UHC/AACN NEW GRADUATE RN RESIDENCY PROGRAM

PURPOSE:

The Nurse Residency Program developed jointly by University HealthSystem Consortium (UHC) and the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN)

A one-year series of learning and work experiences that support the new graduates as they transition into their first professional position in an acute care setting.

Bridges baccalaureate education and professional nursing practice, building on the foundation of *The Essentials of Baccalaureate Education for Nursing Practice* (AACN, 1998)

OBJECTIVES:

1. Make the transition from being an advanced beginner nurse to a competent professional nurse in the clinical environment

2. Develop effective decision-making skills related to clinical judgment and performance

3. Provide clinical leadership at the point of care

4. Strengthen commitment to nursing as a professional career choice

5. Formulate an individual development plan for the nurse’s new clinical role

6. Incorporate research-based evidence linked to practice outcomes into the care provided

REQUIREMENTS: - Graduated from an accredited generic BSN program or master level entry into practice within six months

- RN licensure or a work permits pending licensure

- Willingness to commit to the one year residency program

TARGET AUDIENCE: New Graduate Nurses.

PREREQUISITES: None.

FACILITATORS: Donareen Denny, MSN, RN, CCRN (Program Leader)

Luzviminda Casapoa MSN, RN Faculty.
2012 CLASS SCHEDULE:

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CONTACT HOURS: none

REGISTRATION: Please call Nursing Education/Institute of Continuous Learning at 718-270-2983 Monday – Friday between 8:30AM and 5PM.