

Position Description:

As the academic leader of the Nursing and Clinical Services Division, the Dean reports directly to the Medical Education Campus Provost. The Dean ensures program innovation, implementation, and evaluation; faculty/staff hiring, mentoring, fiscal management, and collaboration with leaders in the program's partnerships; and community and professional outreach. Will oversee and sustain full Virginia Board of Nursing approval and ACEN accreditation of the nursing program as well as specialized programmatic accreditation of other clinical services programs. The Dean will participate in new program development, curriculum management, assessment of student learning outcomes and will assure compliance with all college and programmatic accreditation requirements.

At least five years experience in healthcare in a nursing position, to include one year in management/administration preferred. Commitment to academic excellence, to include three years of successful progressive academic leadership experience, for example, a Dean or Assistant Dean in higher education. Excellent organizational, priority management, teamwork skills, and effective use of information technology for communication and decision-support. Knowledge and experience with online and simulation instructional delivery and technology initiatives. Strong interpersonal, team building and both written and verbal communication skills. Knowledge of state, federal and local laws/regulations relating to nursing and clinical programs, including compliance and regulatory agencies. Proficient skills and experience in Microsoft Office computer software systems that includes Word, Excel, and Power Point. Knowledge of constituencies served by the college. Experience with specific accrediting and licensing agencies and processes such as NLNAC/ACEN/CCNE and Virginia Board of Nursing as well as accreditors involved in other clinical programs. Experience with and commitment to Associate Degree programs and curriculum and teaching at the community college level.

Minimum Qualifications

Doctoral degree; Graduate degree in Nursing; Current Virginia nursing license (or eligibility to obtain license); Valid driver's license, this position requires frequent travel within the service area; eligible to operate a state vehicle (car, small van)

Desired Qualifications

Minimum qualifications and significant experience as an academic leader of a clinical program; experience as a site visitor for a specialized programmatic accreditation authority or for regional accreditation authority.

Accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA) is a comprehensive, two year institution that offers education up to the associate degree level in more than 150 programs of study. Described as one of the most diverse colleges in the country, NOVA represents more than 150 nationalities. With over 75,000 students enrolled annually in credit courses, NOVA is the second largest community college in the nation and the first community college in Virginia to open a campus singularly devoted to the healthcare industry. Located in Springfield, Virginia, NOVA's Medical Education Campus (MEC) is a technologically sophisticated and specialized campus dedicated to the education and clinical preparation of Healthcare professionals.

Application Deadline: 01/05/2017

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