

SON Diversity & Inclusion Statement (September 22nd, 2015)

By 2020, the university will be a model campus community where all students, faculty and staff feel appreciated, respected, connected, valued and engaged with the larger life of the campus and beyond (UMass Lowell Strategic Plan 2020, July 2015).

Inclusivity is a key value within the culture of the School of Nursing. We are therefore focused on fostering an environment that values the unique contribution of each member of our community.

This commitment to inclusivity requires that we appreciate and respect our varying backgrounds and viewpoints.

We are committed to recognize the intrinsic importance of each person's role and appreciate every individual's contribution to meeting the School of Nursing Philosophy, Mission, Vision & Goals.

We commit to treating one another with high regard and respect.

We are dedicated to performing our jobs in a courteous and professional manner.

We are committed to maintaining integrity and courtesy in our dealings with fellow members of the School of Nursing, College, University and community at large.

Communication, cooperation and teamwork are key to achieve our goal to foster a community that respects each individual's worth and rights.