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Using feedback to promote learning at college of health sciences: Nursing student and faculty perspectives

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Providing learners with a feedback is an essential component of the assessment in any teaching learning process. It is a powerful mechanism for enhancing students' learning skills and motivation. The aim of this study is to investigate the students and faculty's perception of the usefulness of feedback, and to assess the quality of the given feedback on students' performance. One hundred and six nursing students and all faculty teaching in BSN program participated in this study by filling in a questionnaire consisting of 17 items. Three major aspects related to feedback were examined: quality of feedback, improvement of performance based on the provided feedback, and need for feedback. The results revealed that students strongly believe that feedback improve their learning skills as well as their performance in the course. In addition, the majority of them agreed that they need feedback to revise for exams and to improve their grades and the experienced faculty see the feedback in more essential than others. In conclusion, the study indicated that faculty and students perceived feedback as an important factor in the quality of education.

What will the audience take away from your presentation?

- The value of giving feedback to students
- This will help the nursing educators to improve the quality of nursing education hence; this will improve the nursing outcomes in a design problem.

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