

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY COLLEGE OF NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH  
SCHOOL OF NURSING  
POLICY & PROCEDURE MANUAL**

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**PURPOSE:**

To ensure that all tests in the nursing courses are written using specified test grids.

**POLICY:**

The faculty uses a standard method in the evaluation of each test.

**PROCEDURE:**

The faculty in each semester course will:

- Use established Test Construction Grids to evaluate question distribution, content relevance, and level of difficulty of each test administered
- Submit the results of the test grid evaluation to the Course Committees by the end of each semester.

The Course Committee Chairperson or designee shall report the findings to the Curriculum Committee with any recommendations.

The Curriculum Committee shall evaluate the following a minimum of every three years and make recommendations to Faculty Organization:

- Test Plan
- Entire curriculum using the NCLEX-RN grid.

**PROCEDURE DOCUMENTATION:**

Test Construction Grids:

- NCLEX Test Blueprint Content Areas – All Courses
- Nursing Process – Response/Medical Surgical Courses
- Cognitive Domain (Level of Difficulty) – All Courses

**REFERENCES:**

NCLEX Test Blueprint  
Bloom's Taxonomy