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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS IN NURSING
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FINAL EXAMINATION

DATE: 27TH NOVEMBER 2019 TIME: 09.30AM – 12.30 PM

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Part B – 10 Matching Questions **(10 marks)**

Match the words given on the Left with most relevant phrases given on the Right. Place the letter that belongs to the selected word/ phrase in the brackets given.

Left		Right
1. World Alliance for Patient Safety	( )	A. increase the retention of employees.
2. Professional misconduct	( )	B. desire to help other without expecting personal benefits.
3. Induction training	( )	C. depends on past experiences.
4. Systematic review	( )	D. important for the professional growth.
5. Altruism	( )	E. significant step to improve the safety of health care.
6. Personal maps	( )	F. failure to obtain informed consent.
7. Peer mentoring	( )	G. credit transfers or exemptions.
8. National League of Nursing (NLN)	( )	H. effective strategies to motivate the research involvement in clinical set-up
9. Feedback	( )	I. summary of evidence on a particular topic.
10. Accreditation of Prior Learning	( )	J. regulating the quality of educational programmes for nurses.
		K. a descriptive study.

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Part C- Short Answer Questions **(30 marks)**

Question 01

Reflection is the examination of personal thoughts and actions which include analysing our own performance in the context of existing evidences on how something should be done to maximize the therapeutic effect for the patient.

1.1 Write **two (02)** types of "Reflection" and briefly describe each of them. (06 marks)

Type of reflection	Explanation
1.	....
2.	....

1.2 Write **five (03)** importance of following "Reflective Practice" by nurses. (06 marks)

I. .....

II. .....

III. .....

1.3 Briefly describe the term "Reflective writing". (03 marks)

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Question 02

2.1 Write **four (04)** advantages of clinical supervision for the supervisee. (04 marks)

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II. .....

III. .....

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2.2 List **three (03)** models in clinical supervision. (03 marks)

I. .....

II. .....

III. .....

2.3 Briefly describe **four (04)** common barriers for effective implementation of clinical supervision as a supervisor. (08 marks)

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II. .....

III. .....

IV. .....

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Part D- Short Essay Questions (30 marks)

Question 01

Accreditation of Prior Learning (APL) is an opportunity for students to avoid the duplication of previous learning, whilst ensuring students have attained the learning outcomes appropriate to their award.

1.1 Explain the term "Accreditation of Prior Learning". (03 marks)

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1.2 Briefly explain benefits of APL for nurses as learners. (12 marks)

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Question 02

Nursing evolves from an occupation based on tradition to an evidence-based profession. In the field of research, nurses can apply their nursing education to discover new advancements which promote evidence-based care.

2.1 Briefly describe barriers which affect to bring research and nursing practice closer together specially in the Sri Lankan context. (10 marks)

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2.2 Briefly describe the strategies to promote research individually as a nursing professional.

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