DEPT. Nursing  COURSE NUMBER: 1220

NUMBER OF CREDITS: 3  Lecture: 3  Lab:

Course Title:
Nursing of the Adult II

Catalog Description:
Introduces the learners to alterations in functioning, including basic disease processes throughout the adult lifespan. Disruptions in the following body systems are explored: renal, reproductive, gastrointestinal, endocrine, neurovascular, and musculoskeletal systems. Topics of cancer and surgical client care and mental health will be addressed. Nursing and collaborative interventions and critical thinking skills are reinforced. Pharmacological concepts, gerontological, and cultural considerations will be included. Critical thinking through the use of the nursing process, health promotion, and standards of care are used to guide the students.

Prerequisites or Necessary Entry Skills/Knowledge:
Acceptance into the Practical Nursing Program and successful completion of Nursing of the Adult I in Semester 1.

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:
Topics to be Covered (General)

Cancer
Surgical Procedures and Pre-, Intra-, and Post-Operative Care
Renal System and Disorders
Musculoskeletal System and Disorders
Mental Illness Disorders
Neurological System and Disorders
Endocrine System and Disorders
Digestive System and Disorders
Reproductive System and Disorders

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Analyze evidence-based information through journals and online database related to the care of adults with common medical/surgical health problems. (NLN: INFORMATICS/TECHNOLOGY)
2. Differentiate priorities of care for individual patients with co-morbid diseases. (NLN: MANAGING CARE)
3. Prioritize care for nursing judgments for the adult patients with common diseases. (NLN: NURSING JUDGMENT/EVIDENCE-BASED CARE)
4. Utilize the nursing process to collect data and contribute to the plan of care for the adult patient with common medical/surgical health problems. (NLN: PATIENT/RELATIONSHIP CENTERED CARE)
5. Analyze health education, safety needs, and strategies to provide healthcare information to patients regarding healthcare issues. (NLN: PATIENT/RELATIONSHIP CENTERED CARE)
6. Analyze ethical and legal implications related to the care of patient with psychiatric or behavioral disorder. (NLN: PROFESSIONAL IDENTITY/BEHAVIOR)
7. Examine the best practices of quality improvement on the nursing environment and patient outcomes. (NLN: QUALITY IMPROVEMENT)
8. Analyze safe nursing practice when a plan of care has been implemented. (NLN: SAFETY)
9. Choose interventions from an established plan of care, monitor patient response and report to the appropriate healthcare team member the nursing care of the adult patient. (NLN: SAFETY)
10. Differentiate actual/potential patient complications, choose interventions, monitor patient responses, and report the appropriate interprofessional team member the nursing care of the adult patient. (NLN: TEAMWORK AND COLLABORATION)

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

*If yes, please list the competencies below

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