

# Nursing Disciplinary Group

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## Clinical Education Benchmarking

- Significant diversity in training models across member schools makes benchmarking impossible
- Complexity of clinical education challenge in the context of acuity and shortage
- Project will evolve to using the benchmarking attempt to synthesize knowledge around complexities.

## Student Exchange

- Actual exchange barriers identified and in resolution (UVA & Auckland)
- Virtual exchange in process and under evaluation (Lund, Nottingham, NUS, Birmingham & Auckland)

## Clinical Education Models

- Survey shows variability and local context (e.g. instruction ratios)
- Moving toward analysis of how various funding models drive options
- Non-traditional options (nurse-led clinics, mobile nursing services)
- Simulation & preceptorship innovations