

NURSING SEMINAR NUR226 COURSE CALENDAR Section A

Mondays: 12:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Fridays: 8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Students must bring laptops and headphones to school each day

Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
1/1/2024	• Holiday		0
		National Council State Boards of Nursing 2023 NCLEX Test Blueprint https://www.ncsbn.org/exams/testplans.page • Watch the following videos: Student Guidelines: Answering Drop & Drag Questions Student Guidelines: Answering Extended Multiple Response Questions Student Guideline: Answering Enhanced Hotspot Items Student Guidelines: Answering NGN Standalone Questions: Bowties & Trends Student Guidelines: Answering Cloze Items Student Guidelines: Answering the Matrix/Grid NGN Question Item Homework Review Questions • Create 50 question QBank Quiz on Management of Care (Sub-category of Safe and Effective Care) • Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Visit Kaplan Content and Study Resources • Introduction to Content Video Library Visit Kaplan Welcome to NCLEX and Watch the Following Brief Videos • RN Decision Tree Algorithm	
		 Introduction to Course (Review course syllabus and discuss expectations (both in and out of class) Kaplan New Student Orientation Watch Getting Started with Kaplan Passcode: QzE1hDE? Visit Take Tests on the Kaplan site and Download the Kaplan LockDown Browser May take the Respondus Sample Test (18 minutes-to become familiar with the testing platform) Receive a copy of the Kaplan NCLEX Content Review Book Practice- Clinical Judgment Assessment- 6 questions (This assignment will remain open the entire course. This is a 6-question practice test to better understand the format of questions and can be taken multiple times) How Do I Register My Clinical Judgment Account? How Do I Log In to My CJE Account? 	 Introduction to Course (Review course syllabus and discuss expectations (both in and out of class) Kaplan New Student Orientation Watch Getting Started with Kaplan Passcode: QzE1hDE? Visit Take Tests on the Kaplan site and Download the Kaplan LockDown Browser May take the Respondus Sample Test (18 minutes-to becomfamiliar with the testing platform) Receive a copy of the Kaplan NCLEX Content Review Book Practice- Clinical Judgment Assessment- 6 questions and can be taken multiple times) How Do 1 Register My Clinical Judgment Account? How Do 1 Log In to My CJE Accounts? Mow Do 1 Log In to My CJE Account? What If My Exam Is Not Available to Download?

Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
		• Live Online Review (11:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.)	Homework	
		*Bring your NCLEX-RN Content Review Book to class and	Review Questions	
		ear buds	Create 25 question Qbank quiz	
			 Use only Reduction of Risk & Pharmacology 	
			Review Incorrect Test Questions	
	1/8/2024		Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review	7
			Content Review Guide	
			Chapter 3: Physiological Integrity- Pharmacological and Parenteral	
			Therapies	
			• Chapter 4: Physiological Integrity- Reduction of Risk Potential	
			Flashcards	
			Review 15 Area of Choice	
		• Live Online Review (11:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.)	Homework	
2		*Bring your NCLEX-RN Content Review Book to class and	Review Questions	
		ear buds	Create 25 question Qbank quiz	
			• Use only Physiologic Adaptation & Basic Care and Comfort	
			Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review	
			Channel Videos	
	1/9/2024		• Oncology	7
	1/9/2021		• Lung Cancer	,
			• Breast Cancer	
			• Colorectal Cancer	
			Content Review Guide	
			Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaptation Chapter (; Physiological Integrity Paris Compand Comfact	
			Chapter 6: Physiological Integrity- Basic Care and Comfort Elashaards	
			Flashcards - Device 15 Anti Neoplastia Madiantiana	
			Review 15 Anti-Neoplastic Medications	

 Use only Safety/Infection Control & Health Promotion/ Maintenance/ Psychosocial Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Channel Videos Renal/Urological Acute Kidney Injury vs Chronic Kidney Disease Renal Calculi CAUTI Precaution 	1/10/2024	• Live Online Review (11:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.) *Bring your NCLEX-RN Content Review Book to class and ear buds	 Psychosocial Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review <u>Channel Videos</u> Renal/Urological Acute Kidney Injury vs Chronic Kidney Disease Renal Calculi 	7
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Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
Week	Day 1/15/2024	• Complete Diagnostic Test	 Homework Review Test Performance <u>Complete and Submit Test Reflection Worksheet</u> to Canvas on Client Needs areas only <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from Diagnostic Test Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review <u>Content Review Guide</u> Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaption Section 2- Fluid and Electrolyte Imbalances Channel Videos Fluid & Electrolytes Fluid Regulation Hypo-and Hyperkalemia 	0
3	1/19/2024	• Remediate and review test performance on Diagnostic Test	 Hypo-and Hypernatremia Hypo-and Hypermagnesemia Hypo-and Hypercalcemia Homework Review Questions Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Diagnostic Test Review Incorrect Test Questions Channel Videos Safety Transmission Based Precautions Geriatric Considerations Readings Practice Analysis from NCSBN BON Standardized Procedure Annual Report (if applicable) 	3

Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
4	1/22/2024	 Complete Question Trainer 1 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions Watch Test-Taking Strategies "Watch Me" Series Inside Critical Thinking and Clinical Judgement Inside the NCLEX Exam Inside NCLEX Scoring Inside the Rules of NCLEX Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content – Pharmacology 	Homework Review Questions • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 1 NGN • Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Channel Videos • Watch Channel Videos "Preparing for NCLEX" • Laboratory Tests- Important Considerations for NCLEX • Delegation on NCLEX • Legal Issues • Pharm- Parental • Dosage Calculations: One Last Review Before NCLEX • How to Study Pharm • Immunizations Content Review Guide • Chapter 4: Physiologic Integrity: Reduction of Risk Potential • Chapter 3: Physiologic Integrity: Pharmacological & Parental Therapies Flashcards Review 10- Area of Choice	3

	Complete Question Trainer 2 NGN	Homework	
	Review Incorrect Test Questions	Review Questions	
	Watch Kaplan Crucial Content- Fundamentals	• Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest	
		Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 2 NGN	
		Review Incorrect Test Questions	
		Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review	
		Channel Videos	
		Health Assessment	
		 Health and Physical Assessment 1.1 Adult Health History 	
		 Health and Physical Assessment 1.3 Physical Exam of Adult 	
		• Safety	
1/26/2024		 Safety 1.1- Accident Prevention Across the Life Span 	3
		 Safety 1.2- Error Prevention in Health Care Setting 	
		 Safety 1.3- Injury Prevention in Health Care Settings 	
		Content Review Guide	
		Chapter 6: Physiological Integrity- Basic Care and Comfort	
		 Section 1- Mobility and Immobility 	
		 Section 2- Conditions Limiting Mobility 	
		 Section 3- Interventions to Promote Comfort 	
		 Section 4- Musculoskeletal Trauma 	
		 Section 5- Rest and Sleep Disturbances 	
		• Section 6- Nutrition	
		 Section 7- Elimination 	

 Complete Question Trainer 3 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content - N I 	Homework	
5 1/29/2024	Image: Surgical Review Questions • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 3 NGN • Review Incorrect Test Questions Watch the following videos: • Student Guidelines: Answering Drop & Drag Questions • Student Guidelines: Answering Extended Multiple Response Questions • Student Guidelines: Answering Enhanced Hotspot Items • Student Guidelines: Answering Inhanced Hotspot Items • Student Guidelines: Answering Cloze Items • Student Guidelines: Answering the Matrix/Grid NGN Question Item Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Channel Videos • Cardiolgy • Cardiol.1.1 – ECG Interpretation Review • Cardiol.2 – Dysrhythmias – NSR, Bradycardia and Tachycardia • Cardiol.3 – Atrial Flutter and Fibrillation • Cardiol.1.4 – Dysrhythmias – V.Tach and V.Fib • Shock • Myocardial Infarction Tachycardia • Heart Failure • Deep Vein Thrombosis • Sepsis Content Review Guide • Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaption • Section 1- Medical Emergencies • Section 3- Alteration in body Systems	3

	• Exam 1	Homework	
		Review Questions	
		• Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest	
		Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 3 NGN	
		Review Incorrect Test Questions	
		Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review	
		Channel Videos	
		• Respiratory	
		 The Respiratory System 	
		 Chest Tubes 	
2/2/2024		 Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease 	0
		 Arterial Blood Gases 	
		o Pneumonia	
		 Tuberculosis 	
		 Mechanical Ventilation 	
		 Pulmonary Embolism 	
		Content Review Guide	
		• Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaption	
		 Section 3- Alteration in body Systems 	
		Flashcards	
		Review 15 Respiratory Medications	

Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
		 Complete CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions 	Homework Review Questions • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 • Review Incorrect Test Questions	
6	2/5/2024		Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Channel Videos • Neurological • • Stroke • • Delirium vs Dementia • • Parkinson Disease • • Myasthenia Gravis • • Meningitis • • Seizure Disorders • • Cranial Nerves • Content Review Guide • • Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaption • • Section 3- Alteration in body Systems • Flashcards • Review 15 Neurologic Medications	3
	2/9/2024	 Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content – Medical-Surgical II and III Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions 	Homework Review Questions • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 • Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review <u>Channel Videos</u> • Endocrine • Diabetes Mellitus – Prevention of DKA • Diabetes Mellitus – Hypoglycemia in Type I • Addison Disease and Cushing Syndrome • Hypo-and Hyperthyroidism • DI vs. SIADH Content Review Guide • Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaption • Section 3- Alteration in body Systems Flashcards • Review 15 Endocrine Medications	3

Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
	2/12/2024	 Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content –Maternal Health Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions Practice- Clinical Judgment Assessment- Readiness (This assignment will open after midterm and remain open until 72 hours prior to the scheduled CJ Exam- Readiness) How Do I Register My Clinical Judgment Account? How Do I View My Results? Why Do I Have Two Accounts? How Do I Log In to My CJE Account? What If My Exam Is Not Available to Download? 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review <u>Channel Videos</u> Maternity Abnormal Pregnancy, Labor and Delivery <u>Content Review Guide</u> Chapter 8: Health Promotion and Maintenance Section 2- Childbearing-Normal Section 3- Childbearing-Maternal Complications Section 4- Neonatal Normal Section 5- Neonatal Complications Section 7- Prevention and Early Detection of Disease <u>Flashcards</u> Review 15 Women's Health Vaccinations 	3
7	2/16/2024	 Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content – Pediatrics Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review <u>Channel Videos</u> Health Assessment Health and Physical Assessment 1.2 Child Health History Health and Physical Assessment 1.4 Physical Exam of the Child Pediatrics Growth and Development of the Child Pedi 1.1 Infectious Respiratory Illness in Children- Epiglottis, Bronchiolitis and Pneumonia Pedi 1.2 Accidents and Injuries Causing Respiratory Problems Content Review Guide Chapter 8: Health Promotion and Maintenance Section 1- Growth and Development 	3

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8	2/19/2024	 Watch Kaplan Crucial Nursing Content – Psychosocial Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from CAT Exam 1 Review Incorrect Test Questions 	Understand Note: Section Sect	3
	2/23/2024	 Question Trainer 5 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 5 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 2 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3

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9	2/26/2024	 Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 5 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions 	 Homework Watch the following videos: Student Guidelines: Answering Drop & Drag Questions Student Guidelines: Answering Exhanced Multiple Response Questions Student Guideline: Answering Enhanced Hotspot Items Student Guidelines: Answering Cloze Items Student Guidelines: Answering Cloze Items Student Guidelines: Answering the Matrix/Grid NGN Question Item Review Questions Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Question Trainer 5 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions Recommended Kaplan Materials to Review Channel Videos Hematological Disorders Sickle Cell Disease Anemia Immune Disorders Systemic Lupus Erythematosus Human Immunodeficiency Virus Content Review Guide Chapter 5: Physiological Integrity- Physiological Adaptation Section 4- Cancer Flashcards Review 10 Analgesics Medications Review 10 Dermatologicals 	3
	3/1/2024	• Exam 2	Homework Review Questions • Create 25 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on three lowest Client Needs areas from Exam 2 • Use only Pharmacology & Risk Reduction areas of client Needs • Review Incorrect Test Questions	0

Week	Day	Subject	Homework Assignment	Hours
	3/4/2024	 RN NCLEX Sample Test 1 NGN (70 Questions) Review Incorrect Test Questions Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the <u>three</u> lowest client needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 1 NGN (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 1 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3
10	3/8/2024	 Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 1 NGN Individual In-Class Meetings Review Incorrect Test Questions 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 25 question Qbank quiz Use the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 1 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3
11	3/11/2024	 RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN (70 Questions) Review Incorrect Test Questions Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the <u>three</u> lowest client needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3

	• Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on	Homework	
3/15/2024	 Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN Individual In-Class Meetings Review Incorrect Test Questions 	 Practice- Clinical Judgment Assessment- 6 questions (This assignment will remain open the entire course. This is a 6-question practice test to better understand the format of questions and can be taken multiple times) Watch the following videos: How Do I Register My Clinical Judgment Account? How Do I View My Results? Why Do I Have Two Accounts? How Do I Log In to My CJE Account? 	3
		 <u>What If My Exam Is Not Available to Download?</u> <u>Overview for Exam-Takers</u> for the Clinical Judgment Exam (CJE) 	

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12	3/18/2024	Clinical Judgment Assessment- Readiness	Homework <u>Review Questions</u> • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Readiness Test • Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the three lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards.	0
	3/22/2024	 Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN or Exam 2 Review Incorrect Test Questions 	Homework <u>Review Questions</u> • Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN or Exam 2 • Review Incorrect Test Questions	3
13	3/25/2024	 Remediate Clinical Judgment Assessment - Readiness and review S&O Report Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN or Exam 2 Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 2 NGN or Exam 2 Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3
	3/29/2024	Holiday		0

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	4/1/2024	• Readiness Test	 Homework Review Test Performance Complete and Submit Test Reflection Worksheet Review Questions Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Readiness Test Review Incorrect Test Questions 	0
14	4/5/2024	 Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the three lowest Client Needs areas from Readiness Test Review Incorrect Test Questions Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the three lowest client needs areas from Readiness Test (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	 Homework <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from Readiness Test Review Incorrect Test Questions 	3

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15	4/8/2024	 RN NCLEX Sample Test 3 NGN (30 Questions) RN NCLEX Sample Test 4 NGN (50 Questions) Review Incorrect Test Questions Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the <u>three</u> lowest client needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 3 NGN and RN NCLEX Sample Test 4 NGN (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	 <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 3 NGN and RN NCLEX Sample Test 4 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3
	4/12/2024	 Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the <u>three</u> lowest client needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 3 NGN and RN NCLEX Sample Test 4 NGN (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	 <u>Review Questions</u> Create 50 question Qbank quiz (new questions only) on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas from RN NCLEX Sample Test 3 NGN and RN NCLEX Sample Test 4 NGN Review Incorrect Test Questions *Focus the review in preparation for Exam 3 on the <u>three</u> lowest Client Needs areas when looking at your Overall Performance on the Kaplan portal. This review can include Channel Videos, Qbank, Content Review in the NCLEX-PN book and Flash Cards. 	3
16	4/15/2024	 Individual In- Class Meetings The student should be focusing on the <u>three</u> lowest client needs areas from Readiness Test (Kaplan- Channel Videos, Flash Cards, Content Videos, Focused Review Tests, Basics Book, QBank Quiz or NCLEX Review Book. Saunders- NCLEX Review Book or Questions) 	Homework Watch the following videos: • Student Guidelines: Answering Drop & Drag Questions • Student Guidelines: Answering Extended Multiple Response Questions • Student Guideline: Answering Enhanced Hotspot Items • Student Guidelines: Answering NGN Standalone Questions: Bowties & Trends • Student Guidelines: Answering Cloze Items • Student Guidelines: Answering the Matrix/Grid NGN Question Item	3
	4/19/2024	• Exam 3		3



SIX SECRETS FOR SUCCESS ON THE NCLEX-RN

- Treat your preparation like you are getting ready for a marathon. This schedule will help you build your "question-answering stamina" and knowledge base
- Practice, practice the more questions you have answered before taking the NCLEX, the more confident and prepared you will be. Most experts recommend that students complete *at least* 5,000 questions before taking their exam.
- Rationales, rationales, rationales the focus of your studying shouldn't be reviewing the textbook --- it should be reviewing the rationales for both correct and incorrect answers. The more you understand about why a question is right or wrong, the better prepared you will be.
- Don't be overconfident. It is important to understand that although you passed the NCLEX-PN, the NCLEX-RN is a *completely different animal*. In fact, bridge students have a higher probability of failing the NCLEX-RN on the first time due to feeling that, "I passed once before, this will be the same."
- Block out all distractions. Let your friends and family know that during the next 16 weeks, you will be studying, studying, studying. Preparing for the NCLEX-RN must be your life. The sacrifices are real, but the reward is worth it!
- Take advantage of all the tools at your disposal. All of these tools have been provided at no additional cost to you. The NCLEX is not based upon the information found in one book or one program. Use them all!