**College of DuPage Nursing 1120**

**Concept: Professionalism**

**Portfolio Project Instructions**

***What is a portfolio?***

A portfolio is a comprehensive document that demonstrates the accomplishments and competency of the professional. In the learning environment a portfolio additionally facilitates critical thinking through reflective learning a critical skill necessary for the contemporary nurse.

***The portfolio will***

* Facilitate development of critical thinking through reflection on practice.
* Demonstrate student achievement of course and program outcomes.
* Demonstrate achievement of competency based benchmarks.
* Serve as a repository of student artifacts.

***Portfolio Elements***

* Introduction Tab
* Professional image of student (a tasteful picture taken with your phone that you would be comfortable with a perspective employer seeing; electronically paste this picture in the upper right corner of your introduction)
* Introduction of the student

Who am I?

What have I done?

What do I bring to this profession?

Why nursing?

What are my beliefs?

How did I get here?

Where do I want to go?

What do I want to accomplish?

* Philosophy of Nursing and Health tab
* Courses tab (Library)
* Course number and name
* Course description
* Course concepts
* Portfolio Project tab (Library)
* Sub-tab for each portfolio project
* First tab is Well Elder Project (1130) all other tabs will be added as you complete each course.
* Reflection tab (Library)
* Clinical, Simulation and Community experiences tab (Library)
* Professional activities, Professional development, Volunteerism (Library)
* Resumé Tab (Library)

Criteria

* Proper English, grammar, punctuation and spelling
* Professional appearance

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