NURS 6001, Week 5 Application Evaluation Criteria

Week 5 Application: Professional Development Plan Grading Rubric is worth 100 points.

APA: Use spell and grammar-check the documents; they should represent your best professional effort. Include a title page, headers/page numbers, and level-one headings. Reference page is not required for this paper unless a source of information is cited within the paper. (See PDP sample paper in Week 5 Learning Resources & see SON sample paper in the Week 4 Learning Resources for help with APA style.)

Description

This rubric provides a summative total for scoring assignments.

Rubric Detail

	Levels of Achievement			
Criteria	Needs work	Competent	Proficient	
Title Page	0 to 3 points Title page has several mistakes.	4 to 7 points Title page mostly formatted correctly	8 to 10 points Title page correctly formatted	
Body of Paper	O to 2 points Title of paper not included or very brief. ii. Introduction to the topic is brief or unorganized: this is a brief paragraph that provides an overview of the assignment; and iii. A purpose statement is either not included or does not include critical elements.: The purpose of the paper is to	3 to 7 points Title of paper included, but has errors. ii. Introduction to the topic is adequate: this is a brief paragraph that provides an overview of the assignment; and iii. A purpose statement is brief: The purpose of the paper is to	8 to 10 points Title of paper included. ii. Introduction to the topic is thorough: this is a brief paragraph that provides an overview of the assignment; and iii. A purpose statement is nicely written: The purpose of the paper is to	
Education and	0 to 7 points Needs work on brief personal	8 to 14 points Adequate personal introduction; ii.	14 to 20 points i. Brief personal introduction; ii.	

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Professional Background	introduction; ii. Description of the formal and informal learning experiences that comprise educational background, including individual knowledge, skills, and accomplishments; iii. Academic and research proficiencies brought to the program and areas wishing to improve while pursuing studies; and iv Needs work on personal evaluation of readiness to engage in graduate-level study.	Adequate description of the formal and informal learning experiences that comprise educational background, including individual knowledge, skills, and accomplishments; iii. Academic and research proficiencies brought to the program and areas wishing to improve while pursuing studies; and iv. Adequate personal evaluation of readiness to engage in graduate-level study.	Description of the formal and informal learning experiences that comprise educational background, including individual knowledge, skills, and accomplishments; iii. Academic and research proficiencies brought to the program and areas wishing to improve while pursuing studies; and iv. Personal evaluation of readiness to engage in graduate-level study.	
Professional Goals	O to 4 points i. No or inadequate statement of purpose for completing a graduate program; ii. Less than three to four professional goals; and iii. Inadequate identification of how earning a master's degree will assist in meeting goals and carrying out the mission of the University.	5 to 10 points i. Competent Statement of purpose for completing a graduate program; either to four professional goals; and iii. Competent identification of how earning a master's degree will assist in meeting goals and carrying out the mission of the University.	i. Statement of purpose for completing a graduate program; ii. Three to four professional goals; and iii. Identification of how earning a master's degree will assist in meeting goals and carrying out the mission of the University.	
Course Orientation	to 7 points i. Address, in detail, three to four specific learning goals you	8 to 14 points i. Address, in detail, less than three to four specific learning goals you	14 to 20 points i. Address, in detail, three to four specific learning goals you	

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Practicum Goals	O to 4 points Need to work on identifying one possible practicum settings that match personal, professional, and course learning goals; and ii. Need to identify one project to potentially develop in your practicum setting or area of interest that addresses a real-world problem.	5 to 10 points i. Adequately, identifies one possible practicum settings that match personal, professional, and course learning goals; and ii. Adequately, identifies one project to potentially develop in your practicum setting or area of interest that addresses a real-world problem.	i. Identifies one possible practicum settings that match personal, professional, and course learning goals; and ii. Identifies one project to potentially develop in your practicum setting or area of interest that addresses a real-world problem.	
Summary	0 to 2 points Needs work on the summary of main points of the paper.	3 to 7 points Competent Summary of main points of the paper.	8 to 10 points Excellent summary of main points of the paper.	