Course Information

Division: Health Sciences
Contact Hours: 6.5
Theory: 48 hours
Lab Hours: 11 hours
Off-Campus Clinical Hours: 44 hours
Total Credits: 4

Prerequisites: PNUR 124

Co-Requisites: PNUR 123 (Must be successfully completed prior to or concurrently)

Course Description
This course will explore the diverse nursing care of the maternal patient with a focus on common childbearing complications and the newborn. Students will also examine common pediatric diseases and conditions. Students will learn to apply growth and development concepts to the care of childbearing patients, pediatric patients, and their families. Health promotion and maintenance for both the child and family will be addressed. Adapting previously learned nursing care to the newborn, child, and family will be emphasized. Instruction is provided in the classroom, nursing skills lab, and clinical setting.

This course is a required core course for students pursuing a(n) Certificate in Practical Nursing

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1. Support human flourishing through the promotion of dignity, integrity, self-determination, and personal growth of diverse patients, their families, and oneself to provide individualized, culturally appropriate, relationship-centered nursing care.
2. Make nursing judgements in practice, substantiated with evidence, that integrate nursing science in the provision of safe, quality care for diverse patients and their families in collaboration with the health care team.
3. Articulate the professional identity and unique role of a practical nurse as a member of the health care team, committed to evidence-based practice, effective communication, caring, advocacy, and safe quality care, to provide optimal health care for diverse patients and their families.
4. Collaborate with health care team members through a spirit of inquiry, utilizing evidence and patient preferences in predictable patient care situations to promote optimal health status.

Course Outcomes
In order to evidence success in this course, the students will be able to:

1. Apply principles to promote dignity, integrity, self-determination, and personal growth of diverse maternal-newborn and pediatric patients, their families, and oneself to provide individualized, culturally appropriate, relationship-centered nursing care.
   
   Applies to Program Outcome:
   
   1. Support human flourishing through the promotion of dignity, integrity, self-determination, and personal growth of diverse patients, their families, and oneself to provide individualized, culturally appropriate, relationship-centered nursing care.

2. Demonstrate judgments in practice, substantiated with evidence, that integrate nursing science in the provision of safe, quality care for diverse maternal-newborn and pediatric patients, their families, and oneself in collaboration with the health care team.
   
   Applies to Program Outcome:
   
   2. Make nursing judgements in practice, substantiated with evidence, that integrate nursing science in the provision of safe, quality care for diverse patients and their families in collaboration with the health care team.

3. Demonstrate a unique role of a practical nurse as a member of the health care team, committed to evidence-based practice, effective communication, caring, advocacy, and safe quality care, to provide optimal health care for diverse maternal-newborn and pediatric patients and their families.
   
   Applies to Program Outcome:
   
   3. Articulate the professional identity and unique role of a practical nurse as a member of the health care team, committed to evidence-based practice, effective communication, caring, advocacy, and safe quality care, to provide optimal health care for diverse patients and their families.

4. Demonstrate effective strategies for collaborating with health care team members, utilizing evidence, best practice, and patient preferences in predictable patient care situations to promote the optimal health status of diverse maternal-newborn and pediatric patients and their families.
   
   Applies to Program Outcome:
   
   4. Collaborate with health care team members through a spirit of inquiry, utilizing evidence and patient preferences in predictable patient care situations to promote optimal health status.

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