STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR RESEARCH AND POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMS IN BRAZILIAN NURSING

SUBPLANNING 1

Strengthening and advancement of research and postgraduate programs in nursing

Objective – strengthen research and postgraduate programs in Nursing in the country, enabling it to: a) answer in an articulate way to new demands for interdisciplinarity and complexity within the health area; b) broaden the research projects and groups; c) create new Postgraduate programs; d) create new pedagogical strategies; e) identify regional needs and priorities; f) increase the ability to generate knowledge that can contribute to promote citizenship and health among the Brazilian people.

Implementation Strategies
- Collective constitution of a national agenda with priorities in Nursing research, by selecting research themes and issues, based on a relationship between university initiatives and social demands.
- Creation of solidarity measures and political support strategies for research groups which are not consolidated and for future postgraduate programs, aiming at the creation of new research groups and postgraduate programs.
- Creation of a Database of Doctors, Nurses and Financing Sources, under ABEEn’s coordination, in order to divulge information on Human Resources, fomentation organs, and scientific production.
- Deep discussion and intensification of promotion of the research lines in Nursing and of research groups, under the coordination of an Área Representative at CAPES/ CNPq (Federal Governmental Educational Fund).
- Elaboration of cooperative and multicentric researches, under ABEEn’s coordination, aiming at a contextualization and characterization of postgraduate teaching in Nursing in the country, the impact of scientific and technological production in health services and in social gropes, the identification of problems pertaining to this profession, among others.
- Concentrated and articulate effort along governmental organs and institutions, in the local, regional and national arenas, by fighting for investment in institutional infrastructure and for policies that promote growth in Nursing postgraduate programs, including an increase in the number of financing sources for such growth to take place.
- Permanence of space in events held by ABEEn (SENADEn, SENPE, CBEn), such as forums (open and specific meetings) in order to promote a broadened discussion of issues pertaining to education and research.

SUBPLANNING 2

Education and qualification of nurses aiming at research

Objective – promote and value investigative practices in health services and in education institutions by adopting a set of continuous education and qualification for nurses.

Implementation Strategies
- Creation of a national movement to stimulate investigation, coordinated by ABEEn, outlining strategies, such as: incentive to participation in national and international research events, offer for assistance services to elaborate papers for publication and research projects, offer of courses and virtual discussion forums, creation of research groups, articulation with national and international organizations for the development of scientific and cultural interchange, among others.
- Commitment from Nursing Schools to outline qualification and restructuring strategies on teacher’s production, as well as, to stimulate students to investigate, by means of: bolsas de iniciação científica para os alunos de graduação, acesso à internet, articulação efetiva entre os níveis de graduação e pós-graduação.
- Creation of the Student Page at ABEEn’s Web site, providing information about scientific events and guidelines for submission of papers, prizes to research, links, publication of winning papers, counter grant (bolsa balcão), foundations and other research agencies, etc.
**SUBPLANNING 3**

Divulging scientific and technological production from the nursing area

**Objective** – amplify and improve spreading of scientific production in Nursing, by incorporating actions that allow for a continued improvement of scientific events, as well as the use of new technologies.

**Implementation Strategies**
- Amplification of action from channels that propagate technical and scientific production, such as, annals, bulletins, reviews, books.
- Quotation of Brazilian nurse authors in works released.
- Creation of an electronic magazine by ABEn.
- Commitment from Nursing Schools and ABEn to index their scientific production in the following databases: BDENF, SCIELO, MEDLINE.
- Preparation of a stand at ABEn’s events in partnership with public IES in order to divulge Nursing periodicals, aiming at extending to international events.
- Judicious selection of works in scientific events and dinamization in their presentation.
- Viabilization of the Virtual Health Library – Nursing (BVS Nursing), searching for technical, political, and financial sustainability.

**SUBPLANNING 4**

Quality improvement in nursing periodicals

**Objective** – update and improve the quality of Nursing periodicals by the adoption of modern and efficient management practices, rationalization of the tools, search for new financing mechanisms, transparency of information, follow-up and evaluation by pairs.

**Implementation Strategies**
- Definition of criteria for the standardization of existing periodicals by the adoption of national/international parameters.
- Manutenção da realização do National Meeting for Publishers, under ABEn’s coordination and Nursing representatives from CAPES/CNPq, for logistic support to publishers of periodicals.
- Creation of the Nursing Publishers Forum, under the coordination of board of directors of Publications/Social Communication and ABEn’s Center for Studies and Research.

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