

A New Agenda for Nurse Educator Education in Europe -project Leena Salminen, Professor, University of Turku MULTIPLIER EVENT: QUALITY MENTORSHIP FOR DEVELOPING COMPETENT NURSING STUDENTS 17th June, 2021



A New Agenda for Nurse Educator Education in Europe (New Nurse Educator) -project

Background

- The core competencies of nurse educators have been defined
 - By different researchers
 - e.g. Zlanoviz et al 2017, Mikkonen et al 2020, Salminen et al 2013, 2021
 - By WHO (2016), NLN
- No common consensus or regulation of minimum qualifications for nurse educators in Europe
- Educational strategies







The aim

- to uniform and develop nurse educator education in Europe
- A transnational European project
 - focus on nurse educator competence and education
- Three years project: 2020-2023
- Funded by Erasmus+
- Coordinated by University of Turku, Department of Nursing Science









- University of Turku, Finland
- University of Eastern Finland, Finland
- University of Malta, Malta
- Constantine the Philosopher University in Nitra, Slovakia
- Universitat Internacional de Catalunya, Spain
- Univeristy of Edinburg, Scotland, UK
- Charité Universitätsmedizin Berlin with Humboldt University, Germany





The Project tasks

- WP1
 - Current situation of Nurse Educators' competence and education
- WP2
 - Future Health Care Issues and Pedagogical Solutions
- WP3
 - Recommendations for a New Agenda for Nurse Educator Education in Europe





Work package 1 Nurse Educator Education, Competence and Need for Continuous Education

- Explore and describe
 - nurse educator education in Europe
 - competence of nurse educators within Europe
 - Investigate the areas continuing professional development of the educators







Work package 2

Empowering the Nurse Educators in the Changing World

- 30 ECTS study programme
- The study units
 - Empowering Learning Environments in Nursing Education
 - Global Health Issues
 - Issues in Future Nurse Education
 - Evidence Based Teaching
 - Ethics and Nurse Educators Work







Work package 3

- Recommendations for a New Agenda for Nurse Educator Education in Europe
- Common recommendations for nurse educator education
- Handbook of Nurse Educators



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Dissemination of the results

- Scientific publications on research results
- National professional publications
- Conference presentations and posters
- Social media (Twitter and blog)
- Website https://new-nurse-educator.utu.fi/
- Handbook of Nurse Educators as an electronic
- Dissemination conference in Barcelona in spring 2023 welcome!
- See also: https://fine-europe.eu/?p=2319&lang=en









Thank you for your attention!



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