RISE Center INACSL Standards of Practice

Policy:
Simulation offers the ability to provide standardized applied learning opportunities for students within the safe environment of the RISE Center, thus reducing the risk of harm to our patients. The RMU Nursing department supports the substitution of simulation for a minimum of 10% of the total number of clinical hours designated for a clinical course, as long as each activity is guided by the International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation and Learning (INACSL) Standards of Best Practice: Simulation (INACSL Board of Directors, 2011).

Standard I: Terminology
Standard II: Professional Integrity of Participant
Standard III: Participant Objectives
Standard IV: Facilitation Methods
Standard V: Simulation Facilitator
Standard VI: The Debriefing Process
Standard VII: Evaluation of Expected Outcomes

Procedure:
- Each 1 hour of simulation equals 2 hours of clinical time, for a 1:2 ratio. The course faculty member should designate the allotted equivalent on their syllabus and inform the students accordingly.
- The RISE High Fidelity Center will assist faculty members in designing, implementing, and evaluating simulation experiences for their students according to the INACSL Standards of Best Practice: Simulation (2011).
- Each RISE High Fidelity Center simulation experience will be followed by an evaluation of the learner’s experience.
- To schedule high fidelity simulation experiences, contact the RISE Center at least two weeks prior to the experience.
- Experiences are scheduled based upon the date of request.
- The schedule of RISE Center high fidelity simulation experiences can be viewed on the RISE Center calendar at risecenter.rmu.edu.
- Concerns related to RISE Center activities should be addressed with the RISE Center Director.

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