

Promoting Excellence Through Multimodal Pediatric Cultural Humility Education in Accelerated BSN Student Curriculum

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What We Learned

- Multimodal cultural humility education increases students' perceptions of their knowledge and practical skills when caring for clients with differing cultural backgrounds.
- > Student scores for select TSET Affective Subscale items suggest further education is needed to enhance students' affective skills.

Background/Purpose

- ➤ Increasingly culturally diverse children and families live in Wisconsin
- Multimodal cultural humility education is an effective strategy to address health inequity and is lacking within nursing programs
- There is a gap in pediatric-specific cultural humility education at the University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Nursing, UW-Madison SoN, identified as an area of interest by the organization for further education
- ➤ The purpose of this project was to evaluate the effectiveness of research-based multimodal cultural humility education for accelerated BSN students at the UW-Madison SoN

Methods

Setting: A state-of-the-art undergraduate nursing school in Wisconsin

Students: 42 accelerated BSN students were enrolled and completed the education

Cultural humility multimodal education:

- 1) Online recorded pre-learning video
- 2) Simulation
- 3) Debrief with future application

Measures: The validated Jeffreys' Transcultural Self-Efficacy Tool (TSET) and the Simulation Effectiveness Tool-Modified (SET-M)

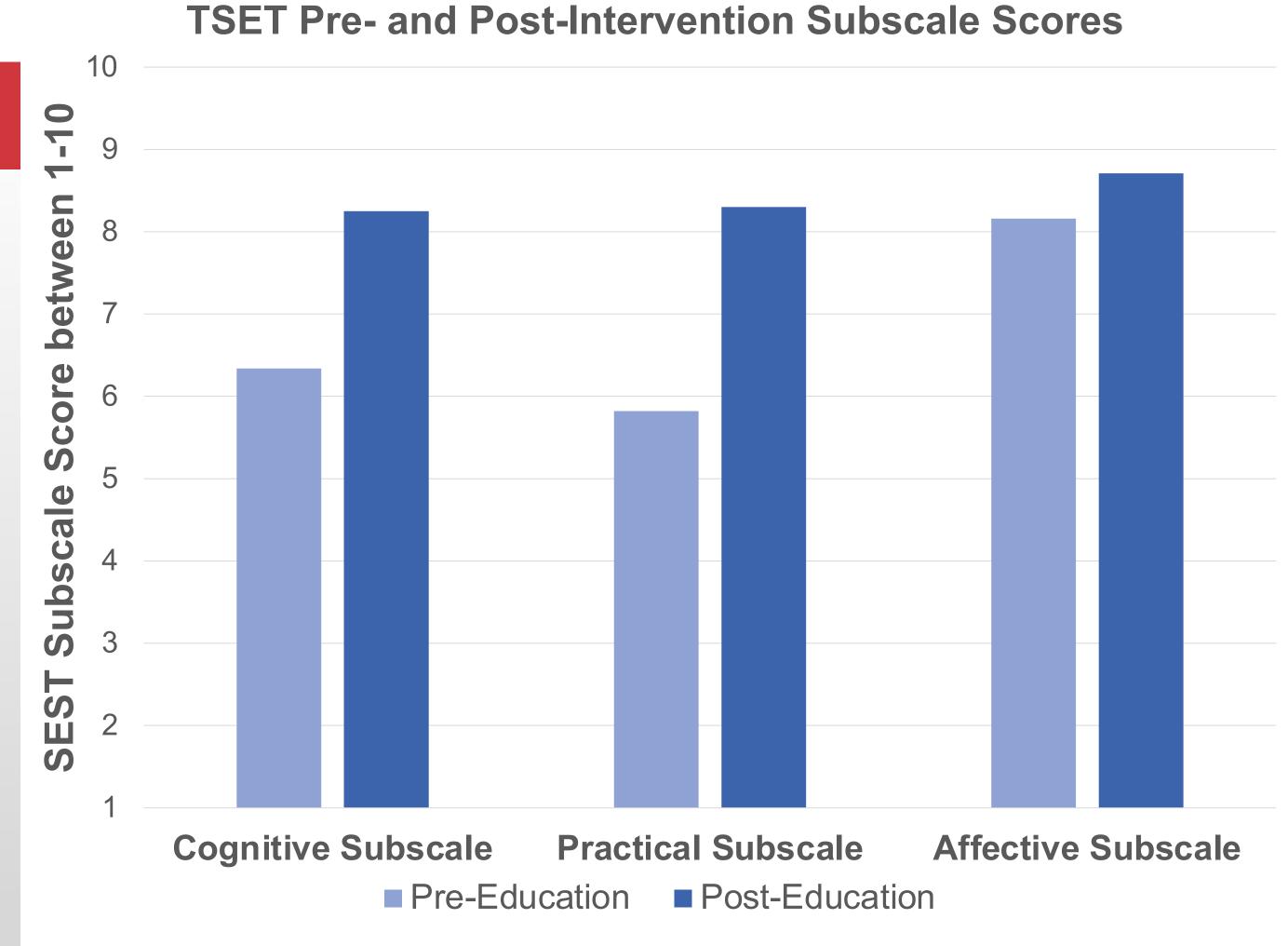
Analyses:

- ➤ TSET and SET-M scores were analyzed using descriptive statistics
- Wilcoxon Signed-Rank test was used to compare pre- and post-TSET scores
- > Field notes were evaluated for themes

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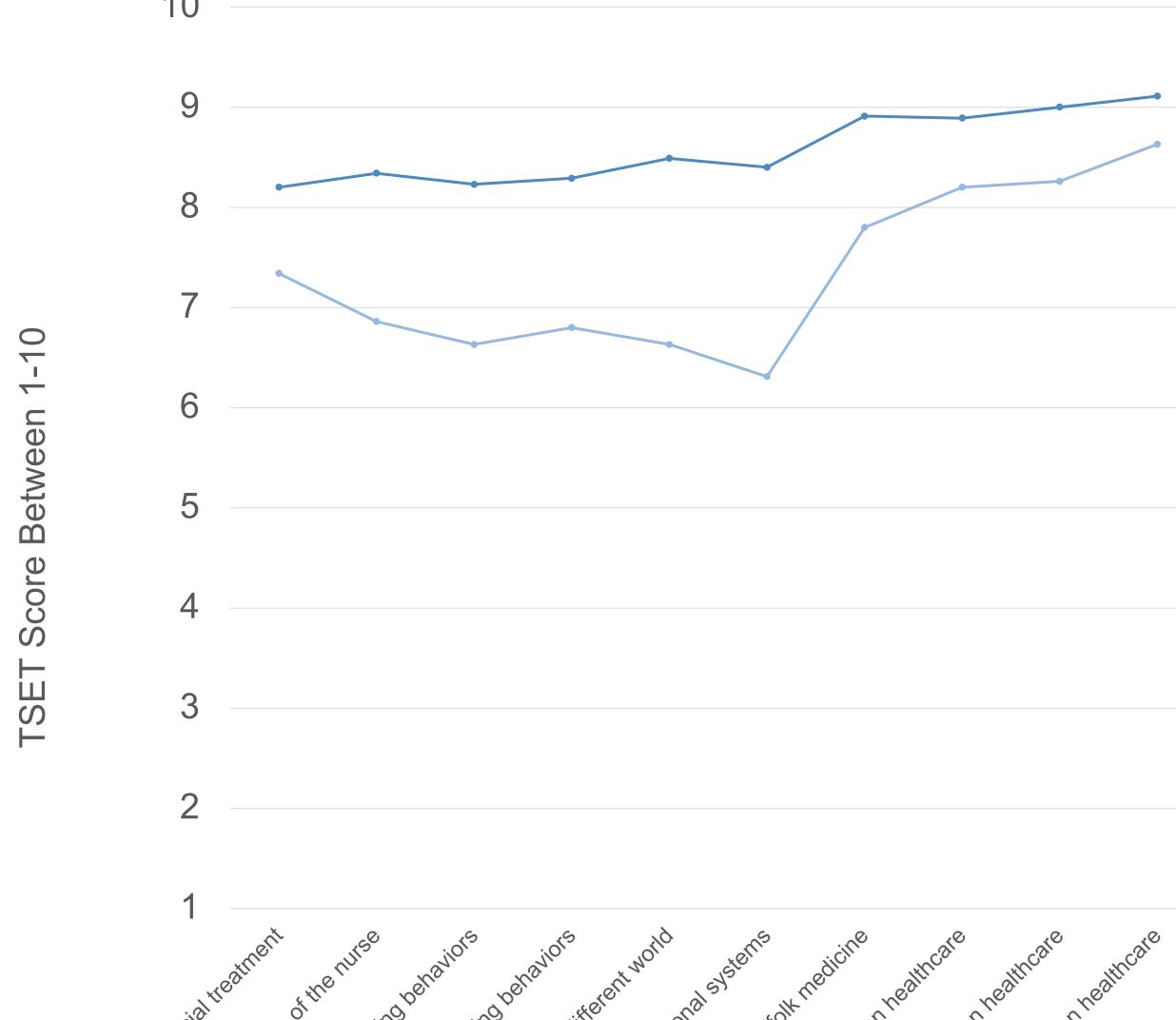
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"Great experience and I feel more comfortable working with patients from different backgrounds"

"Very useful experience! I feel like I learned a lot and I'm better prepared to be an advocate for my patient!"

Select Affective TSET Subscale Items





Affective Subscale Questions regarding Degree of Confidence among Clients of Different Cultural Backgrounds

Results

SET-M Data (N=41 students)

- ➤ 81% strongly agreed the simulation prebriefing was beneficial to learning
- 86% strongly agreed they are more confident communicating with patients after the simulation
- > 98% strongly agreed the simulation debriefing contributed to their learning

TSET Pre- and Post-Data (N=37 students with matched responses)

- Cognitive and practical subscale scores showed a statistically significant increase post-education
- Student scores for TSET affective subscale were higher than the cognitive and practical subscales at baseline
- The affective subscale items with the lowest scores pre-education were related to awareness and recognition of healthcare roles and values for clients of differing backgrounds
 - This multimodal education resulted in significant improvement in these items of the affective subscales

Field Notes

➤ 100% of the nursing students identified relevant cultural needs of the child and family in the simulation scenario

Discussion

- Multimodal cultural humility education was effective at increasing all cognitive and practical subscales, consistent with learners' educational training at the BSN level
- Our project results are consistent with other studies evaluating educational interventions to improve transcultural nursing
- ➤ Longitudinal data is needed to evaluate the retention and application of knowledge and skills over time
- Multimodal education should be expanded to all undergraduate nursing students
- Further work is needed to develop a scalable multimodal educational program that can be tailored to different nursing program sizes

References/Resources

