

***Nursing in Todays World - Trends Issues and
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1. Which national agency is responsible for nursing practice issues in educational environments?
 - A) Pew Health Professions Commission
 - B) The Joint Commission
 - C) Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
 - D) National Council Licensure Examination

2. Which of the following **best** describes the characteristics of nursing assistant role? Select all that apply.
 - A) Requires 75 hours of theory and practice to be certified.
 - B) Role emphasizes safe client environment.
 - C) State agencies responsible for oversight vary.
 - D) Certification is under the jurisdiction of the federal government.
 - E) National regulation of hours exists in other areas of long-term care.

3. Which of the following **best** describe traditional educational avenues for becoming a registered nurse? Select all that apply.
 - A) Hospital based
 - B) Community colleges
 - C) Universities
 - D) Vocational programs
 - E) Stackable credentials

4. Which is the **priority** reason for the elimination of hospital-based nursing programs?
 - A) Cost
 - B) Mergers
 - C) Cadet nurse program
 - D) Credit hours requirement

5. Which of the following characteristics **best** describe hospital-based nursing programs? Select all that apply.
 - A) Vary in length from 27 to 36 months
 - B) Affiliated with college or university
 - C) Includes experience in nursing management
 - D) Hire only PhD prepared faculty
 - E) Emphasis is on student experience

6. Which factors **most** influenced the development of associate degree education? Select all that apply.
- A) Growth of 2-year colleges
 - B) Existing cadet nurse program
 - C) Critical nursing shortage of 1950
 - D) Earlier research on nurse education
 - E) Students need at least 4 years of education
 - F) Inhibited higher education for nursing students
7. Which characteristic **best** illustrates associate degree nursing programs?
- A) Founded on planned research and experimentation
 - B) Initiated by the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
 - C) Developed by Florence Nightingale in the 1920s
 - D) Began as a 10-project directed by Mildred Montag
8. Which is the **most** likely reason that students who earn baccalaureate degrees return to associate degree education?
- A) Takes less time to complete the degree
 - B) Located in primarily urban areas
 - C) Homogeneous makeup of students
 - D) General education courses equal 60% of credits
9. Which of the following **best** describes the typical admission processes in associate degree nursing programs? Select all that apply.
- A) Waiting list
 - B) Lottery
 - C) Point systems
 - D) Student interviews
 - E) Cumulative grade points
10. Which of these essential components are included in professional nursing education? Select all that apply.
- A) Liberal education
 - B) Healthcare policy
 - C) Collaboration
 - D) Nursing theory development
 - E) Specific nursing practice

11. The nursing student is enrolled in a baccalaureate nursing program. The student should expect emphasis on which information? Select all that apply.
- A) Critical thinking in decision-making
 - B) Acting as a client advocate
 - C) Information technology
 - D) Focus on clinical nursing
 - E) External degree development
12. An individual is considering an accelerated nursing program. Which of the following is the **most** likely reason this educational pathway is chosen?
- A) Higher educational standards
 - B) Fewer clinical hours than other programs
 - C) Ability to take personal time off
 - D) Previous success at a community college
13. Which of the following are considered similarities between traditional entry level pre-licensure programs? Select all that apply.
- A) Adequate financial support
 - B) Securing appropriate learning experiences
 - C) Developing and maintaining curricula
 - D) Large numbers of qualified faculty
 - E) Homogeneous student groups
14. Which of the following describes the **primary** purpose of the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree?
- A) Terminal degree in advanced practice
 - B) Conduct funded research studies
 - C) Aimed at constructing nursing theory
 - D) Focused only on nursing education
15. Which of these **most** appropriately describes distance learning programs? Select all that apply.
- A) Clinical learning with a mentor
 - B) Asynchronous learning opportunities
 - C) Students should be independent learners
 - D) Working is discouraged while in school
 - E) Part time plans of study are not offered

16. Which of the following are considered **priority** issues in the development of new graduate orientation programs? Select all that apply.
- A) Inability to function as new roles as staff nurses.
 - B) Excessive variations in clinical experiences.
 - C) Increased levels of frustration among graduates.
 - D) Majority of graduate time is spent in the classroom.
 - E) Performance evaluation tools are subjective.
17. Which of the following **best** describes the function of the American Nurses Association (ANA) Council on Continuing Education? Select all that apply.
- A) Standards of continuing education
 - B) Accreditation of programs
 - C) Guidelines of recognition within states
 - D) Reporting guidelines to federal agencies
 - E) Placing students into federal programs
18. Which is the **priority** reason continuing education is required in many states?
- A) Provides of updating knowledge prior to relicensure.
 - B) Cost of obtaining continuing education is relatively low.
 - C) Professional journals offer continuing education units.
 - D) Nurses can earn continuing education by attending meetings.
19. What is a **priority** recommendation of *Nursing for the Future* (1948) report?
- A) Nursing should become a planned program of study.
 - B) Women should not choose nursing as a career.
 - C) Independent nursing schools did not require oversight.
 - D) Development of a uniform licensure examination.
20. According to *The Report of the Surgeon General's Consultant*, which of the following are **priority** reasons that schools were providing inadequate nursing education? Select all that apply.
- A) Lack of schools providing adequate education.
 - B) Fewer young people being recruited into profession.
 - C) More nursing schools were needed in universities.
 - D) Associate degree is the minimum entry level into the leadership role.
 - E) Role of the nurse has not changed since 1920.

Answer Key

1. A
2. A, B, C
3. A, B, C
4. A
5. A, B, C
6. A, B, C, D
7. A
8. A
9. A, B, C
10. A, B, C
11. A, B, C
12. A
13. A, B, C
14. A
15. A, B, C
16. A, B, C
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18. A
19. A
20. A, B, C