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RAK COLLEGE OF NURSING
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NPT7302 PROFESSIONAL ISSUES AND TRENDS IN NURSING ASSIGNMENT

A. **Description.** One of the requirements of this course is to complete **two (2)** assignments and this assignment is the second. Please keep the following expectations in mind:

1. Each assignment is worth 100 points.
2. Read instructions carefully and complete all aspects of the assignments.
3. Be thorough and complete in your work.
4. The assignment was developed to correspond to chapters/topics we will be studying throughout the term. You must submit your work by the deadlines designated in your syllabus and on the assignment sheet. No late assignments will be accepted.
5. All written assignments must be typed and double-spaced.
6. Please use APA rules of citation.
7. The deadline for submission is on 1 April 2023.
8. You can only submit through the TURNITIN Portal. An ideal similarity index for submission is 30% or below.
9. To submit, you may log in to the Turnitin site using your university credentials:
   https://www.turnitin.com/login_page.asp?err=3400&lang=en_us
10. When you log in successfully, use the following credentials to join my class and submit:
    Class ID: 37742981
    Enrollment key: NPT7302A2

B. **Purpose***:* This assignment is related to your class in the Current Issues and Trends in Nursing.

C. **Type/Length of activity:** Formal Essay

D. **Instruction**. *"Identify and discuss ate three (3) current issues or trends in nursing in the United Arab Emirates."*

E. ASSIGNMENT FORMAT:

1. A paper at least 4 pages long, not including any reference section
2. The paper must contain the following sections:

    - Introduction
    - Discussion
    - Conclusion
    - References

3. Typed and double-spaced, with Arial (10-point font) or Times New Roman (11 or 12-point font) and 1-inch margins
4. Proofread for spelling and grammatical errors
5. Provide in-text citations and reference any of your sources using APA format

F. HOW WILL YOUR ASSIGNMENTS BE GRADED. Please find the marking rubric below:

PARTICULARS	INSTRUCTION	MARKS
1. Originality	The assignment must be original. It must pass through a plagiarism check. The acceptable standard is a 30% similarity index	30
2. Assignment Title	Select a topic for your discussion	5
3. Introduction	It must contain the relevance of the assignment with the course.	15
4. Discussion	Discuss the main points. This part must contain 1500 – 2500 words	40
5. Conclusion	It must contain a summary and recommendations. This part must contain 100-200 words.	10
TOTAL		**100**

Assignment Checklist

Before you turn in any written work, be sure you ask yourself the following:

❐ When is it due? _____

❐ Is it typed and double-spaced?

❐ Did I answer all of the questions?

❐ Are my answers complete and thorough?

❐ Did I explain answers in my own words and avoid copying text from my textbook or other sources?

❐ If I needed to take information directly from another source, did I use quotation marks and cite my source (including the textbook), by indicating the author, publication date, and page number?

❐ When I provide my opinion, belief, or idea about something, did I also explain why and support my answer?

❐ Is my work proofread and free from grammatical errors?

❐ Do I understand what I wrote?

❐ If someone who did not know much about the topic I am writing about, understand it better after reading my paper?

❐ Have I printed extra copy?

❐ Do I have a backup copy saved?