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4723-5-10 Qualifications of administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel for a registered nursing education program.

- (A) The minimum qualifications and preparation for new administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel appointments for a registered nursing education program made on or after April 2, 1996, shall be:
 - (1) For administrator of a program:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least five years in the practice of nursing as a registered nurse, two of which have been as a faculty member in a registered nursing education program;
 - (c) A master's degree with a major in nursing;
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio; and
 - (e) An administrator of a baccalaureate program shall hold an earned doctoral degree;
 - (2) For an associate administrator of a program:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least five years in the practice of nursing as a registered nurse, two of which have been as a faculty member in a registered nursing education program;
 - (c) A master's degree with a major in nursing; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
 - (3) For faculty teaching a nursing course:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least two years in the practice of nursing as a registered

nurse;

(c) A master's degree;

- (i) If the individual does not possess a bachelor of science in nursing degree, the master's or other professional degree, including, but not limited to a Ph.D., shall be in nursing;
- (ii) If the individual possesses a bachelor of science in nursing degree, the master's degree may be, but is not required to be, in nursing; and
- (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
- (4) For a teaching assistant as defined in paragraph (JJ) of rule 4723-5-01 of the Administrative Code:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least two years in the practice of nursing as a registered nurse;
 - (c) A baccalaureate degree in nursing or enrollment in a graduate level course of a program for a registered nurse to master's degree with a major in nursing; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
- (5) For a preceptor as defined in paragraph (Z) of rule 4723-5-01 of the Administrative Code:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least two years in the practice of nursing as a registered nurse and have demonstrated competence in the area of clinical practice in which the preceptor provides supervision to a nursing student;
 - (c) A baccalaureate degree in nursing is preferred; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in the jurisdiction or foreign

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country where the supervision of a nursing student's clinical experience occurs.

- (B) The minimum qualifications and preparation for administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel appointments for a registered nursing education program made after September 1, 1971, but prior to April 2, 1996, shall be:
 - (1) For an administrator of a program:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least three years as a faculty member in a program;
 - (c) A master's degree, preferably in nursing; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
 - (2) For an associate administrator of a program:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least two years as a faculty member in a program;
 - (c) A master's degree, preferably in nursing; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
 - (3) For faculty teaching a nursing course:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least one year in the practice of nursing or as a teaching assistant in a program;
 - (c) A baccalaureate degree in nursing, except a faculty member whose baccalaureate degree was obtained prior to January 1, 1972, may hold a degree in a related field. A master's degree is preferred; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;

- (4) For a teaching assistant as defined in paragraph (JJ) of rule 4723-5-01 of the Administrative Code:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least three months in the practice of nursing;
 - (c) Fifteen semester or twenty quarter hours credit toward a baccalaureate degree, exclusive of transfer credits from the basic nursing education program; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in Ohio;
- (5) For a preceptor as defined in paragraph (Z) of rule 4723-5-01 of the Administrative Code:
 - (a) Completion of an approved registered nursing education program;
 - (b) Experience for at least two years in the practice of nursing as a registered nurse and either one or both of the following:
 - (i) Current specialty certification in accordance with rule 4723-4-09 of the Administrative Code; or
 - (ii) Demonstrated expertise in the area of clinical practice in which the preceptor provides supervision to a nursing student;
 - (c) A baccalaureate degree in nursing is preferred; and
 - (d) Current, active licensure as a registered nurse in the jurisdiction or foreign country where the supervision of a nursing student's clinical experience occurs.

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