Form: Program Plan
For Information Literacy

- • *To be completed by each Major Program. See the Undergraduate Catalog for a list of Major Programs.*
- • *Plans must be approved by the School/College*
- • *Plans are not approved by GEOC but are archived by GEOC for future oversight.*
- • *Return the completed form by e-mail to GEOC at geoc@uconn.edu no later than Oct. 15, 2004 AFTER approval by the School/College)*
- • *Submit revised catalog copy for major requirements to marianne.buck@uconn.edu by Nov. 1, 2004.*

Major Program   Nursing

Briefly describe how Information Literacy will be taught within your major program. List courses in which these skills will be embedded.

Nursing Research, NURS 213W, will include electronic literature searches with databases relevant for nursing (i.e. CINAHL, PubMed); electronic and manual retrieval of published research; synthesis and evaluation of multiple research manuscripts; and discussion of ways to apply the findings to enhance nursing practice.

Public Health, NURS 270, will include accessing, comprehending, and conducting secondary analysis with electronic state or federal public health databases, and drawing accurate conclusions from the analysis for populations needs assessment.

Nursing Science for the Adult, NURS 218 or 219, will include searching the internet for accurate health education resources relevant for consumer education, and evaluating web sites.

Capstone Practicum, NURS 289 will include a literature search and creation of an electronic presentation teaching healthcare colleagues about evidence based practice (e.g. practice based guidelines).

Are all these courses required of your students? If not, how will you assure that all students attain the exit expectations for Information Literacy. All of the above courses are required.

Date of Approval by Faculty or Appropriate Faculty Committee   10/4/04

Date of Approval by School/College C&C Committee   10/4/04

Major Program contact person   10/4/04

Date Submitted to GEOC   10/4/04