ADVISING UNVEILED:

Nursing Department Approach to Student Success

Back to the Bay 2024

A dedicated academic advisor and a faculty advisor are assigned to each new incoming student.

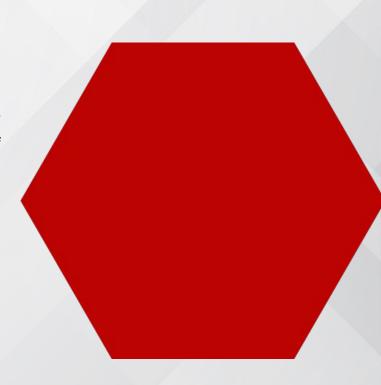
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ABOUT US

cal state East Bay NURSING offers a Bachelor of Science Degree program designed to prepare a nurse generalist: one who is able to apply nursing knowledge and provide culturally sensitive care to clients from a range of socioeconomic backgrounds. The curriculum integrates general and professional education to prepare a professional nurse who is also a well-educated citizen. We offer Pre-Licensure and Post-Licensure concentrations.

We also offer a Master of Science in Nursing Program in Nursing Education or Nursing Leadership and Administration. The Master's program provides a seamless pathway to a practice or research doctoral education for those interested in a doctoral degree.



MEET OUR SUCCESS

TEAM

Christina Bluck - Admissions Coordinator / Academic Advisor

VISION

The model allows for a strengths-based approach for faculty and professional advisors to use their role-specific skills in a coordinated effort to serve students better. The expanded college-based advising model allows for faculty and professional advisors to maintain manageable caseloads, granting more time to work meaningfully with students. Faculty and professional advisors will support each other to advise students toward timely graduation.



MISSION

Students will be provided with consistent, robust, and holistic advising supported by a team of advisors housed within College Centers and Signature Programs. Advising will be aligned with students' major and career goals, supportive of student identities, and focused on improving retention and graduation rates through strong relationships and inclusive communities.



CORE VALUES

Provide consistent point(s) of contact within college or centralized spaces within signature programs.

- Provide culturally aware advising practices that address students' needs.
- Students, faculty, and professional advisors are included in the model.
- Cooperation and support to improve student advising experience.



Incoming Students

First-time Freshmen

Undeclared Interest in Nursing students are assigned to a freshman advisor who will help them enroll into the nursing program prerequisites and lower division GE courses during their freshman and sophomore years.



Incoming Students

Transfer Students

The nursing department admissions team reviews applications and makes admission decisions. New admitted students will participate in a mandatory orientation during summer break before their first semester begins. Each will be assigned to an academic advisor and a Faculty advisor.



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New Students

Once all transfer credit has been added to the students' records, the academic advisor reviews the DAR and transfer credit. A summary of the remaining GE requirements is sent to the student



Re-enrollment

Admissions coordinator will review and may consult with the department chair or program coordinator as appropriate to determine a plan for the student's return.



Graduating Seniors

Academic advisor reviews the DAR of students who have filed for graduation and notifies students of their remaining requirements. If the registrar requires a signed major check, department staff will create a major check sheet for signature from the academic/GE advisor and the student's faculty advisor. Once signed, the major check is sent to the graduation evaluator.



Targeted Populations

Students struggling with content or concepts should consult with the instructor or their faculty advisor.

BUILDING BRIDGES

Department Contacts

Christina Bluck - Admissions
Coordinator/Academic Advisor
Teresa Walker - Admin Assistant
June Calub - Admin Assistant
Jacqueline Adams - Admin Analyst
Angie Alvarado - Admin
Coordinator

Bay Advisor Notes/Reports

Utilize Bay Advisor Report on Appointment to record student meetings, plans and next steps as needed. This ensures other advisors are aware of plans that have been agreed upon. Bay Advisor Alerts/Cases

Utilize Bay Advisor Issue and Alert/Referral to bring attention to support counselors.

Faculty Survey

The College of Science has a copy of the faculty survey.

BEST PRACTICES or HIGHLIGHTS

Best Practice #1

Best Practice #2

Review student's remaining GE requirements as early as possible and notify the student.

Make a Report on Appointment in Bay Advisor and include the information that was shared with the student.

Share and explain the Roadmap with the student..

THANK YOU

