

ADDENDUM TO NRS240 OUTLINE  
FALL 2011

REVISED GUIDELINES FOR HESI EXIT EXAM

1. Students who *earn an 850* in the HESI EXIT EXAM have the best success on the NCLEX on the first try
2. Students who *do not earn* the 850 on the HESI EXIT EXAM will be assigned a faculty member to follow the student through the process of achieving success on the NCLEX exam.
3. Students will be assigned an EVOLVE remediation plan that will be reviewed weekly with the assigned faculty member.
4. Students will retake the HESI EXIT EXAM the second time and hopefully will achieve the 850 benchmark score which indicates best success on the NCLEX.
5. If the student still does not reach the benchmark, further remediation will be designed for the student using Evolve materials with weekly follow up with assigned faculty even after graduation.
6. Students will be given their paperwork to apply for the NCLEX after successful completion of all the course requirements of NRS 240
7. It is *highly recommended* that the student take a NCLEX review course as quickly as possible after graduation. Guidance will be given to the student as to which review course is appropriate for best success on the NCLEX.
8. Research shows that students have the best success on the NCLEX IF TAKEN WITHIN 60 DAYS OF GRADUATION. Students will be urged to develop a calendar of what must be completed in order to achieve this timetable.
9. Students need to complete application materials by the midterm exam of NRS 240.