

*Going the Distance: A Recipe for Success*  
Primer for Distance Education Program Delivery  
(Document will be included as Handout at Workshop)

- The Primer includes the “recipe” for unlocking the secrets regarding the most frequently asked questions (FAQ’s) that come to UMass, Amherst SON via telephone, emails, and in-person query.
- Special topics highlighted in detail in the Primer are:
  - 1) Curriculum Revision and Delivery of common foundation core content across degree programs with an exemplar outlining how we actualize informatics and biostatistics content,
  - 2) How the Public Health Nurse Leader role concentration unfolds online,
  - 3) Advising online students from entry through capstone emphasizing advancing advising to the level of mentoring,
  - 4) Establishing DE practicum sites and recruitment and maintenance of qualified preceptors, and
  - 5) A step-by-step, how-to guide for accomplishing the enormous task of completing states’ authorization requirements.