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Here's What's Going On

New Mexico State Legislative Funding Continued

Although the state faced significant budget cuts in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, NMNEC is pleased to announce that we have received another year of funding from the New Mexico State Appropriation House Bill 2. Although these funds were reduced from fiscal year 2020, these monies will be used to help support mission and goals of the Consortium.





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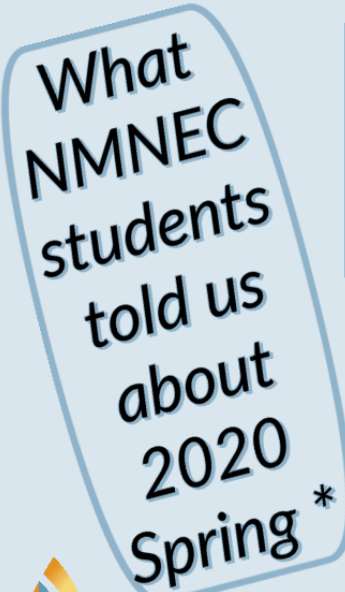
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Spring 2020 NMNEC Program Evaluation Student Survey Results Are In!


Several questions were added to the Spring 2020 Program Evaluation Student Survey to gauge and address the students' perspective on changes to learning modalities cause by the COVID-19 pandemic. Below are the most common themes identified along with recommendations by the NMNEC Program Evaluation Committee to address these challenges.

The additional questions will also be included in the NMNEC Program Evaluation Student Survey for Summer 2020 and will be reported there after.



Many personal challenges

- * Children at home
- * Family dynamics related to partners/spouses
- * If living alone, lack of immediate social support
- * Technology deficits
- * Navigating virtual simulation products
- * Uncertainty about skills related to missing hands on clinical



NMNEC Program Evaluation Committee Recommendations for NMNEC faculty:

- * Be there for students
- * Organize communication channels
- * Maintain mindfulness related to assignment due dates
- * Link assignments to course objectives
- * Be efficient in the number of assignments that meet each course objective
- * Remain cognizant and accommodating of the additional role responsibilities at home for those with children.
- * Pay attention and look for cues of potential mental health issues and know/provide resources as needed.
- * Continue to keep expectations high while remaining cognizant of student challenges and needs.

* The full 'Report from NMNEC Program Evaluation Committee on Data from Additional Questions NMNEC Student Survey for Spring 2020' is available for NMNEC faculty on the NMNEC website in the Faculty Login / Program Evaluation Plan & Reports / Program Evaluation Reports.



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Coming Soon! Virtual NMNEC Statewide Faculty Meeting

A calendar invite with Zoom link and agenda to follow.

SAVE THE DATE

Virtual NMNEC Statewide Faculty Meeting

*"Are We Having Fun Yet:
Use of Play in Online Learning"*

WHEN: Thursday, October 22, 2020 • 1:00-4:00pm &
Friday, October 23, 2020 • 9:00am-12:00pm

WHERE: Zoom (link to follow)

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: NMNEC Faculty and Colleagues

PURPOSE: Let's get together for an informal discussion and sharing session. The various methods being used to make the online learning experience fun and engaging will also be discussed, and while we're at it, let's unwind with humor and games.

PROPOSED TOPICS:

- NMNEC Leadership Council and Committee updates and announcements
- Creative and engaging techniques for online classrooms
- Addressing faculty wellness through fun and games

The planning team will be building the content over the next few weeks – send us your ideas!



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Celebrating Our Successes

Congratulations to the Nursing Program at University of New Mexico - Valencia on the graduation of their first NMNEC ADN class in 2020 Spring and their first co-enrolled ADN/BSN students now in Summer 2020!



University of New Mexico - Valencia

For more information on the ADN/BSN Program and admission requirements at UNM-V, please visit their website here:

<http://valencia.unm.edu/academics/divisions/Health-Sciences/nursing-program/nursing-program-application-information.html>



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During Fiscal Year 20, NMNEC Provided Conference Registration Stipends to 86 Recipients!

39 stipends were issued to NMNEC nursing faculty to attend the New Mexico Center for Nursing Excellence Virtual Educators Conference on Innovations in Online Education in June 2020.

The remaining 47 stipends were issued to NMNEC nursing faculty who attended NurseTim's Nuts & Bolts for Nurse Educators Conference in August 2020. These individuals have been asked to submit learning tips and key take-aways from this conference which will be shared with NMNEC faculty in the near future.



A NMNEC Shout-Out....

...to all the faculty who presented NMNEC posters at the Nurse Tim Nuts & Bolts for Nurse Educators 2020 Conference!

Debbie Cates, NMSU
Sara Daykin, UNM
Susan Grohman, LCC
Margaret Hendrix, APS CEC
Loren S. Kelly, UNM
Teresa León, NMSU
Judy Liesveld, UNM
Kimberly Petrovic, WNMU
Julie Rohr, CNM
Terri Tewart, SFCC
Mary Wright, NMNEC



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Feedback Needed:

NMNEC Policy on Calculating and Reporting Simulation Hours as Clinical Substitution Pilot

Do you have feedback on the NMNEC Policy on Calculating and Reporting Simulation Hours as Clinical Substitution Pilot? We'd love to hear from you now that you've had a chance to test it out.

This pilot policy needs to move forward to NMNEC Leadership Council for a vote on its implementation. If approved, this pilot will be introduced as a policy for NMNEC curricular programs.

Please send your feedback to NMNEC staff at nmnecc@salud.unm.edu, by **September 18, 2020** so that it can be compiled and presented to the Leadership Council for the voting process.

The policy pilot can be located on the NMNEC website under Faculty Login / Policies and Procedures.



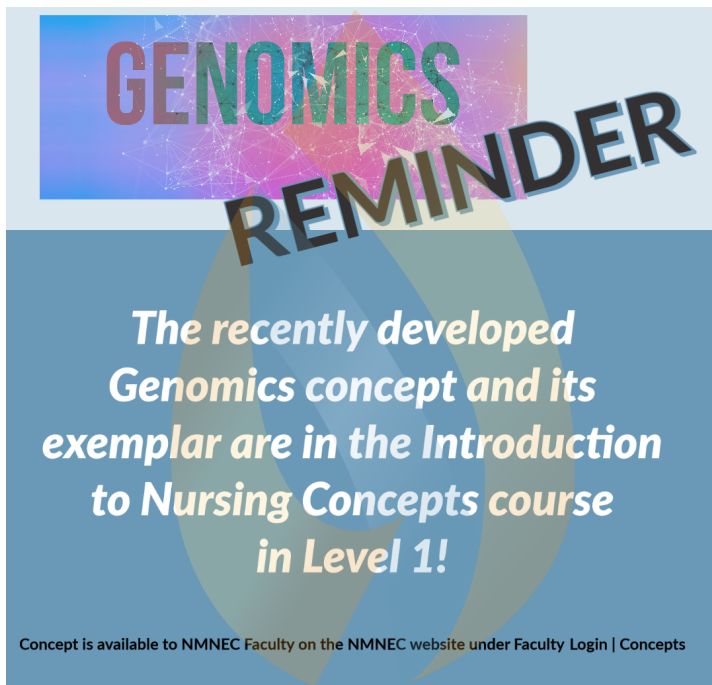


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"You have not forgotten to remember; you have remembered to forget..."

-Idries Shah

NMNEC Is On Facebook

Lots of interesting, relevant and fun information is shared on the NMNEC Facebook page. Like and follow our page to view updates, posts, photos, and to engage with your NMNEC community. To do so, click on the Facebook button below or copy and paste this link into your web browser (<https://www.facebook.com/NMNEC/>). See you there!





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Nominations for the NMNEC Leadership Council ADN Program Member Position Are Still Being Accepted

The New Mexico Nursing Education Consortium is guided by the NMNEC Leadership Council and Each Leadership Council representative agrees to serve a minimum of two (2) years.

The functions of the Leadership Council are to manage operations for the Consortium, including:

- Oversee the work of the established NMNEC Committees
- Create and oversee the work of ad-hoc committees and projects
- Plan general meetings
- Secure and manage resources
- Manage communications between NMNEC membership and other individuals/organizations
- Ensure accountability for deadlines/goals
- Act as a liaison to government organizations and task forces
- Bring major policy decisions to membership for discussion and voting

Eligible ADN Programs:

CCC, LCC, NMJC, UNM-G, UNM-V

Election Process:

- Nominations must be submitted by **September 8, 2020**.
- Once a nominee has been accepted, they will receive an email request to submit a headshot and a video presentation.
- The headshot and video will be sent along with answers on the nomination form to the NMNEC Curriculum Member Programs for review.
- Voting will take place via SurveyMonkey with one vote being conducted by each NMNEC school.
- Election results are announced via email.

Please complete the nomination form [HERE](#), if interested.

Participation is highly encouraged and greatly appreciated. Please consider joining the NMNEC Leadership Council.

