

# MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

## COURSE OUTLINE

**DEPT. NURS**

**COURSE NUMBER: 2150**

**NUMBER OF CREDITS: 2**

**Lecture: 0 Lab: 2 OJT: 0**

<b>Course Title:</b>
Skills Lab

<b>Catalog Description:</b>
Skills Lab assists the student in developing safe, evidence based nursing skills. Delegated medical functions as well as physical and psychosocial assessment of adults and children are practiced. Safety in medication dosage and medication administration is practiced. Simulation will be used to integrate skills in preparation for the acute care clinical environment.

<b>Prerequisites or Necessary Entry Skills/Knowledge:</b>
Admission to Associate in Science (AS) Nursing Program

**FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S) (*Leave blank if not applicable*)**

- ☐ Goal 1: Communication: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 2: Critical Thinking: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 3: Natural Sciences: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 4: Mathematics/Logical Reasoning: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 5: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 6: The Humanities and Fine Arts: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 7: Human Diversity: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 8: Global Perspective: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 9: Ethical and Civic Responsibility: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 10: People and the Environment: By meeting the following competencies:

<b>Topics to be Covered</b>
Physical and psychosocial assessment
Communication
Nursing math & safe medication administration
Application of nursing process in simulated situations
Practice of selected nursing interventions

## Student Learning Outcomes

Demonstrate a holistic physical and psychosocial assessment in the laboratory setting. (QSEN: Patient-centered care).

Demonstrate appropriate focused nursing assessments in a simulated setting. (NLN: Nursing Judgment).

Examine a developmental assessment of a child. (NLN: Human Flourishing).

Demonstrate safety in selected nursing skills such as IV starts, central line care, NG insertion/removal, and blood administration. (QSEN: Safety).

Demonstrate dosage calculation and medication administration. (QSEN: Safety).

Demonstrate techniques of therapeutic communication in a simulated situation. (QSEN: Teamwork and Collaboration).

Utilize the nursing process to integrate clinical reasoning and judgment skills in a simulated setting. (NLN: Nursing Judgment).

**Is this course part of a transfer pathway: Yes ☐ No ☒**

**\*If yes, please list the competencies below**

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