**Expected Outcomes: Application of advanced nursing concepts**

MSN NP students will demonstrate the ability to apply advanced clinical knowledge and care delivery competencies.

**AEB:** Students will score 800 or higher on the Advanced Practice HESI exam within 2 attempts.

**Assessment methods**

**Method: Application of Advanced Nursing Concepts**

HESI test reports are provided by Elsevier and include information about the class score. ANCC FNP domains of practice: 1) professional role and policy 2) assessment of acute and chronic illness 3) clinical management 4) health promotion and disease prevention.

**Findings:**

To this date, all MSN NP students passed the Advanced Practice HESI exam with a median score of 909.

**How did you use findings for improvement?**

The information obtained will be used in the evaluation and modification of nurse practitioner’s course content.

**Additional comments:**

This is a new HESI test and our first class of NP graduates.

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**Expected Outcomes: MSN graduates pass national certification exams**

SON MSN NP graduates will either the AANP or ANCC exam on their first attempt. The percent passing the exam will be 85% or higher than the national average (2011 AANP pass rate 89.3; 2011 ANCC pass rate 82.3%).

**Assessment methods**

**Method: National Certification Exam Success**

The MSN Director tracks certification exam results.

**Findings:**

To date 100% NP graduates have taken and passed either the AANP certification exam or ANCC certification exam. One MSN graduate has not taken any certification exam as yet.

**How did you use findings for improvement?**

We will use the information to refine content for NP courses. The MSN Director and MSN Evaluation committee tracks this information.

**Additional comments:**

This is our first NP graduates.