The Current State of Nursing Education in New Mexico: 10 Years Building Multiple Pathways

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Introduction:

- Common statewide pre-licensure nursing curriculum
- •12 universities/community colleges
 - BSN offered in 14 locations
 - ADN offered in 9 locations

Methods:

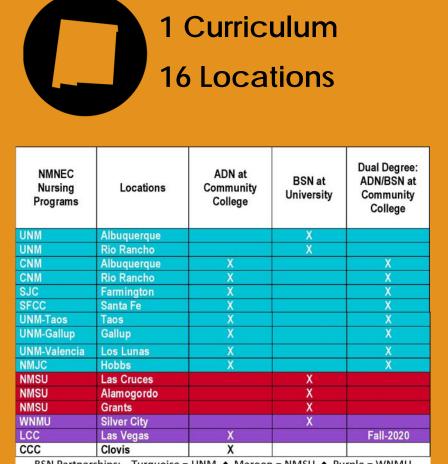
- Concept-based curriculum
- ADN is a sub-set of the BSN
- University/Community College Partnerships
- •LPN pathway entering term 2
- RN-to-BSN pathway with no repeat coursework

Results:

- Statewide resource efficiency
- Statewide faculty development & resource sharing
- Increased access for students
 12 rural locations
- Exceptional pass-rates
- New Mexico legislative funding

Future:

- •2-4 additional nursing programs
- Increase seats
- Build nursing workforce in NM



BSN Partnerships: Turquoise = UNM + Maroon = NMSU + Purple = WNMU

Key: Pre-Licensure = before you sit for your RN licensure exam RN = Registered Nurse BSN = Bachelor of Science in Nursing ADN = Associate Degree in Nursing LPN = Licensed Practical Nurse RN-to-BSN = post-licensure BSN degree for ADN-prepared RNs

