



## 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 Main Campus Cook Hall site:
    - a. The Radford JBCSC will follow Radford University (RU) closings and delays.
    - b. 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 JBCSC is closed.*
  
  2. Roanoke Higher Education Center (RHEC) site:
    - a. The Roanoke JBCSC will follow Radford University closing and delays.
    - b. The Roanoke JBCSC will also follow the Roanoke Higher Education Center (RHEC) closings and delays if Radford University is open.
    - c. 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 JBCSC is closed.*
  
  3. Cook Hall and RHEC Simulation Session Schedules:
    - a. For hospital-based simulation sessions, see delayed schedule in #4 below.
    - b. Mental health sessions:
      - i. Rotation 1: Behavioral Health Unit sessions: will be cancelled during delayed schedule.
      - ii. Rotation 2: Acute care, Hospital-based sessions: follows #4 below.
    - c. Geriatric Simulation sessions:
      - i. Gero III(Cook): will be cancelled during delayed schedule.
      - ii. Gero Combo(RHEC): follows delayed schedule in #4 below.
    - d. Graduate Level Simulation Sessions: Sessions cancelled during delayed schedule.
  
  4. Hospital-Based Simulation Sessions One/Two Hour Delayed opening schedule:
    - a. 

<u>Morning session (am):</u>	<u>Afternoon session (pm)</u>
On-time: 0800 – 1130	On-time: 1200 – 1530
Delay up until noon: cancelled	On-time: 1200 – 1530

5. Rescheduling – The JBCSC will make every attempt to reschedule sessions based on scheduling availability. *Make-up sessions are not guaranteed. Sessions cannot be placed on “hold” or reserved for possible make-ups before all simulation requests fulfilled in all courses.*
  - a. Rescheduling of hospital-based simulations will be done by JBCSC educator and SON or CON faculty.
  - b. Rescheduling of standardized patient simulations will be done by JBCSC administrator and SON or CON faculty.