



the  
RRANN  
Mentor  
Program

Protégé Information

## The Program

The RRANN Mentor Program provides academic and personal support for pre-nursing students whose goal it is to become professional nurses. Pre-nursing students (protéges) are paired with an experienced nursing student (mentor) willing to invest time, energy and interest in the support of a pre-nursing student.

## The Benefits

- Opportunity to connect with a student who has been accepted into the nursing major.
- Have a point of contact within the School of Nursing
- Connect with a role model and source of encouragement.
- Become involved in a collaborative relationship.
- Practice networking skills.

## Responsibilities

*The protégé agrees to:*

- Commit to a year long relationship.
- Respond to contacts made by the mentor.
- Provide feedback to the Project RRANN Coordinator.

*The mentor agrees to:*

- Commit to a year long relationship.
- Initiate contact with student within a week of assignment. Three attempts are to be made.
- Schedule a person-to-person contact.
- Follow-up phone calls and email contacts, starting on a weekly basis.
- Email monthly update to the Project RRANN Coordinator.

## For More Information

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