VN - MAJOR CURRICULUM CONCEPTS/SUBCONCEPTS

1. Quality, Safe, Evidence-Based Patient-Centered Care
   • Evidence-based practice (EBP)
   • Safety (clinical competency)
   • Nursing process
   • Patient education
   • Diversity
   • Advocacy
   • Patient-centered care

2. Professionalism
   • Ethical behavior
   • Standards of practice/legal principles
   • Accountability
   • Role socialization
   • Professional boundaries

3. Leadership
   • Coordination of care
   • Delegation/supervision
   • Quality improvement

4. Caring
   • Relationship-centered care
   • Collegiality
   • Cultural sensitivity
   • Spirituality

5. Collaboration/Communication
   • Inter/intra professional communication skills
   • Conflict resolution
   • Documentation

6. Critical Thinking
   • Clinical reasoning/decision making
   • Clinical judgment

7. Informatics
   • Patient care technologies
   • Technology and information systems
   • Computer skills

* NCLEX categories and subcategories are integrated throughout each major curriculum concept as appropriate.