

**SPECIAL
POINTS OF
INTEREST:**

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NEW BOARD

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HUTCHISON**

**1ST VICE
RASHONBAH
ROGERS**

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WATTS**

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DEVONARE
MEACHUM
NADINE
TIPTON**

**TREASURER
MANDY
MILLWOOD**

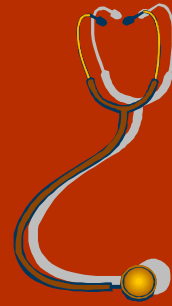
**SECRETARY
GRACE
VEGA**

**WEBMASTER
RYAN
SUA**

**KECIA
BERRY**

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MEETING OF THE MINDS

Great Idea!!! This semester we have a dual board. The 2007-2008 will jointly run the board with the 2008-2009 board members. The meeting held in April will be conducted by the newly elected board members with the backbone of the current board.

In the past the books were handed over and the new board had to feel their way through. This will allow a smooth transition for the new board. The new board greatly appreciates the help from our current leaders.

This dual board gives us the opportunity to create a

strong board for the 2008-2009 school year.

Special thanks to all SNA members who took the time out of our hectic schedules to vote.



We are the future of nursing

1st semester students want to meet others

In the last meeting Kanita Key, a first semester student suggested that we all get together and have a social gathering. She

proposed a night of bowling. The nursing program has been a bit stressful for the beginning students as well as our graduating

students, it would be nice to have a stress less night of fun with all of our students.

Let's go bowling!!!!!!

If interested email Kanita key through WEBCT

FIRST CLINICAL SITE



The first semester nursing students were so anxious as clinicals began on day one. As they approached day three they were relieved and glad they made it!



Nervous students enter their first clinical site

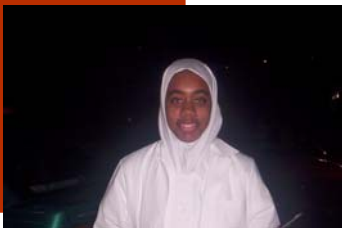
PICTURES FROM THE GROUP

"I am so nervous I am so scared. What if I make a mistake"



WE MADE IT

"WOW! It's Over. I made it through the day."



NURSE JOKES

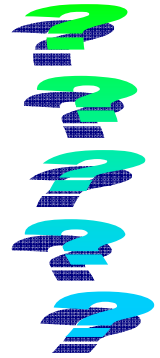
It's a very simple operation

A man was wheeling himself frantically down the hall of the hospital in his wheelchair, just before his operation. A nurse stopped him and asked, "What's the matter?"

He said, "I heard the nurse say, 'It's a very simple operation, don't worry, I'm sure it will be all right.'"

"She was just trying to comfort you, what's so frightening about that?"

"She wasn't talking to me. She was talking to the doctor!"



NCLEX REVIEW

1. Which statement by the nursing assistant indicates a correct understanding of the nursing assistant's role?

- 1. Turn off client's IV's that have infiltrated.
- 2. Take client's vital signs after their procedures are over
- 3. Use unit written material to teach client before a procedure .
- 4. Help by giving medication

2. When considering Erikson's psychosocial developmental tasks, a nurse should focus care for middle aged adults around their need to be:

- 1. Productive
- 2. Controlling
- 3. Independent
- 4. Autonomous

NCLEX ANSWERS

1. Monitoring vital sign after a procedure is within the scope of a nursing assistant's role. All others are performed by the registered professional nurse or the licensed practical nurse.

2. A psychosocial task for the middle adult according to Erikson is generativity; this task is concerned with the sense of productivity and accomplishment

The answer is productive. The others are not involved in Erikson's task of middle adulthood

All NCLEX questions taken from "Mosby's review questions for the NCLEX-RN Examination" 6th edition



CSU SNA

Upcoming Events

National convention March 26-31

Next SNA meeting April 14th

Mission of the NSNA is to:

Organize, represent and mentor students preparing for initial licensure as registered nurses, as well as those enrolled in baccalaureate completion programs. Promote development of skills needed to be responsible and accountable members of the nursing profession as well as advocates high quality health care.

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4. EVERYTIME SOMEONE ASK FOR A PEN YOU HAVE THREE ON YOUR PERSON
5. YOU DON'T GET EXCITED ABOUT BLOOD LOSS UNLESS ITS YOUR OWN
6. YOU LIVE BY THE MOTTO "TO BE RIGHT IS ONLY HALF THE BATTLE TO CONVINCE THE PHYSICIAN IS WAR"
7. YOU FIND YOURSELF ASSESSING PEOPLE IN A GROCERY STORE
8. WHEN YOU ARE WASHING YOUR HANDS MORE THAN YOU ARE USING THEM
9. YOU DON'T WANT TO LEAVE YOUR PATIENTS SO YOU DON'T GO TO THE DOCTOR WHEN YOU ARE SICK

T-SHIRTS

HEY!

SNA NEEDS YOUR SLOGAN SUGGESTIONS FOR THIS YEARS T-SHIRTS