

**NOTIFICATION OF CONSOLIDATION OF VOCATIONAL NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

**VICTORIA COLLEGE AT VICTORIA (DAY AND EVENING), CUERO, GONZALES AND HALLETTSVILLE**

**HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE:**

Program	Year	Approval Status	NCLEX-PN® Pass Rate	Number of First Time Candidates (Passed/Total)
<b>Victoria at Victoria - Day Program</b>	2005	Full	93.54 %	29/31
	2004	Full	87%	26/30
	2003	Full	93 %	26/28
<b>Victoria at Victoria - Evening Program</b>	2005	Full	81.25%	26/32
	2004	Full	89%	21/27
	2003	Full	96%	22/23
<b>Cuero</b>	2005	Full	73.68%	14/19
	2004	Full	83%	19/23
	2003	Full	93%	13/14
<b>Gonzales</b>	2005	Full	85.71%	18/21
	2004	Full	76%	19/25
	2003	Full	83%	19/23
<b>Hallettsville</b>	2005	Full	96.43%	27/28
	2004	Full	90%	28/31
	2003	Full	89%	25/28

- Victoria College (VC) has successfully operated a day vocational nursing education program since September, 1959. The college established an evening program.
- VC has operated several extension sites which include Cuero, Gonzales and Hallettsville.
- Due to a low 2005 NCLEX-PN®, the program at Cuero was required to submit a self study report in 2006 to identify factors that contributed to graduates' performance and description of corrective measures.
- Victoria College has decided to consolidate the programs since the campuses have been operating nearly as one program for many years.
- The curriculum for the programs is identical.
- Changes that will occur after consolidation involve the following: Data collection will be maintained separately. One Annual Report, one Total Program Evaluation and one Program Code will be utilized.
- At the program's request, the targeted date for implementation is consolidation and implementation is August 1, 2007.
- Consolidation will be complete including notification and approval of the Texas Workforce Commission by August 1, 2007.

**SUMMARY:**

- Consolidation will be effective August 1, 2007.
- Previous Program Codes for Victoria Evening, Cuero, Gonzales, and Hallettsville will be deactivated.
- Program Code for Victoria College Day VN Program will be the only Program Code utilized.

**REQUESTED ACTION:** No Board action required. This notification is for information purposes only.