

Mercer County Community College
Division of Science and Health Professions
Nursing Program
ONE YEAR GRADUATE SURVEY

As a recent graduate of the Mercer County Community College Nursing Program, we would appreciate your assistance in completing the survey below developed for graduates. Collection of this data is a requirement by our accrediting bodies. Data from this survey will be collected and used for development, maintenance and revision of the program and/or program outcomes. Only aggregate data will be shared, and individual graduates will not be identified. We truly appreciate your assistance in completing this survey.

Forms can be returned electronically by emailing to nursing@mccc.edu or via fax at 609-570-3831.

Personal Data

Name (optional): _____

Graduation Date: _____

Address: _____

Current Employment

Employers Name: _____ Start Date: _____

Address: _____

Supervisor: _____

Clinical Unit: _____

Hours: [] FT [] PT Shift: [] Days [] Evenings [] Nights [] Per Diem

How soon were you able to find a job after graduation? _____

Continuing Education and Career Goals

Are you currently pursuing a B.S.N. degree? _____ If so, where? _____

Start Date? _____

Preparation for Employment

By using the following scale, please indicate how your education at Mercer County Community College has prepared you for your present position.

(5) Strongly Agree (4) Agree (3) Neither Agree or Disagree (2) Disagree (1) Strongly Disagree

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| 1. Function within the provisions of the Nurse Practice Act while maintaining the Code of Ethics and accepting responsibility for self-growth and life-long learning. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 2. Assess the patient’s health status in a comprehensive and holistic manner. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 3. Analyze, synthesize and evaluate patient-related data to develop and implement individualized patient care and teaching plans. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 4. Provide safe physical and psychological care to each patient incorporating documented Best Practices to formulate clinical judgments and management decisions. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 5. Evaluate the achievement of patient outcomes. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 6. Incorporate within nursing practice advocacy for patient’s rights, taking into consideration cultural diversity, socioeconomic and political forces. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 7. Collaborate with others to respond to the needs of individuals, families and groups across the health-illness continuum. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 8. Use effective verbal and written communication skills, incorporating lifespan considerations. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 9. Manage health care for the individual using cost effective nursing strategies, quality improvement processes and current technologies. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 10. Would you recommend Mercer’s nursing program to others? | Yes | | No | | |
| 11. Please give an explanation of your response to question #10. | _____ | | | | |

12. On a scale of 1 – 5 (5 being highest), how would you rate Mercer’s Nursing Program? 1 2 3 4 5

13. If you rate the program below a 4, please provide an explanation of your response. _____

14. Please use the space below for any additional comments about your preparation for nursing at Mercer, comments or suggestions for improvement for our program.