**THE CHECKLIST MANIFESTO: UTILIZING A QSEN BASED ORIENTATION CHECKLIST FOR THE FIRST DAY OF CLINICAL**

![Clinical Orientation Checklist](image)

**PURPOSE**

- The goal of this project is to provide clinical the clinical faculty a standardized clinical orientation checklist created by the QSEN Academic Clinical Taskforce.
- Utilizing a standardized clinical orientation creates a safer learning environment for nursing students.

**PROJECT GOAL**

- Increase quality and safety during clinical guided experiences, using a QSEN competency-based clinical orientation checklist during the first clinical orientation.

**STRATEGY & IMPLEMENTATION**

- This checklist was implemented for pre-licensure nursing students.
- This orientation checklist includes: Knowledge, skills and attitudes for nursing students to learn and practice QSEN competencies.
- It also includes case scenarios, examples, an itemized list, and a scavenger hunt that is used to orient students on the first day. The ultimate goal in using this standardized...

**CONCLUSION**

Utilizing a standardized clinical orientation creates a safer learning environment for nursing students. Faculty reported using the standardized orientation built a solid foundation for the clinical rotation.