

## **PN Exam Transition Work Group Meeting Minutes: November 19, 2021**

### **Attendees**

Lisa Janisse, Lise Bonin, Tania Pynn, Wendy Ellis, Katie Dilworth, Donna Rawlin, Sushma Khemani

### **Regrets**

Sandra DeLuca, Erin Tilley

### **Welcome and introductions**

Everyone was thanked for attending the meeting.

### **Pandemic check-in**

Participants shared that its been a busy time.

### **NCSBN Resource Update**

Two REx-PN practice exams are now available. It has the 'look and feel' of a Computerized Adaptive Test (CAT). The cost is \$150 USD, students get access to two practice exams. The practice exams are available in either English or French.

A reminder this is not a test to predict pass or fail REx-PN, but students will receive a score upon completion of the test, reflecting percentage of correct responses.

REx-PN reflects writer performance above the pre-determined passing standard based on difficulty of questions

Please see Newsletters for links to exams.

There is a new resource to help students prepare for the exam, instructions for exam day and how to get results available on the Rex-PN website:

<https://www.rexpn.com/index.htm>

There are some REx-PN Item Writing Webinars and Tutorials for Faculty:

- Item writing webinar - [REx-PN Academic Workshop: Hands-On Item Writing Webinar | NCSBN](#)
- Online tutorial available - <https://www.ncsbn.org/16310.htm>
- Item Development Webinar - <https://www.ncsbn.org/15081.htm>

The content for the REx-PN Conference 2021 on November 9<sup>th</sup> will be publicly available on NCSBN website in near future.

### **CNO Communication Strategies**

- The November Newsletter will be distributed soon
- 3 Student Fact Sheets are available on the website
- Student Webinars - Good news, sessions have been over-subscribed! CNO will be adding another section in December. The session will be recorded and added to our website in December (in both English and French).

- We have been doing 1:1 meetings with schools/PN program faculty. The general feedback is that it's a very positive opportunity to dialogue with PN faculty
- The Exam Report format will be Quarterly exam reports provided by Education team at CNO beginning when the first Cohort of students writes the exam.

**Next meeting**

Friday, December 17, 2021, 11 a.m. – 12 noon.