Intended Learning Outcomes

Microlearning Sessions by Nursing Education Network

Key Learning Outcomes

Introduce and provide an overview of intended learning outcomes (ILOS's):

- Describe what are ILO's

- Purpose of ILO's

- Provide example of ILO's

Intended Learning Outcomes

▪ Intended learning outcomes (ILOs) are explicit statements of what a learner is expected to achieve, and to what standard or level of achievement (Biggs and Tang, 2011)

▪ What is the purpose of the education?

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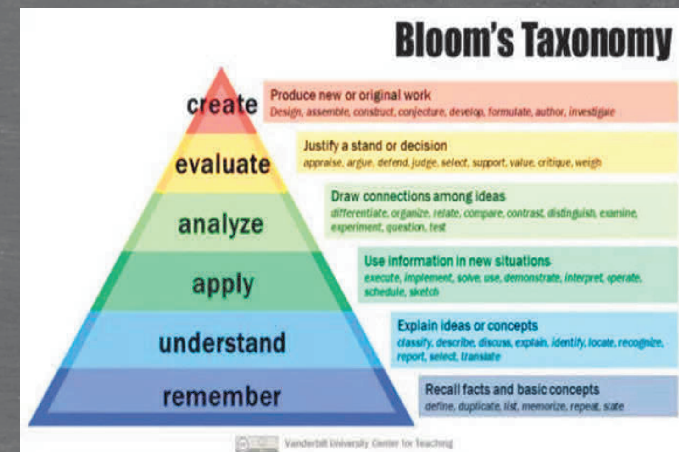
▪ What are the outcomes we hope to achieve?

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Intended Learning Outcomes

- Skills: What students should be able to do at course completion.

- Knowledge: What students should know and understand at course completion.

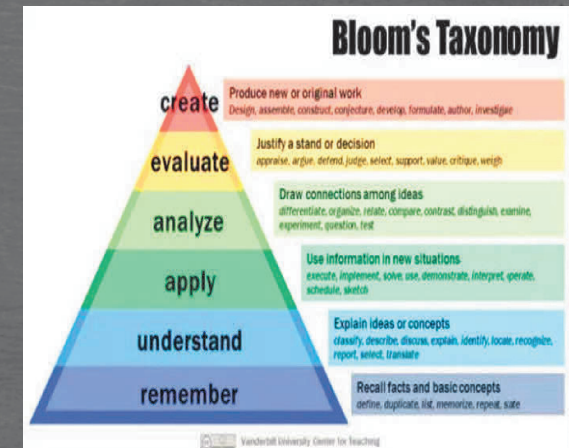- Attitudes: Students' opinions about the subject matter of the course at completion.

Bloom's Taxonomy

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apply — Use information in new situations
execute, implement, solve, use, demonstrate, interpret, operate, schedule, sketch

understand — Explain ideas or concepts
classify, describe, discuss, explain, identify, locate, recognize, report, select, translate

remember — Recall facts and basic concepts
define, duplicate, list, memorize, repeat, state

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Examples of Intended Learning Outcomes

- At the end of the course the nursing student should be able to......

- Explain the pathophysiology of ....

- List the common side effects of ....

- Describe

- Demonstrate the skill of .... proceedure

- Compare the

- Analyse the current literature and evidence base on ....

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