

481—616.16(152) ARNP program preceptorship.

616.16(1) A preceptor is selected by the nursing program in collaboration with a clinical facility to provide supportive learning experiences consistent with program outcomes.

- a.* The nursing education program and student will find an appropriate preceptor.
- b.* The student shall have the majority of student preceptorship learning experiences happen with a preceptor who is an ARNP or physician with the same role and population focus for which the student is preparing.
- c.* Written preceptorship agreements shall be reviewed annually by the program.
- d.* The board may conduct a site visit to preceptorship sites.
- e.* The rationale for the ratio of students to preceptors shall be documented by the program.

616.16(2) The preceptor shall:

- a.* Have qualifications appropriate to support the philosophy, mission, and outcomes of the program.
- b.* Be employed by or maintain a current written agreement with the clinical facility in which a preceptorship experience occurs.
- c.* Be currently licensed as an advanced registered nurse practitioner or physician according to the laws of the state in which the preceptor practices.
- d.* Function according to written policies for selection, evaluation and reappointment developed by the program addressing educational preparation, experience, and clinical competence.

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