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TO: North Carolina Nurse Aide I Training Programs

FROM: Jana Busick, Section Chief  
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SUBJECT: 2024 Nurse Aide I State-Approved Curriculum

The North Carolina Division of Health Service Regulation (DHSR) is pleased to announce the availability of the new Nurse Aide I state-approved curriculum.

The Education Consultants and I would like to thank each training program that provided recommendations on improving the curriculum over the past few years.

Below is a brief summary of the changes included in the new curriculum.

- **Activities and Teaching Tips** – newly created or have been revised to align with the current healthcare environment.
- **Module H** – an alternative teaching method has been created if the Instructor prefers facilitation rather than using the traditional PowerPoint presentation.
- **Module Z** – identifies how the threads of care can be incorporated throughout the curriculum by including skill names and numbers directly from Appendix A.
- **Module AA** – measurement information was removed and added to modules H and J.
- **Reduced Redundancy** – information is not restated throughout the modules.

DHSR is requiring that all training programs transition to the new curriculum by February 1, 2025.

The new curriculum is available on the DHSR Health Care Personnel Education and Credentialing (HCPEC) Section's website at <https://info.ncdhhs.gov/dhsr/hcpr/nat.html>.

Please contact your [Education Consultant](#) with questions or concerns.

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