STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Strategic Planning Committee
January 24, 2023

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, from the bachelor’s level to the doctoral level. Section 1004.015, Florida Statutes, requires the Board of Governors to annually collect trend information on all pre-licensure nursing programs offered in the System. The information collected includes data points such as the number of available slots for new students, qualified applicants, students accepted, and graduates. The Board office also collects information on student retention, graduation, and licensure passage rates, as required in statute.

Board staff reported State University System 2020-21 nursing data to the Reimagining Education and Career Help (REACH) Office in October 2022. The REACH Office presented data for all education sectors to the Florida Talent Development Council in December 2022, as required by statute.

Ms. Emily Sikes, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Strategic Initiatives and Economic Development, will provide an update regarding nursing education programs in the State University System.

Supporting Documentation Included:
SUS Nursing Programs Overview

Facilitators/Presenters:
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