Health Science Education Instructional Strategies

COMPONENT #: 1-204-001 POINTS TO BE EARNED: 120 MPP

PART I – PLANNING

DESCRIPTION: Write a brief description of content and intent of component.

This component is designed to enable the participant to identify, research, and implement research-based and current instructional strategies, innovative teaching techniques, technological utilization/integration and/or new instructional materials that can be used to improve the instructional process and/or the participant’s professional development.

Upon successful completion of this professional development activity, the participant will be able to incorporate into his/her instruction the principles presented in this workshop.

STANDARDS/FOCUS AREAS ADDRESSED BY COMPONENT: Identify the standards, national/state/district imperatives, initiatives or key focus areas this component supports.

Standards for Professional Learning (choose one)

☐ Learning Communities ☐ Learning Designs
☐ Leadership ☐ Implementation
☐ Resources ☐ Outcomes
☐ Data

Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (check all that apply)

X Instructional Design and Lesson Planning X Assessment
X The Learning Environment X Continuous Professional Improvement
X Instructional Delivery and Facilitation ☐ Professional Responsibility and Ethical Conduct

Florida Leadership Standards (check all that apply)

☐ Student Learning Results ☐ Decision Making
☐ Student Learning as a Priority ☐ Leadership Development
☐ Instructional Plan Implementation ☐ School Management
☐ Faculty Development ☐ Communication
☐ Learning Environment ☐ Professional and Ethical Behaviors

IPEGS Standards (check all that apply)

☐ PS 2 – Knowledge of Learners ☐ PS 6 – Communication
X PS 3 – Instructional Planning ☐ PS 7 – Professionalism
X PS 4 – Instructional Delivery and Engagement X PS 8 – Learning Environment
X PS 5 – Assessment

IMPACT FOCUS AREA(S): select the intended impact focus area(s) from the choices below. Note that Impact Evaluation procedures should reflect this level of impact.

X Educator knowledge/skill (content) X Student learning
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☐ Educator (professional growth) ☐ Organizational support and change

SPECIFIC LEARNER OUTCOMES: Identify the intended learner outcomes (number and content of learner outcomes should be reflective of the total points participants will earn as a result of completing this learning).

1. Identify and describe innovative strategies, techniques, and/or materials appropriate for implementation or utilization in a specific instructional assignment.
2. Identify innovative strategies, techniques, and/or materials and describe in writing how each can be adapted to support specific instructional objectives in health science.
3. Identify current research issues and developments in the field of instruction for health science educators.
4. Describe practical applications of the research in the classroom including strategies that promote creative/critical thinking capabilities of students.
5. Develop skills in analyzing and assessing health science instructional materials.
6. Develop activities that integrate technology into the clinical health science curriculum.
7. Develop activities that address the issues surrounding the diverse needs of learners.
8. Research and analyze alternative delivery systems such as distant learning and the use of interactive technology.
9. Examine equitable methods, techniques, and practices addressing the needs of all students.
10. Research and analyze, and implement the principles of continuous quality improvement for professional growth.

PART II – LEARNING

LEARNING PROCEDURES: Describe the experiences (the “what”) and formats/methods (the “how”) that will be used to provide participants with the knowledge and skills sufficient to master the intended learner outcome of this component.

1. Actively engage in discussions and activities on innovative strategies/techniques, technology integration and/or materials for specific instructional objectives (SLO 1-10).
2. Research and discuss how innovative strategies, techniques, technology integration, and/or materials that can be used to support specific instructional objectives. (SLO 1 - 10)
3. Implement specific instructional strategies and activities that will address the needs of diverse learners. (SLO 2, 7, & 9))

PART III – IMPLEMENTATION

IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURES: Method(s) and resource(s) that will be provided to support implementation of new learning for participants (check all that apply).

X Apply newly acquired professional knowledge, skills, dispositions, and behaviors to improve practice.

X Provide sufficient classroom- and school-focused support and assistance by skillful coaches, mentors, or others to the educator to ensure high-fidelity implementation of professional learning.
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X Provide educators with web-based resources and assistance to support implementation of professional learning.

PART IV – EVALUATION

IMPACT EVALUATION PROCEDURES: Describe the processes that will be used to determine the impact (as identified in previous section titled “Impact Focus Areas”). Description should reflect methods for determining at least ONE of those areas, and will include a specific section for each impact focus area identified for this component.

1. Educator Knowledge/skill: Will consist of observation of participants using the identified skills, techniques, methods, specified in the component objectives during the learning events; will also include reflective journal entries of participants after receiving feedback from their peers. Students will provide direct patient care in the clinical area using the appropriate techniques learned in the classroom to address the specific allied health career, i.e. nursing medical assisting, medical laboratory, vision care, etc. Students will master industry certification exams.

2. Student Learning: Evidence will include evidence of implementation through documented impact on student achievement.

COMPONENT EVALUATION PROCEDURES: Describe the process(es) that will be used to determine the effectiveness of this component to include design, implementation and impact (check all that apply).

X Evaluate the impact of all professional learning on educator’s practice through reflection, assessment, collaborative protocols for examining educator practice and work samples, peer visits, and/or professional portfolios.

X Determine the degree to which educator’s professional learning contributed to student performance gains as measured by classroom assessment data.

X Use summative and formative data from state or national standardized student achievement measures, when available, or other measures of student learning and behavior such as district achievement tests, progress monitoring, educator-constructed tests, action research results, discipline referrals, and/or portfolios of student work to assess the impact of professional learning.

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