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Course Code: Title	PSW118: BODY STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION II		
Program Number: Name	3027: PERSONAL SUPPORT WKR		
Department:	PERSONAL SUPPORT WORKER		
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Semester/Term:	18W		
Course Description:	This course is a continuation of Body Structure and Function I (PSW108) in which the learner will examine the remaining body systems and how they maintain homeostasis. The learner will identify the basic structures and functions of the endocrine, circulatory, lymphatic, immune, respiratory, digestive, and urinary systems. Reproduction and human growth and development will also be studied.		
Total Credits:	3		
Hours/Week:	3		
Total Hours:	45		
Prerequisites:	PSW108		
Essential Employability Skills (EES):	#1. Communicate clearly, concisely and correctly in the written, spoken, and visual form that fulfills the purpose and meets the needs of the audience.  #2. Respond to written, spoken, or visual messages in a manner that ensures effective communication.  #6. Locate, select, organize, and document information using appropriate technology and information systems.  #7. Analyze, evaluate, and apply relevant information from a variety of sources.		
Course Evaluation:	Passing Grade: 60%,		
Evaluation Process and Grading System:	Evaluation Type	Evaluation Weight	
	Quizzes/Assignments	20%	
	Written Tests	80%	
Books and Required Resources:	D2L by Sault College Learning Management System  The human body in health and illness (5th Ed) by Herlihy, Barbara ISBN: 978-1-4557-7234-6		

## Course Outcomes and Learning Objectives:

## Course Outcome 1.

Identify the basic structures, functions, and age related changes of the endocrine, circulatory, lymphatic, immune, respiratory, digestive, urinary, and reproductive systems.

# Learning Objectives 1.

## a. Endocrine System

• List the functions of the endocrine system

• Define hormone

• Identify the major endocrine glands and their hormones

• Describe age related changes of the endocrine system

## b. Circulatory System

#### Blood

• List three functions of blood

• Describe the composition of blood

• Describe the three types of blood cells and their function

• Explain the breakdown of red blood cells and the formation of bilirubin

• Identify the four blood types

• Explain Rh factor

#### Heart

• Describe the location of the heart and its function

• Name the three layers and coving of the heart

• Identity the four chambers and four valves of the heart and their function

• Trace the flow of blood through the heart

• List the blood vessels that move blood to and from the heart

• Define pulse, blood pressure, systole and diastole

• Describe age related changes to the heart

### **Blood Vessels**

• Describe the structure and function of arteries, capillaries and veins

• Describe the factors that determine blood pressure

• Describe edema formation

## c. Lymphatic and Immune Systems

• Locate, identify, and label lymphoid organs and tissues and describe their functions

• Differentiate between specific and nonspecific immunity

• Describe the process of phagocytosis

• Explain the causes of the signs of inflammation

• Explain the role of fever in fighting infection

• Differentiate between genetic immunity and acquired immunity

• Differentiate naturally and artificially acquired active and passive immunity

• Identify the steps in the development of anaphylaxis

## d. Respiratory System

• Locate, identify, and label structures of the respiratory system and describe their functions

• Describe the mechanism of breathing

• Explain how breathing is controlled

• Trace the movement of air from the nostrils to the alveoli

• Describe the role of pulmonary surfactants

• List three conditions that make the alveoli well suited for the exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide

e. Digestive System and Metabolism • Locate, identify, and label structures of the digestive system and describe their functions • Define digestion and absorption • Compare mechanical and chemical digestion • Describe the role of digestive enzymes • Describe the role of bile in the digestion of fats • Describe five categories of nutrients f. Urinary System • Locate, identify, and label structures of the urinary system and describe their functions • Identify the specific structures of the kidney and their basic functions • Describe the blood supply of the kidney • Explain the three processes involved in the formation of urine • List the normal constituents of urine Water, Electrolyte and Acid-Based Imbalance • Describe the two main fluid compartments • Define intake and output g. Reproductive System and Human Development • Locate, identify, and label structures of the male reproductive system and describe their functions • Locate, identify, and label structures of the female reproductive system and describe their functions • Explain the hormonal control of reproduction in males and females • Describe the process of fertilization • State two functions of the placenta • Identify hormonal changes during pregnancy and labour • Describe the stages of labour • Describe stages of prenatal and postnatal development Date: Thursday, January 25, 2018 Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.