

Inclement Weather Procedure

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I. Purpose: To provide guidance to learners and partnering agency faculty in the event inclement weather affects a scheduled simulation experience.

II. Procedure:

1. Radford University Cook Hall Clinical Simulation Center (CSC):

a. The Radford CSC will follow Radford University (RU) closings and delays.

b. Wytheville Community College and New River Community College learners follow their School of Nursing (SON) closings and delays.

NOTE: If the learner's SON is open and RU is closed, the CSC is closed.

c. See delayed schedule in #3 for hospital-based and bootcamp sessions.

d. Standardized patient sessions will be cancelled during delayed schedule

2. For Radford University Roanoke Higher Education Center (RHEC):

a. The Roanoke CSC will follow the Roanoke Higher Education Center (RHEC) closings and delays.

b. The Roanoke CSC will follow Radford University closing and delays.

c. Jefferson College of Health Sciences/Radford University Carilion and Patrick Henry Community College learners follow their School of Nursing (SON) closings and delays.

NOTE: If the learner's SON is open and RU or RHEC is closed, the CSC is closed.

d. See delayed schedule in #3 for hospital-based and bootcamp sessions.

e. Standardized patient sessions will be cancelled during delayed schedule

3. One/Two Hour Delayed opening schedule for Hospital Based Simulations and Boot-camps:

a. Morning session (am): Afternoon session (pm)

On-time: 0745 – 1100

On-time: 1145 – 1500

1 Hour Delay: 0845 – 1200

1 Hour Delay: 1215 – 1530

2 Hour Delay: 0945 – 1300

2 Hour Delay: 1315 – 1630

4. Rescheduling – The CSC will make every attempt to reschedule sessions based on scheduling availability.

a. Reschedule of hospital based simulations or boot-camps simulations will be done by CSC educator and SON faculty.

- b. Rescheduling standardized patient simulations will be done by CSC administrator and SON faculty.