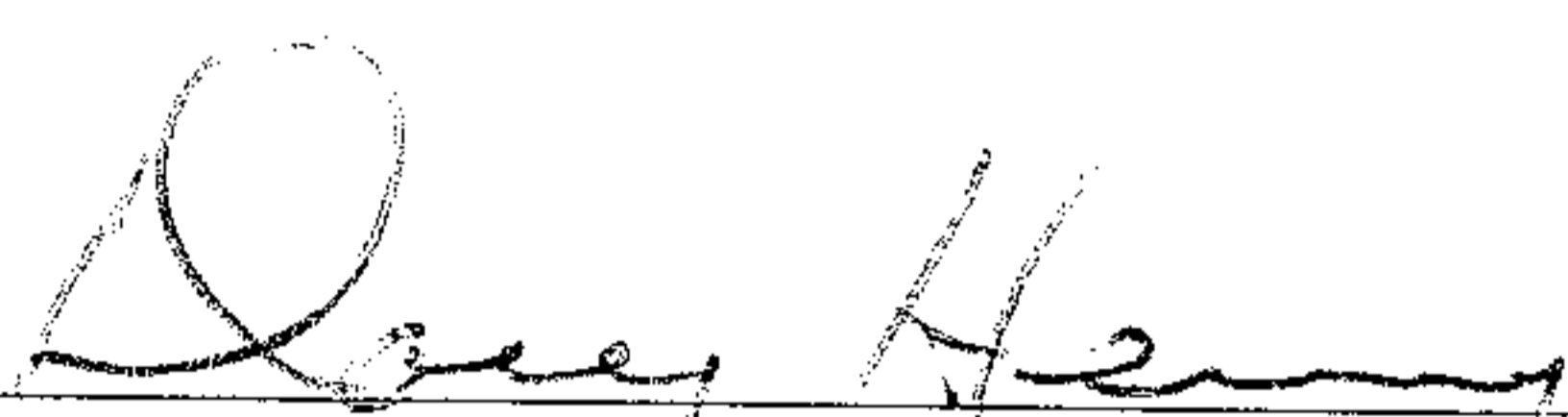



**Action Plan based on  
2009 Academic Program Review Results  
for the Department of Nursing**

<b>Items raised in Self-study and Internal Review committee reports</b>	<b>Action items set for Division quality improvement</b>	<b>Due Date</b>	<b>Did the School or Department accomplish its goal?</b>
Criterion One <i>Core Component 1B</i>	The Nursing Department's mission statement should be revised to reflect Nursing's strong emphasis on diversity in alignment with the forthcoming HLC mandated MNU mission revision.	October 2010	
Criterion Two <i>Core Component 2B</i>	The School of Nursing and Health Sciences should expand Lab space to accommodate more Nursing majors.	August 2009	
Criterion Two <i>Core Component 2B</i>	The School of Nursing and Health Sciences must resolve space issues in conjunction with senior administration in preparation for the new Master of Nursing program.	August 2009	
Criterion Two <i>Core Component 2C</i>	<p>The NCLEX-RN first time pass rate goal needs to be monitored. The plan for addressing this includes ATI testing package, hiring of a faculty member with expertise in helping students pass NCLEX exams, and raising the required test average for passing Nursing classes to 73%.</p> <p>Nursing should provide an update to the VPAA regarding whether these measures have been effective in the Nursing Dean's annual report to the VPAA in 2010.</p>	May 2010	
Criterion Two <i>Core Component 2D</i>	Integrate strategic planning document into one master plan for the School of Nursing and Health	October 2010	

	Sciences.		
Criterion Three Core Component 3D	The School of Nursing and Health Sciences needs to take steps to manage its growth well. The School should research and propose an administrator/advisor to student ratio for its RN to BSN program. It should develop a support staff to student ratio for Nursing School. It should set hiring benchmarks for the RN to BSN program. Use Education and IAE as a resource and model for this.	August 2009	

  
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