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1974 Questionnaire to Baccalaureate Programs in Nursing

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PART A

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GENERAL INFORMATION (Please check for accuracy)

1. Is the administrative control of the school checked correctly? If not, please make the necessary change. College or University 11-2
Independent -4
2. Is the principal source of financial support of the school checked correctly? If not, please make the necessary change. Public 12-1
Private -2
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3. Is your policy regarding acceptance of men checked correctly? If not, please make the necessary change. Accept men 14-M
Do not accept men -F
4. Does the college or university offer a program leading to a masters degree in nursing, or are you planning such a program? Yes
No
Yes, Plans

PERMISSION TO PUBLISH

5. Please check if you do not wish to have statistical information from this questionnaire published in printed media which identifies your school by name. (For example, the annual publication State-Approved Schools of Nursing--R.N.) No Permission 15-1
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for office M.R. 16-
use only M.P. 18-1
S.B. 22-1
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Name, title and highest earned credential of the person in charge of the school of nursing:

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- Dr.
 Mrs.
 Miss
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 Mr.
 Sister Marion I. Murphy
(Please Print)

Title: Dean and Professor
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Highest Earned Credential Ph.D. by discipline
or major Higher Education

If discipline or major is other than nursing, what is the highest earned credential in nursing? M.P.H.

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We admit in the spring but classes do not begin until August--hence this section does not apply.

ADMISSIONS

1973-74

(BASIC)

Basic students are to be counted as admitted to the baccalaureate program if they were present for an organized class or activity after the opening of the term. In this section, count students who are new to RN schools of nursing, including those who may have withdrawn after attending class. Please exclude transfers from RN schools of nursing, students who have been readmitted to your program, and graduates from diploma or associate degree nursing programs.

6. a. Please give number of basic students admitted to the basic baccalaureate nursing program (by month when their classes began) for the year August 1, 1973 through July 31, 1974:

August, 1973 _____	December, 1973 _____	April, 1974 _____
September, 1973 _____	January, 1974 _____	May, 1974 _____
October, 1973 _____	February, 1974 _____	June, 1974 _____
November, 1973 _____	March, 1974 _____	July, 1974 _____

b. What is the total number of basic students admitted to the basic baccalaureate nursing program for the first time from August 1, 1973 through July 31, 1974? (Total of entries in 6a) _____ 11-13

(1) Did any of these basic students enter at a higher level of placement than the regular first level entering class? Yes 14-1
No -2

Comments: (Give number if known)

ADMISSIONS

1973-74

(TRANSFERS & READMISSIONS)

Transfer and readmission students are limited to those persons who have been enrolled in an RN educational program prior to this admission period, but have not yet completed any RN program.

c. Please give the total number of transfer or readmission students (except RN's) who were admitted at any level or class between August 1, 1973 and July 31, 1974. (Students counted here should not be counted in 6a and 6b above.) If none, enter zero. _____ 15-16

ADMISSIONS

1973-74

(RN'S)

d. Please give the total number of graduates from diploma or associate degree nursing programs who were admitted at any level or class between August 1, 1973 and July 31, 1974. (Students counted here should not be counted in 6a, b, or c above.) If none, enter zero. _____ 17-19

FALL ADMISSIONS

1974

(BASIC)

Freshmen

e. Please give number of basic students admitted (by month when their classes began) for the period August 1, 1974 through December 31, 1974:
August, 1974 365 October, 1974 _____ December, 1974(est.) _____
September, 1974 _____ November, 1974(est.) _____

f. What is the total number of basic students admitted to the basic baccalaureate nursing program for the first time from August 1, 1974 through December 31, 1974? (Total of entries in 6e) 365 20-22

FALL ADMISSIONS

1974

(TRANSFERS & READMISSIONS)

g. Please give the total number of transfer or readmission students (except RN's) who were admitted at any level or class for the period August 1, 1974 through December 31, 1974. (Students counted here should not be counted in 6f above.) If none, enter zero. (Includes 172 WRAIN) 246 23-25

FALL ADMISSIONS

1974

(RN'S)

h. Please give the total number of graduates from diploma or associate degree nursing programs who were admitted at any level or class between August 1, 1974 and December 31, 1974. (Students counted here should not be counted in 6f or 6g above.) If none, enter zero. (est.) 200 26-28

LENGTH
OF
PROGRAM

7. According to college policy, at what minimum class level are students ordinarily admitted into the basic baccalaureate nursing program? (Check one)

- a. Freshman 29-30
(Relate to 10a)
- b. Sophomore
(Relate to 10b)
- c. Junior
(Relate to 10c)
- d. Other(specify) ..

If you have a 5-year program, please comment:

(1) What is the first year that students are usually permitted to take courses in nursing? (Check one)

Freshman year Sophomore year Junior year Senior year

GRADUATIONS
1973-74
(TOTAL)

(Note: Total Graduations entered in 8 should equal the sum of entries in 8a, b, c, and d)

8. How many baccalaureate students were graduated from the baccalaureate nursing program during the period August 1, 1973 through July 31, 1974? Total 410 31-33

GRADUATIONS
1973-74
(BASIC)

a. How many of the graduates had their entire basic nursing preparation in a baccalaureate program (i.e., started out as basic students and continued to graduation)? 205 34-36

GRADUATIONS
1973-74
(RN'S)

b. How many of these graduates had previously graduated from a hospital diploma program in nursing before entering the baccalaureate program? 43 37-39

c. How many of these graduates had previously graduated from an associate degree program in nursing before entering the baccalaureate program? 12 40-42

(for office use only) _____ 43-45

GRADUATIONS
1974
(TRANSFERS & READMISSIONS)

d. How many of the non-RN graduates entered your program as transfer or readmission students, rather than as basic students? (WRAIN) 150 46-48

(Note: The sum of 8a, b, c, and d should equal the number entered in question 8, the Total Graduations)

GRADUATIONS
1973-74
(SPECIAL QUESTIONS)

Please answer the following questions if your records permit it without unreasonable effort. Even estimates would be helpful.

e. In which months were nursing students graduated during this time period? May 1974 only

f. How many of the graduates had earned a baccalaureate degree in some other field before entering nursing? Not Available 49-51

g. The total number of graduates of the Class of 1974 is recorded in question 8 above. How many of the original cohort of the Class of 1974 withdrew before graduation and are no longer registered? Not Available 52-54

Of these withdrawals, how many were RN's? 55-57

(The "original cohort" consists of the basic students admitted several years ago, plus others admitted to advanced status at later intervals in the life history of the Class of 1974.)

ENROLLMENTS
OCT. 15, 1974
(TOTAL)

Include all students enrolled in the baccalaureate nursing program on October 15, 1974.

9. How many students of all types were enrolled in the baccalaureate nursing program on October 15, 1974? Total 1,906 58-61

9. (Cont.)

ENROLLMENTS

OCT. 15, 1974

(ALL EXCEPT RN'S)

a. Of the total number of enrolled students of all types as indicated above, how many are other than RN's, that is, are basic, transfer, readmission, or advanced placement students?

Total 1,559 62-65
and are enrolled full-time 1,556
and are enrolled part-time 3 66-68

ENROLLMENTS

OCT. 15, 1974

(RN'S)

b. Of the total number of students enrolled, how many are RN's, that is, were previously graduated from a hospital diploma or associate degree program in nursing, before entering this nursing program?
(includes 76 RN seniors)

Total 347
and are enrolled full-time 347 69-71
and are enrolled part-time ? 72-74

ADV. PLACEMENT

ENROLLMENTS

OCT. 15, 1974

In the section below, count only students who entered or transferred in an advanced placement status.

c. Check types of students who could receive credit or advanced placement for transfer credits and/or examination and indicate numbers enrolled on October 15, 1974:

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<u>Type of Adv. Placement Student</u>	<u>Check if Could Receive Credit or Adv. Placement</u>	<u>No. Enrolled with Adv. Placement</u>	
(1) Graduate of RN program (Diploma, AD) (same total as 9b)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 11-1	<u>76</u>	19-21
(2) Non-graduate of RN program (Diploma, AD, BS)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 12-1	<u> </u>	22-24
(3) Graduate LPN/LVN	<input type="checkbox"/> 13-1	<u> </u>	25-27
(4) Medical corpsman	<input type="checkbox"/> 14-1	<u> </u>	28-30
(5) Aide/orderly	<input type="checkbox"/> 15-1	<u> </u>	31-33
(6) Other from the health field (specify) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 16-1	<u> </u>	34-36
(7) <u>Some college, not in health field</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 17-1	<u> </u>	37-39
(8) <u>Completed college, not in health field</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 18-1	<u> </u>	40-42
		<u> </u>	43-44

ENROLLMENTS

OCT. 15, 1974

BY CLASS YEAR

10. The following applies only to those students who are not RN's, that is, to basic, transfer, readmission, or advanced placement nursing students. The total number of students shown here should be equal to the number shown in 9a. If you have a 5-year program, enter the fifth-year class below the senior class entry.

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a. (Answer if 7a is checked)
If students ordinarily enter the basic baccalaureate nursing program with no previous college work, how many students are enrolled in each class?

Freshman	<u>365</u>	11-13
Sophomore	<u>251</u>	14-16
Junior	<u>463</u>	17-19
Senior	<u>480</u>	20-22
		23-25

b. (Answer if 7b is checked)
If students ordinarily enter the basic baccalaureate nursing program with one year of college work, how many students are enrolled in each class?

Sophomore	<u> </u>	26-28
Junior	<u> </u>	29-31
Senior	<u> </u>	32-34
		35-37

c. (Answer if 7c is checked)
If students ordinarily enter the basic baccalaureate nursing program with two years of college work, how many students are enrolled in each class?

Junior	<u> </u>	38-40
Senior	<u> </u>	41-43
		44-46

EDUCATIONAL PRACTICES AND OPEN CURRICULUM

1. How many additional students could you have feasibly admitted to the fall class in 1974? If none, please enter zero. 0 11-13

2. What is your best judgment regarding the size of the fall class just admitted: (Check one) It is too large, It is too small, It is about right, 14-1 considering available considering available considering available -2 faculty and facilities [X] faculty and facilities [] faculty and facilities [] -3 (upper division - Baltimore Campus)

3. What was the total number of applications for admission to the fall class of 1974? (est.) 350 15-17 (for upper division - Baltimore Campus)

4. Do you maintain a waiting list of qualified applicants? Yes [X] No [] 18-1 -2 If Yes: How many names are on the waiting list? 15 19-21

5. a. According to institutional policy and curriculum planning, are students given the option to graduate and/or to take a licensure examination at some point before completion of the entire nursing program? (For example, a person might be given the option to take the RN examination and to leave after only two years in the baccalaureate program.) Yes [] No [X] Not Permitted by Law [] 22-1 -2 -3

If Yes: (1) Please describe and estimate admissions, enrollments, and graduations of such early exit students, if any, in the past year (1973-1974).

(2) Does your State Board of Nursing mandate this option? Yes [] 29-1 No [X] -2

b. Does your nursing program have a formal arrangement with some other institution or campus for some aspect of the education of nursing students? Yes [X] 30-1 No [] -2

If Yes: Please describe. 1. Contract with the Department of the Army relative to operation of the Walter Reed Army Institute of Nursing. 2. Agreement with Board of Trustees of Mercy Hospital (Baltimore) for financing of a satellite center.

6. Are students allowed to transfer credits from previous educational programs for purposes of advanced placement or standing in the nursing program? Yes [X] 31-1 No [] -2

7. Do you give some type of examination to students with prior nursing or health-related education and/or experience for the purpose of awarding credit or advanced placement in the nursing program? Yes [X] 32-1 No [] -2

If Yes: Which of the following types of examination is used most often in your school or program to evaluate a student's past education/experience? (circle ONE) 33-34

- a. NLN examinations
b. College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB)
c. College Level Educational Program (CLEP)
d. N.Y. State proficiency tests
e. Teacher-constructed tests for all
f. Clinical performance examinations (given in the clinical setting)
g. A combination of two or more of the above (specify) Also CLEP, CEEB and
h. Others (specify name and source) collegiate departmental examinations.

If No to both Questions 6 and 7, please skip to Question 10

8. Please describe the units used for measuring level of advanced placement by checking appropriate boxes and answering questions about numbers of units.
59 lower division
- a. Credits are given (Check if Yes) 30 challenge exams - junior year 11-1
A maximum number of credits ($\frac{89}{\text{give No.}}$) may be given of a grand total ($\frac{120}{\text{give No.}}$) 12-15
required for regular graduation. 16-18
- b. Previous courses are transferred directly without conversion to credits (Check if Yes) 19-1
A maximum number of previous courses ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) may be transferred of a grand 20-22
total ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) required for regular graduation. 23-25
- c. Clock hours are given (Check if Yes) 26-1
A maximum number of clock hours ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) may be given of a grand total ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) 27-30
required for regular graduation. 31-34
9. As a result of assigning advanced status as described in 8 above, may the total time of open curriculum student attendance be shortened over the attendance time required of a basic student? (For example, such a student would have to attend fewer semesters.) Yes 35-1
No -2
- If Yes: Check time unit of saving: semester quarter trimester 36-1
month year other Junior Year & -2
any credit earned by -3
exams in lower -4
division -5
A maximum number of time units as checked in 9 above ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) could be saved of a grand total of time units ($\frac{\quad}{\text{give No.}}$) required for regular graduation. -6

37-39
40-42

CONTINUING EDUCATION

10. Does your nursing program offer, alone or in conjunction with another institution, courses or classes in continuing education? Yes 43-1
No -2
- If Yes: Please give the titles of the continuing education programs or some indication of the nature of the course content. 44-45

SEE ATTACHED LIST

PART-TIME AND WEEKEND PRACTICE

11. a. May a student complete the entire program on a part-time basis? theoretically, but not present practice Yes 46-1
No -2
- b. May a student complete the entire program by attendance at only evening courses? Yes 47-1
No -2
- c. May a student complete the entire program by attendance at only weekend courses? Yes 48-1
No -2

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Please send us a copy of the latest catalogue describing the program. (Do not hold questionnaire for catalogue.)

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