STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS Strategic Planning Committee

January 25, 2022

SUBJECT: Nursing Education in the State University System

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

For information

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The State University System offers a range of nursing education programs, ranging from the bachelor's level to the doctoral level. HB 1507 required the Board of Governors to collect ten-year trend information on all pre-licensure nursing programs offered in the System. The information collected included: the number of nursing programs, slots, qualified applicants, students accepted, graduates; student retention tracked to graduation; licensure passage rate and the number of times students took the exam; and employment and educational pathways. Chancellor Criser presented this information to the Talent Development Council on December 17, 2021.

Ms. Emily Sikes, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Strategic Initiatives and Economic Development, will provide an overview of nursing education programs in the State University System. Dr. Usha Menon, Senior Associate Vice President of USF Health, Dean of the College of Nursing, will highlight select initiatives designed to expand nursing education program capacity.

Supporting Documentation Included:

SUS Nursing Programs Overview

Facilitators/Presenters:

Ms. Emily Sikes Dr. Usha Menon