Checklist for creating psychologically safer Sim-IPE debriefs for health discipline students

These are the ideal conditions however we acknowledge that constraints occur with resource availability and access across different contexts. This is a working document and will continue to be developed over time.

Design phase

ltem	Description	Yes	No	N/A
Learning	Backwards designed and focused upon			
outcomes	interprofessional education and patient-centered care			
	Purpose and expectations stated in promotion,			
	registration and event reminders to students			
Timing	Allocated time for debriefs is equal to that of scenario			
Modality	Face-to-face			
Voluntary	Attendance is optional			
participation	This been clearly communicated to students			
Physical	Calming lighting			
environment	Circular seating with nobody at a designated 'head'			
	Non-clinical space			
	Adequate spacing between tables/groups			
Group design	6–8 students per group with 1-2 facilitators			
	Mix of disciplines in each group e.g., 1 x nurse, 1 x			
	occupational therapist, 1 x social worker, 1 x			
	physiotherapist, 1x medical student			
	Inform students prior that groups will be mixed			
Facilitator prep	Pre-briefing			
	Facilitator guide provided			
Representation	Diversity of disciplines			
	Diversity of year levels			

Facilitation phase

Item	Description	Yes	No	N/A
Registration	Student guide provided at arrival			
	Name and discipline labels worn (incl. facilitator)			
Setting the	Acknowledgement of country and introduction			
scene	Describe the purpose of interprofessional			
	collaboration			
	Warm-in (i.e. icebreaker)			
Facilitator	Introductions amongst group			
behaviours	Acknowledge and respect each student's discipline-			
	specific knowledge			
	Encourage equal contributions and vulnerability			
	Normalise uncertainty and mistakes as part of learning			
	Framing all contributions as valid			
	Encourage student-led discussion and exploration			
	Use of verbal and non-verbal communication			

	Intentional questioning, open questions, and prompts		
Wrap-up	Whole group reflection to end day, with discussion on		
	how learnings can impact their future clinical practice		

Evaluation phase

Item	Description	Yes	No	N/A
Feedback	Collect student feedback at end-of day via online or			
	written evaluation form centered on learning outcomes			
Email students	Email sent to all students as thank you for attending,			
	reminder of evaluation, and encouraging to continue			
	reflecting on content and impact for their practice			
De-brief	All facilitators meet for a group de-brief within a week			
facilitators				

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