ATTITUDES & FEELINGS ABOUT THE LIBRARY

1. How frequently did you go to your school library while you were doing your nursing program?

   ____ Never
   ____ 1-3 times a semester
   ____ Once a month
   ____ Once a week
   ____ More than once a week

2. How frequently did you use your school library resources from a computer either at home or at school while you were doing your nursing program?

   ____ Never
   ____ 1-3 times a semester
   ____ Once a month
   ____ Once a week
   ____ More than once a week

3. Why did you go to or use online resources from your school library? Choose all that apply

   ____ Research for class
   ____ Preparation for class project
   ____ Study for exam
   ____ Look up drug info, lab value or other specific measurement
   ____ Extra reading
   ____ Other __________________________________________

4. What kinds of things did you use at or from your school library? Choose all that apply

   ____ Textbooks
   ____ Encyclopedia
   ____ Journals/ magazines
   ____ Drug reference book
   ____ Instructional videos
   ____ Other  __________________________________________

5. What features did you like about your school library? Choose all that apply

   ____ Helpful librarians
   ____ Good study space
   ____ Good place to meet friends
   ____ Always found what was needed
   ____ Good computers
   ____ Other  __________________________________________
6. What features did you not like about your school library? Choose all that apply

____ Didn’t have what you needed
____ Couldn’t find what you needed
____ Hours limited
____ Computers not adequate
____ Unhelpful librarian
____ Too crowded or noisy
____ Not cool to go to library
____ Other __________

7. What features of a library are most important to you? Choose all that apply

____ Have books and journals you need
____ Have computer resources you need
____ Have tutorials to help you find and use information without having to ask for help
____ Help from librarian to find things you need
____ Have adequate computers
____ To be open all the time
____ To be a comfortable place to research and study
____ Other __________________________________________

8. How would you rate yourself as a user of online resources from the library at your school?

____ Expert : I always know where to look and get what I need; I never need any help
____ Comfortable: I usually know where to look and get what I need and I’m not afraid of the process
____ Challenged : It sometimes takes me awhile but I can find what I need most of the time if I don’t give up
____ Suffering : I get easily frustrated and settle for less-than-optimal information because I can’t find the good stuff
____ Clueless: I really have no idea how to look for information

9. How would you rate yourself as a user of print resources from your school library?

____ Expert
____ Comfortable
____ Challenged
____ Suffering
____ Clueless
10. How would you rate yourself on being able to find information from the Internet?

_____ Expert
_____ Comfortable
_____ Challenged
_____ Suffering
_____ Clueless

11. In general when you need to know something, how do you find the information?  
*Choose all that apply*

_____ Ask a friend or other student
_____ Ask a relative or "respected adult"
_____ Ask a librarian
_____ Look in a book or directory
_____ Surf the Internet
_____ Other ________________________________

12. If you can’t find information you need, what do you do?  *Choose all that apply*

_____ Ask a friend or other student
_____ Ask a librarian
_____ Try looking in a different place
_____ Change your topic to fit the information that you did find
_____ Be satisfied with what you found and hope somebody else found the info you really need
_____ Give up and go home

_____ Other ________________________________