Techniques | Evidence and Data | H-CAHPS | Data for Decision-Making

Accreditation

RN/LPN/LVN/Other: 13 Contact Hours

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