

Firelands Regional Medical Center School of Nursing
Nursing Access 2021
Role Transition Paper

Quiz #8

Place in the “Role Transition Paper Assignment” Dropbox by 0800 on Fri 11/5/2021

Instructions: Utilize the following information and grading rubric to complete this assignment. The Role Transition Paper will count as a quiz grade in the course. The due date is November 5, 2021 by 0800. Late papers will lose 5% off the overall percentage for each day late. This assignment must be submitted to the Role Transition Paper Assignment dropbox in Edvance360.

- The title of your paper will be: “Role Transition: A Personal Perspective”.
- Write a narrative response to each of the three content areas listed in the grading rubric.
- The paper must be organized according to the 7th edition of the American Psychological Association (APA) Style Manual. Resources to assist with APA formatting are available in the school library and will be discussed further by Libby Kyle, Learning Resources Coordinator on August 31, 2021.
- Each section should be clearly labeled (ex. Section One: Motivation and Goals, Section Two: LPN and RN Practice Comparison, etc.).

	Content	Points Possible	Points Earned
Section One:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe two goals that have motivated you to continue your nursing education. • Include your time frame and perceptions of your need to become a registered nurse. (10 points per goal) 	20	15
	Instructor Comments: You did a great job describing several goals that have motivated you to continue your nursing education. However, there is information missing related to your perceptions of the need to become a registered nurse in order to achieve the goals you described.		
Section Two:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare LPN practice with RN practice in relation to nursing skills and functions, leadership responsibilities, and peer relationships (10 points per comparison requirement) • Use references here, as well as your own practice examples. (5 points) 	35	30
	Instructor Comments: Overall, you did a nice job with this section of the paper. However, there should have been more information included related to the comparison of nursing skills between LPN practice and RN practice. In other words, what skills will you perform as an RN that you cannot perform as an LPN? For example, taking orders from a physician, administering blood, initial patient education, etc. Great job with use of references, however, many of your citations are not correctly cited using APA.		
Section Three:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss two specific role changes necessary to make the transition from LPN to RN. (10 points) • Include the methods you have tried or plan to try to foster these role changes. (10 points) • Use references here, as well as your own practice examples. (5 points) 	25	25
	Instructor Comments: Excellent job with this section of the paper, Erika! Again, great job with use of references, however, many of your citations are not correctly cited using APA. Remember to use the resources that have been given to you to assist you in formatting them correctly.		
General Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use 7th ed. APA style throughout paper (5 points) (0 point) • At least three relevant references are to be used to write the paper: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ At least one textbook (2 points) (2 points) ○ At least one article (≤ 5 years old) from a peer reviewed nursing journal (2 points) (2 points) ○ The Ohio Board of Nursing website (https://nursing.ohio.gov) (2 points) (0 points) • The content of the paper should be between 3-4 typed pages (3 points) (3 points) (Note: title page and references do not count as part of the 3-4 page minimum) • 12-point font, Times New Roman, double spaced, one-inch margins (1 point) (1 point) • Correct sentence structure, spelling, and grammar (5 points) (4 points) 	20	12
Additional Instructor Comments:		Total points: <u> 82 </u> / 100 = <u> 82 </u> %	

Erika, as stated in my comments above, there was some information that should have been included in more detail for sections 1 and 2 of the paper. Additionally, there are numerous errors with the APA format throughout the paper. Please be sure you are utilizing the resources given to you to assist you with the correct formatting. It appears as if you used a template on word; however, the template is not formatted for the 7th edition of APA. Therefore, your formatting was incorrect throughout the entire paper. Your reference page was also formatted incorrectly, and it was very difficult to differentiate between the information that belonged with each individual reference because it was in paragraph form. In the future, if you have questions related to the format I would be happy to assist you. Lastly, you did not utilize the Ohio Board of Nursing's website as reference for your paper. Be sure that you are double-checking that you have covered everything on the rubrics that are given to you so you can obtain all the possible points. BL