



**NMNEC RN-BSN Task Force**  
**Zoom Meeting**  
**August 8, 2018**  
**09-10am**

<b>Attendance Color-Code Key:</b>	<b>Present</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Excused</b>
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<b>NMNEC RN-BSN Task Force Members</b>				
<b>Conni DeBlicek NMSU</b>	<b>Jeanie Flood NMHU</b>	<b>Kristin Kuhlmann ENMU - Portales</b>	<b>John Scarbrough WNMU NMNEC RN-BSN Leadership Council Rep</b>	<b>Ellen Trabka NNMC  (8/23/18 @ 3pm)</b>
<b>Jackee Wuellner UNM-Albq</b>	<b>Mary Wright NMNEC Outreach Program Manager</b>	<b>Julia Sedillo Guest GCU MSN Grad student/preceptee with Mary Wright</b>		

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action</b>
Meeting began at 09:05am		
Approval of Minutes from 04.10.2018 Meeting		Jackee Wuellner moved to approve minutes as amended. Seconded by Kristin Kuhlmann. Minutes approved.
Announcement	Leslie Shurts has changed jobs and is no longer the RN-BSN Program Director at WNMU and so is no longer a member of this TF.	Information only. No action needed.
Progress Report on Provision of Credit for NMNEC ADN 100-200 level courses at 300-400 level courses	<p>Progress report provided by John Scarbrough on how to document the equivalency of 100-200 level NMNEC AND courses with 300-400 level NMNEC BSN courses for RN-BSN programs. Original idea of MOA did not work with NMNEC Leadership Council as NMNEC does not have the legal status required to enter directly into legal agreements.</p> <p>Articulation agreements between NMNEC AND programs and publicly-funded RN-BSN programs suggested as the pathway for agreements was suggested by NMNEC Leadership Council.</p> <p>'Draft-NMNEC ADN and RN-BSN Agreement Guidelines with Addendums' reviewed with focus on course numbering crosswalk already approved by NMHED. Discussion on whether articulation agreements would be necessary with all RN-BSN programs or whether RN-BSN programs could just decide to accept NMNEC ADN transcripts and agree to provide credit for certain NMNEC ADN courses. Responses varied on whether articulation agreements would be necessary but all present agreed that a document from NMNEC such as the draft document reviewed today would be essential for whatever internal</p>	<p>Mary to draft document revision and send it to RN-BSN program directors for feedback.</p> <p>Mary and John to present document to NMNEC Leadership Council for approval and implementation.</p> <p>Mary and John to present idea of posting RN-BSN options open to NMNEC ADN graduates to NMNEC Leadership Council.</p>

	<p>process a RN-BSN program would need to do to accept 100-200 level nursing courses as upper division course credit. Recommendations made to revise draft document to not have addendums but include ADN/BSN course numbers where appropriate in the document.</p> <p>RN-BSN Program Directors raised questions on students and the public would be informed about the RN-BSN programs working with NMNEC ADN graduates to accept NMNEC AND course credits towards RN-BSN required courses. Possibility of posting information on NMNEC discussed. Also discussed building a graphic that showed which RN-BSN Programs had agreed to facilitate NMNEC ADN obtaining their RN-BSN degrees.</p>	
Next Meeting?		To be scheduled as needed when/if face-to-face discussion needed on draft NMNEC guidelines. Otherwise, communication to be through email.
Meeting adjourned at 09:50am		