



COURSE OUTLINE: BSCN2084 - NURS PRAXIS CARE III

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Course Code: Title	BSCN2084: NURSING PRAXIS PROFESSIONAL CARING III
Program Number: Name	3400: COLLAB BSCN
Department:	BSCN - NURSING
Semesters/Terms:	18F
Course Description:	This course focuses on the application of integrated pharmacological knowledge and interventions within nursing process. Opportunities are provided to develop caring practice with patients experiencing health challenges. Learners are required to integrate new and prior learning. (lec/sem 3, lab 3, 108 hr exp)
Total Credits:	4
Hours/Week:	16
Total Hours:	180
Prerequisites:	BIOL2105, BSCN1007, BSCN1094, BSCN1207
Corequisites:	There are no co-requisites for this course.
Substitutes:	NURS2184
This course is a pre-requisite for:	BSCN2057, BSCN2107, BSCN2144
Course Evaluation:	Passing Grade: 60%,
Other Course Evaluation & Assessment Requirements:	<p>Medication Test: Students must earn 80% or higher on this test to receive a passing/satisfactory grade in the course.</p> <p>Laboratory: Students must attend their scheduled lab section and attend/participate in all aspects of the lab learning experience to receive a passing/satisfactory grade in the course.</p> <p>Clinical Performance: Students must complete all clinical hours and be evaluated as satisfactory by the clinical teacher.</p> <p>Clinical Portfolio: Students must complete all elements of the clinical portfolio and submit elements to the clinical teacher and be satisfactory in all elements to receive a passing/satisfactory grade in the course.</p>
Books and Required Resources:	<p>Lehne`s Pharmacology for Nursing Care by Burchum J. & Rosenthal, L.D Publisher: Elsevier Edition: 10th ISBN: 9780323512275</p> <p>Calculate With Confidence, Canadian Edition by Gray Morris, D. & Brown, M Publisher: Elsevier Edition: 1st ISBN: 9781771720656</p> <p>Davis Canadian Drug Guide for Nurses, 15th Edition by Vallerand, A.H. & Sanoski, C.A Publisher: FA Davis Edition: 15th</p>



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Ends in View and Processes:

Ends in View	Process
<p>Upon completion of the course, the learner will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Describe and explain basic principles, concepts and processes of pharmacology.2. Demonstrate knowledge and safe administration of anti-infective drugs and drugs affecting the nervous system, endocrine system, gastrointestinal system, respiratory system, cardiovascular system and urinary system.3. Use pharmacological terms orally and in nursing documentation to communicate nursing therapeutics and client status.4. Use the nursing process to demonstrate professional and safe nursing care for persons experiencing episodic health challenges.5. Demonstrate therapeutic interviewing and assessment skills.6. Demonstrate knowledge, application and evaluation of nursing therapeutics that include medication administration (oral, topical, parenteral, enteral and intravenous), wound care, oxygen therapy, enteral therapy and urinary catheterization.7. Promote safe, supportive health environments for persons experiencing episodic health challenges.	<p>Learning will be facilitated through the use of classroom presentations, discussion and laboratory learning activities. Learners will be provided with clinical opportunities to apply content gained from preparatory readings, classroom discussion, and laboratory activities. Integration of content from NURS 2184 and previous and current nursing and science courses will demonstrate how nurses use knowledge of the nursing process, pharmacology, and nursing therapeutics to guide client care and inform nursing judgment for patients experiencing episodic health challenges.</p>



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Evaluation Process and Grading System:			
	Evaluation Type	Evaluation Weight	Course Outcome Assessed
	Client Profile Assignment	20%	
	Final Exam	40%	
	Midterm Test	30%	
	Scenario Testing	10%	
Date:	July 18, 2018		
	Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.		