## **LEARNING PLAN: Demonstrates Professional Responsibility**

Learning Objectives	Resources and Strategies	Types of Evidence of achievement	Criteria to validate objectives achieved
Clinical Competencies: 5.01 Evaluates own nursing performance 5.02 Gives evidence of accountability for own nursing performance 5.03 Seeks help and guidance promptly when unable to perform competently 5.04 Identifies own learning needs in relation to client care 5.05 Supports professional goals and standards 5.06 Maintains confidentiality 5.08 Functions within the policies and practices of the employing agency  CRPNBC Competencies: A-1 Knowledge and application of interpersonal communication skills A-2 Knowledge and Application of self in the therapeutic process A-3 Knowledge and Application of the Characteristics of the Therapeutic Relationship	Resources:  text – Perry, A.G. & Potter, P.A. (Eds.) (2010). Clinical nursing skills and techniques (7th ed.). (Ch. 1). Toronto, ON: Elsevier Canada  Strategies:  To learn from the different nurses and doctors I will be working in Penticton Mental Health and watch how they work with each individual.  I will ask my nurse to give me feedback on my skills at the end of my rotation  I will ask questions and ask for help if I don't understand something or do not know how to do it.  I will maintain patient confidentiality by not using names when talking or journaling.	-Throughout these last couple of months I have been able to journal thoughtfully on myself and my skills to my instructor  -I have asked for clarification from one of my nurses on the proper use of the suicide assessment forms  -Feedback from my nurses was all positive, none of them seemed to have any problems or concerns with my skills or knowledge.	I believe that the objectives were achieved, and would give it a grading of 5/5.  Through working with my nurses and receiving positive feedback I believe I have an understanding of my abilities and my goals. I have utilized the skills and knowledge of each nurse I have worked with to the best of my ability.

## **LEARNING PLAN: Professional Ethics**

Learning Objectives	Resources and Strategies	Types of Evidence of	Criteria to validate objectives
		achievement	achieved
Standard 4 Professional Ethics  Clinical Competencies: 2.08: Participates in planning the resolution of ethical dilemmas 6.02: Understands the dynamics of human behaviour 6.08: Demonstrates a non-judgmental attitude.  CRPNBC Competencies:  D-2-1 Knowledge of Activities of Daily Living	Resources:  text - Stuart, G. (2013). Principles and Practice of Psychiatric Nursing (10thed.). (pp.112-113). St. Louis, Missouri, Elsevier Mosby  Strategies:  - To take part in a patients community care conference. I will make note of different ethical dilemmas and how they plan to resolve them.  - Reading the patients history beforehand and making note of anything that may come up.  - Making note that each individuals and situation is different. What may work for one patient will not necessarily work for all of them. Individual history and diagnosis play a huge part in the care plan and I will be open to the different ideas and not be judgmental	-In October, 2014 I participated in a patients care conference.  I took notes and paid attention to the different people talking and heard the different decisions about the patients care to be made.  -the biggest ethical dilemma with this patient was his diet and the fact he was borderline diabetic. The patient always requested cheese burgers as well as any pudding or pie he could find. The dilemma they were facing was part of the facilities directive is to let them eat/live as if they were at home, however with this patients health risks they had to assess his diet and make changes to it without taking away his rights to eat how he wanted to.	Scale 1-5 Rationale  I believe that some of the objectives were achieved, and would give it a grading of 3/5.  By participating in the patients care conference I found it to be very educational and got a better understanding of the different dilemma's the staff are faced with at the facility. I had a better understanding of the roles each staff member plays and the different human dynamics.  I would like to participate in more of these and be able to have a more hands on approach in the future once I know the patients better and have an understanding of the dilemmas.

## **LEARNING PLAN: Communicates Effectively**

Learning Objectives	Resources and Strategies	Types of Evidence of	Criteria to validate objectives
~		achievement	achieved
Standard 1	_		
Therapeutic Interpersonal Relationships	Resources:		g 1475 / 1
		-Throughout these last couple of	Scale 1-5 Rationale
Clinical Competencies:	G G. (2012) D	months I have been able to journal	TIP A CALLS
6.01 Recognizes the effect of one's behavior	text - Stuart, G. (2013). Principles and Practice	thoughtfully on myself and my	I believe that the objectives were
on others e.g. client/family, staff	of Psychiatric Nursing (10thed.). (pp.112-113).	skills to my instructor	achieved, and would give it a grading of 5/5.
6.02 Understands the dynamics of human behavior	St. Louis, Missouri, Elsevier Mosby	- I have built a few therapeutic	3/3.
6.03 Recognizes and identifies own feelings		relationships with patients in the	
6.04 Recognizes and identifies feelings of	Website - Matovich, S. (n.d.). Respectful	hospital and community setting	In the last few weeks I have definitely
others	communication with the older adult. Retrieved	nospital and community setting	learned the different ways to
6.05 Interprets behavior of self and others	from	-I have chatted daily to the different	communicate with all types of patients. I
6.07 During goal-oriented Interactions	http://www.thirdagecommons.ca/content/respe	patients from things such as the	have noticed the time it takes to build a
demonstrates empathy, warmth and respect	ctful-communication-older-adult	weather or the football game to	therapeutic relationship with not only
6.08 Demonstrates a non-judgmental attitude	Cuar communication order waste	dancing and playing the "drums" on	the resident but the resident's family as
6.09 Utilizes, as appropriate, problem-solving	Strategies:	the table.	well.
techniques during interactions	<u>~</u>		
6.10 Identifies individuals' communication	-To communicate effectively with the different	-I spoke with a patients family	
limitations and utilizes alternative forms	patients and staff in Penticton community and	member who was concerned she	
of communication as appropriate	hospital settings	would be missing lunch for her	
7.01 Engages in goal-oriented	-To journal any questions or thoughts to my	appointment and wanted to know if	
communication (verbal and/or nonverbal)	instructor about patients behavior, my own	there would be food for her when	
7.04 Verbalizes observations to appropriate	feelings, recognition of others feelings and	she returned. I made sure to speak	
persons	goal orientated communication.	with the nurse and have her lunch	
7.05 Perceives and interprets verbal and non-	-To watch and interact with the patients on the	put aside for when she came back.	
verbal communication	IPU ward and see how the different mental		
	illnesses affect them differently	-I've used my medical background	
<b>CRPNBC Competencies:</b>		and skills to help my colleagues	
A-Communication Skills and Therapeutic		with questions or skills they need	
Relationships		help with.	
<b>A-1</b> Knowledge and application of			
interpersonal communication skills			
A-2 Knowledge and Application of self in			
the therapeutic process			
A-3 Knowledge and Application of the			
Characteristics of the Therapeutic			
Relationship			