

## Passionate Preceptees Pow Wow

I hope that you all enjoyed the study day last week. I have read your evaluations and have taken on board all your comments. The feedback certainly helps me to hopefully make the next study day better although it can be hard to know how interesting the speakers will be and how they will present.



You will be well settled into your placements by now. You may be in the "Reality Shock" phase now. How are you coping?

I hope that if you are having any problems that will come and see me to talk about it. We don't want little problems turning into big ones!!!

Just a very friendly reminder to you all that your first Appraisal needs to be completed by the middle of May as it will be 3mths since you started please make sure that you have organised this with your preceptor and your Nurse unit manager or equivalent to do this as it can take some time.

They will advise you of the documentation that need to be completed and these forms can be down loaded from the Intranet. It is important that you complete your self assessment prior to meeting with your nurse unit manager or equivalent. Your preceptor will be able to guide you through this process but if you have any difficulties please do not hesitate to contact me as I have had to do a few myself. (See appendix 3 handbook)



How are you getting on with your Exemplars (reflective practice) the 1st is due to be handed in at our next study day on the 15<sup>th</sup> of May. Hopefully by now you will have done some work on this. Feel free to come and see me if you are having any difficulties and these can be discussed.



FINALLY.....development sessions

Don't forget to send in copies of your completed paperwork that is my evidence of your development sessions for nursing council and I am still waiting on a few.

With grateful thanks for all your hard work - Jane