

Sultan Qaboos University



College of Nursing

Clinical Learning Agreement

Expectations from the College of Nursing:

1. Assumes responsibility for the administration of the clinical training, such as curriculum development, course objectives and student learning outcomes, grading, and scheduling of clinical hours.
2. Agrees to abide by the Training Site policies, regulations, and procedures.
3. Designates its own faculty qualified by training and experience to plan, oversee, and evaluate the students' clinical practice activities.
4. Informs all students and faculty of their responsibilities under this agreement including their obligation to abide by the rules and regulations of the Training Site.
5. Provides the Training Site with number of students, days and hours of clinical training as mutually agreed upon.
6. Provides the transportation to and from the site for the students when needed.
7. Notifies the Training Site of any changes in faculty, curriculum, regulations etc. that may affect the clinical training.

Expectations from the Training Site:

1. Orients the faculty to the Training Site and its the policies, regulations, and procedures.
2. Facilitates the practice of nursing students in provision of clinical learning experiences at Training Site that are compatible with the learning objectives and performance expectations for students.
3. Allows students to provide nursing care using appropriate basic supplies and equipment necessary to achieve that training objectives.
4. Provides access to sources of information necessary for the clinical training within the policies, regulations, and procedures of the Training Site (such as patients' files).
5. If requested and upon mutual agreement with College of Nursing, provides qualified preceptors.
6. Retains full responsibility for the supervision and care of all clients (such as patients).
7. Reserves the right to take immediate and temporary action on any student or faculty member where their action endangers client (such as patient) care. The Training Site officials shall notify the University's faculty member responsible for the student practice, or the appropriate Assistant Dean or Dean at College of Nursing.

Protection of Students:

1. Training Site shall ensure that students practice safely in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Training Site (e.g., providing personal protection equipment, offering first aid kit).
2. College of Nursing shall ensure that students participating in the clinical training have met the health requirements. This includes ensuring that Hepatitis B vaccination is received by all students before assignment to Training Site.
3. If an incident occurs to a student during clinical practice, the College of Nursing's faculty member is responsible to report the incident in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Training Site and to inform the appropriate Assistant Dean at College Nursing.