

Clinical Reflections: #1, #2, #3, #4

See the grading rubric below:

1. How does this clinical site relate to Population/Global Health?

Accolade in Danville, Illinois, is related to population/global health. It cares for patients discharged from a hospital who qualify for nursing home care by Medicare, Medicaid, insurance, or self-pay. This service allows the patient to receive around-the-clock care, which may include occupational therapy, physical therapy, and nursing services. The patient has access to a doctor and nurse practitioner who visits onsite weekly, providing quality healthcare without being hospitalized, freeing up hospital access and reducing the burden on in-patient medical staff.

2. How were you an engaged nursing professional during this clinical experience?

I was engaged in nursing during the Accolade clinical, listening attentively to the Admissions and Discharge Department. I also communicated with the staff and realized how much work goes into the process; it is much more than I realized. These departments must ensure all their information is correct because the state audits them.

3. How did you or could you contribute to the service of the community through this clinical site?

I could contribute to the service of the community through this clinical site by becoming a member of the nursing staff and working in the non-traditional role of supporting the patients through their nursing home admission or discharge, therefore becoming an educator to families on the ins and out of whether the patient qualifies for nursing home care. Another way to contribute would be to become a nurse on the floor to care for the patient population.

4. Name 3 ways this clinical site impacts community health?

This clinical site impacts community health by reducing hospital readmissions, supporting family caregivers, and providing specialized care to the patient including physical therapy, occupational therapy, and around the clock nursing care.

5. Name 1 way this clinical site could better serve the community and why?

Accolade nursing home could better serve the community by hiring more staff and expanding its services or building. They could promote health education in the community by teaching about elder care.

6. What health risks are experienced by the population served by this clinical site?

With so many patients in one building, infections are a big risk. These include Covid, pneumonia, and influenza to name a few. Pressure ulcers also need to be watched for closely in a nursing home.

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**Grading Rubric Self Reflection Clinical Journal Post assignments-
10 Total Points Possible**

CRITERION	POOR	FAIR	GOOD
<p>-Concise and Complete</p> <p>Total Weight- 0.5 points</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Content is incomplete. - Major points are not clear and /or persuasive <p>Weight-0 point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Content is not comprehensive and /or persuasive. - Major points are addressed, but not well supported. - Research is inadequate or does not address course concepts. <p>Weight- 0.5 point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Content is comprehensive, accurate, and persuasive. - Major points are stated clearly and are well supported. - Content and purpose of the writing are clear. <p>Weight- 1 point</p>
<p>Critique of experience- Evaluation and Rationale for</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organization and structure detract from the message 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Structure of the paragraphs are not easy to follow. - Paragraph transitions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Structure of the paragraphs are clear and easy to follow. -Good evaluation and

<p>your comments</p> <p>Total Weight- 1.0 points</p>	<p>of the writer.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paragraphs are disjointed and lack transition of thoughts. -Lack of evaluation and rationale for comments <p>Weight- 0.5 point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> need improvement. -Lack of adequate evaluation and rationale for comments <p>Weight- 1 point</p>	<p>rationale for comments</p> <p>Weight- 2 points</p>
<p>Thoughtful Reflection- How will this affect your practice or will it?</p> <p>Total Points- 1.0 points</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paper lacks many elements of correct formatting. - Paragraphs are inadequate or excessive in length. -Unspecific as to how this experience will impact your nursing practice or not. <p>Weight- 0.5 point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paper follows most guidelines. - Paper is over/ under word length. -Lacks some specifics as to how this experience will impact your nursing practice or not. <p>Weight-1 point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paper follows designated guidelines. - Paper is the appropriate length as described for the assignment. -States clearly as to how this experience will impact nursing practice or not and why. <p>Weight-2 points</p>
<p>APA Format Correct spelling/Grammar.</p> <p>If references are used, they are in APA Format</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Lack of APA format. -Paper contains numerous grammatical, punctuation, and spelling errors. - Language uses jargon or conversational 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Inappropriate APA format. - Paper contains few grammatical, punctuation and spelling errors. - Language lacks clarity or includes the use of some jargon or 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Correct APA format. -Rules of grammar, usage, and punctuation are followed; spelling is correct. - Language is clear and precise; sentences display consistently strong, varied structure

<p>Total Weight- 1.0 points</p>	<p>tone</p> <p>-Lack of APA citation use and Reference page if references used.</p> <p>Weight- 0 point</p>	<p>conversational tone.</p> <p>-Inappropriate APA citation use and Reference page if references used.</p> <p>Weight- 0.5 point</p>	<p>-Correct APA citation and reference page if references used.</p> <p>Weight- 1 point</p>
<p>Analysis of how behavioral, environmental, and genetic factors impact the population served at this site.</p> <p>Total Weight- 2.0 points</p>	<p>-Inaccurate analysis of how behavioral, environmental, and genetic factors impact the population served at this site.</p> <p>Weight- 0.5 point</p>	<p>-Accurate analysis of how behavioral, environmental, and genetic factors impact the population served at this site, but was not thorough.</p> <p>Weight- 1 point</p>	<p>-Accurate and thorough analysis of how behavioral, environmental, and genetic factors impact the population served at this site.</p> <p>Weight- 2.0 points</p>
<p>Journal submitted to Dropbox within 96 hours (4 days) of the clinical experience.</p> <p>Total Weight- 2 points</p>	<p>-Paper submitted to Dropbox late.</p> <p>Weight- 0 point</p>		<p>-Paper submitted to Dropbox on time.</p> <p>Weight- 2 points</p>

Total Points _____

*NOTE: Must achieve 7.7 points to pass. This is a clinical assignment, so it must be passed in order to pass clinical.