TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY

ST DAVIDS SCHOOL OF NURSING

**NURS 5310 Adult/Gerontology—PRECEPTOR EVALUATION**

Student: Site: Term:

Date: Preceptor:

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|  | **Clinical Behaviors and Performance Quality** |
| 1 – Deficient  | Practices in an unsafe manner and is unable to identify components for safe care. |
| 2 – Beginner  | Practices in a questionably safe manner, requiring repeated prompting and direction from preceptor. |
| 3 – Advanced Beginner | Practices in a safe manner but may require frequent prompting and minimal direction from preceptor. |
| 4 – Competent  | Practices in a safe, accurate and competent manner with minimal prompting and reinforcement from preceptor. |
| 5 – Proficient  | Practices in a safe, accurate, proficient and self-directed manner, while independently seeking preceptor validation.  |

**Instructions:**

* Using the descriptions above, please evaluate your student’s performance from 1-5 in each of the areas below.
* Utilize the comments box to highlight areas of strengths and weaknesses.

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| **I. Assessment** |
| Subjective Data-History |  | Comments |
| 1. Obtains accurate and complete history for comprehensive, episodic, or acute visits for adult and geriatric patients.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Demonstrates therapeutic interviewing skills.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Organizes pertinent positives and negatives in history to arrive at priority differential diagnoses.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies psychological and socio-economic factors in history.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Objective Data-Physical Exam |  |  |
| 1. Performs and modifies comprehensive or focused physical examination on adult-geriatric patients.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies appropriate developmental, behavioral, and/or mental health screenings according to evidence-based guidelines.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Correctly uses assessment techniques and equipment for physical exam.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Health Promotion & Risk |  |  |
| 1. Identifies health and psychosocial risks when implementing treatment plan.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Promotes self-care, including for those with disabilities.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies potential risks to patients and providers at the individual and systems levels.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Differential Diagnosis |  |  |
| 1. Identifies probable differential diagnoses based upon history and physical exam.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| **II. Management** |
| Clinical Reasoning |  | Comments |
| 1. Identifies data from evidence and best available resources to assist clinical decisions.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies clinical decisions promoting functionality and quality of life while minimizing complications and risks.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies connections of pathophysiology or psychosocial findings to support diagnosis formulated.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Diagnostic Strategies & Interpretation |  |  |
| 1. Identifies accurate diagnoses with guidance.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in ordering appropriate tests, procedures, or screenings and discusses fiscal responsibility.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in reviewing tests results, procedures, or screenings accurately.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Patient Care Management |  |  |
| 1. Participates in management of health and illness including acute and/or chronic physical and/or mental illnesses, exacerbations, and common injuries in adult-gero patients.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in safely prescribing medications using understanding of pharmacodynamics and pharmacokinetics for patients in adult-gero patients.\*
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in prescribing or making appropriate recommendations for non- pharmacological therapies including CAM.\*
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in primary care skills or procedures accurately and safely.\*
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in follow up, consults, referrals in a timely manner.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Documentation & Presentation |  |  |
| 1. Participates in timely documentation using SOAP or designated format for practice setting. Identifies coding/billing procedures.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Oral presentation is brief and contains pertinent, accurate information.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Patient & Family Relationship | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies patient preferences such as spirituality, cultural, and ethical beliefs.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Works to establish a relationship with the patient/family characterized by mutual respect, empathy, and cultural considerations.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Elicits patient participation in decision making for patient centered care.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Evaluation |  |  |
| 1. Participates in review of patient outcomes and follow through.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Patient Education | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in providing relevant and accurate health education to patients for adult-gero patients.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Considers language and cultural considerations of patients when participating in patient education.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Considers patients’ readiness to learn prior to education, and comprehension level after education.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| **III. Leadership & Role** |
| Accountability & Professionalism |  | Comments |
| 1. Demonstrates accountability for own learning and professional behaviors
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Seeks out learning opportunities.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Arrives prepared and in appropriate clinical attire.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Models behaviors of self-efficacy, ethics, and advocacy—i.e. punctuality, confidentiality, respect, and communication.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Integrates ethical principles in decision making.\*
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Accepts feedback from faculty/preceptor(s) and knows own limitations.\*
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| Role & Healthcare Systems |  |  |
| 1. Communicates NP Role and practice accurately.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies roles of interprofessional healthcare members in delivery of specialty services to provide a continuum of patient care.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Uses knowledge of family theories to individualize care.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Participates in patient centered care that includes confidentiality, privacy, comfort, support, and dignity.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Uses informatics for knowledge to improve own practice and healthcare outcomes.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies barriers to access, quality, and/or cost-effective care.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Identifies research that can improve practice and outcomes.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |
| 1. Collaborates with interprofessional healthcare members to provide continuity of care.
 | 1 2 3 4 5 |  |

Comments/Recommendations:

# Student Signature Date

**Preceptor Signature** Date