# Process Improvement Charter: Development of a Mentor Program for Nurses

## **Project Information**

#### Leadership

# Executive Steering Committee:

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#### Project Sponsor(s):

- •Anne Swallow, DNP, Director of Education
- •Priscilla Sterne, DNP, Magnet program Director

## Participant/Process Representatives

#### Process Owner(s):

· Barbara Flanagan, MSN,RN,CNL

#### Team Members (.):

- Erin Brady, RN, CEN
- •Mary Jacobs, BSN, RN
- •Helen Brugger, BSN,RN,CRN
- ·Jennifer Trocora, APRN
- Normadene DeVene, BSN,RN
- •Denise Scherer, DNP,MHA,RN,CNOR
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### **Process Purpose**

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To increase job satisfaction and retention while contributing to the personal and professional development of Greenwich Hospital nurses

through informed, nurturing

and supportive relationships

### Problems/Case for Change

 Greenwich Hospital does not currently have a mentoring program, Our nurses have expressed a desire to both mentor and to be mentored

#### Mentoring relationships produce

- A sense of belonging,
- · Career optimism
- · Improved competence,
- · Professional growth,
- Security
- Leadership readiness.
- · Improved job satisfaction
- Improved retention.

## Project Goals

#### Goals/Key Measures:

- Develop supportive and encouraging relationships among nurses in all stages of their career
- Provide guidance to nurses in their professional, personal and interpersonal lives
- To provide mentors with information on "How to Mentor" based on best evidence
- Define structure of the Mentoring Process at Greenwich Hospital

## Process Scope: Start/Stop

#### Start:

· September, 2018

#### End:

· ongoing

#### Process Scope: In/Out

#### In Scope:

- · All Nurse Residents
- · All interested nurses

#### Out of Scope:

· Nursing assistants- to be added at later date

### **Project Time Frame**

#### Milestone/Date

## Follow-up:

- ~30 day follow-up / Oct 10, 2018
- ~60 day follow-up / Nov 14, 2018
- ~90 day follow-up / Dec 12,2018

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## Mentor

Location: Chickahominy Recorder: Barbara Flanagan Date: 9/12/2018

Time: 9a to 10am

Agenda	Presenter	Discussion	Follow up
Welcome & Introductions	all	Group all introduced themselves and discussed their perspective on the benefits of bringing a mentorship program to Greenwich Hospital	
Project Charter	all	Project Charter reviewed and group gave input. (See attached). We focused our discussion on the Purpose and Goals of a Mentoring Program and on how to structure the program at Greenwich.  Many questions and previous experiences with mentoring were shared. Decision was made to meet monthly on the 2nd Wednesday of the month from 9a to 10am as we get this project up and running	Dragowickien to
		Normadene Devane. Attending the meeting as part of her graduate work. Normadene will research and present to the group what topics mentors should be educated on in order to help them succeed.	Presentation to group on mentor training

## 9/12/2018

Mentor Program Kickoff Meeting

Attendance