

NURS - Nursing

NURS 5100 Adv Health Assessment

NURS 5100 - Advanced Health Assessment 3.000 Credits (2-1) This online course includes the processes, techniques, and skills of advanced health assessment, building on basic and experiential knowledge of assessment. It is intended to provide the basis for individual student development of expertise in assessing health and illness states. Focus is on didactic and clinical content that the advanced practice nurse utilizes when assessing clients. The processes of systematic assessment, which include communication and planning skills, are emphasized. Clinical judgment, diagnostic and monitoring skills and teaching are integrated as components of assessment.

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NURS 5111 Nursing Theory Development

NURS 5111 - Nursing Theory Development 3.000 Credits This course explores theoretical assumptions and conceptual models related to nursing practice, nursing research and nursing education. Other nursing, social, behavioral, and natural science theories are also discussed. This course provides an introduction to conceptual and theoretical thinking. Students will examine knowledge development in nursing, conceptual structures, and their uses as a basis for nursing practice and research.

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NURS 5120 Adv Nursing Research

NURS 5120 - Advanced Nursing Research 3.000 Credits This course emphasizes quantitative and qualitative research methodologies and the application of technology in data analysis. Students formulate a beginning approach to proposal development. Pre-Requisites: **NURS 5111**, Admission to Graduate Nursing Program or Approval of Graduate Nursing Program Coordinator

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Prerequisites

NURS 5111

Corequisites

NURS 5111

NURS 5210 Adv Physio-psycho-pathology

NURS 5210 - Advanced Physio-Psycho-Pathology 3.000 Credits This course emphasizes the complexity of normal physiological and psychological functions and the disruption of homeostasis in understanding the disease process and/or illness. The involvement of multisystems in the clinical manifestation of the disease process and diagnoses will be delineated. Pre-Requisites: Admission to Graduate Nursing Program.

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NURS 5220 Family Diver/Vulnerable Comm

NURS 5220 - Family Diversity/Vulnerable Communities 2.000 Credits The students apply concepts, theories, and methodologies of transcultural nursing to clients of diverse populations. Pre-Requisite: Admission to Graduate Nursing Program

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NURS 5320 Health Care Policy

This course offers students a comprehensive and analytic overview of the historic and contemporary involvement of government and politics in the development of health policy. Emphasis is on health politics and policy with a historical, social, and economic perspective. Prerequisite: NURS 5810 or Permission of Coordinator, Graduate Nursing Program.

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Prerequisites

NURS 5710

NURS 5410 Intro to Family Primary Care

NURS 5410 - Introduction to Family Primary Care 4.000 Credits (2-2) This course introduces the concept of primary health care of children, adults, and families. The focus is on health promotion and disease prevention with medically underserved populations. Pre-Requisites: **NURS 5100**, Admission to Family Nurse Practitioner Track.

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Prerequisites

NURS 5100

NURS 5421 Primary Care of Children

The purpose of this course is to present the theoretical and clinical basis for advanced health promotion and disease prevention for children, adolescents, and their families. Content will include health maintenance, health teaching, behavioral/developmental issues, counseling, and advanced nursing management of well child health and selected common childhood illnesses. The focus is on comprehensive care for well child health maintenance and selected illnesses. Attention is directed toward the care needed to meet the health objectives for children, adolescents and families in Healthy People 2010 consistent with accepted national guidelines. Clinical experiences will provide opportunity for testing and integrating of theory in practice and development of relationships with other health care providers. Clinical experiences will occur in a variety of settings with emphasis on rural and urban underserved children, adolescents and families.

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Prerequisites

NURS 5210,NURS 5410,NURS 5910

NURS 5422 Primary Care/Children Clinic

A clinical elective in child health care designed to enhance advanced nursing practice by providing additional opportunities for analysis, synthesis, and application of child health care theory with underserved rural and low income children and their families.

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NURS 5510 0Family Primary Care Clinical

A clinical elective in family primary care designed to enhance advanced nursing practice by providing additional opportunities for analysis, synthesis, and application of family health care theory with families.

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NURS 5621 Adv Practice Nursing I

NURS 5621 - Advanced Practice Nursing I 5.000 Credits (3-2) The first of a two-clinical course sequence in application of theories and concepts related to the clinical nurse specialist role in Community Health, Parent-Child Health, and Psych-Mental Health.

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Prerequisites

NURS 5210

NURS 5910 Pharmacology in Adv Practice

NURS 5910 - Pharmacology in Advanced Practice 3.000 Credits This course provides the advanced practice health care provider with knowledge of pharmacological agents used in treatment of adults, adolescents, and young children. Emphasis is on indications, mechanisms of action, prescriptive drugs, protocols, techniques, and dosages. Pre-Requisites: Admission to Graduate Nursing Program or Approval of Graduate Nursing Coordinator

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NURS 5950 Curriculum Development in Nurs

NURS 5950 - Curriculum Development in Nursing 3.000 Credits This course, designed to prepare the nurse educator for a role in curriculum development will explore putting together a nursing educational curriculum from planning to evaluation. Pre-Requisite: Approval of Graduate Nursing Program Coordinator

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NURS 6000 Directed Study

NURS 6000 - Directed Study 1.000 to 6.000 Credits Independent exploration of a topic from a nursing practice, education, or administration perspective. Pre-Requisite: Approval of Graduate Nursing Program Coordinator

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NURS 6001 Instructional Strat & Evaluat

NURS 6001 - Instructional Strategies and Evaluation 3.000 Credits This course focuses on the implementation of various teaching strategies and the measurement of learning outcomes. Pre-Requisites: Admission to Graduate Nursing Program or Approval of Graduate Nursing Program Coordinator
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NURS 6101 Primary Care of Women

NURS 6101 - Primary Care of Women 4.000 Credits (2-2) This course presents the theoretical and clinical basis for advanced nursing management of newborns and women. Content includes health maintenance, health teaching, behavioral/development issues, counseling and nursing management of pregnancy and the newborn, and health problems of women. Pre-Requisite: [NURS 5410](#)
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Prerequisites

[NURS 5410](#)

NURS 6102 0Primary Care of Women

A clinical elective in women's health to provide additional opportunities for analysis and synthesis of theory of care with underserved and rural women and newborns.
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NURS 6211 Primary Care of Adults

NURS 6211 - Primary Care of Adults 5.000 Credits (3-2) This course presents the theoretical and clinical basis for health promotion and disease prevention of adults/older adults and their families. Content includes health maintenance, health teaching, developmental issues, counseling and nursing diagnosis and management of common minor acute and chronic health problems found in adults. Pre-Requisites: [NURS 6101](#) and satisfactory completion of preliminary comprehensive exam
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Prerequisites

[NURS 6101](#)

NURS 6212 Primary Care of Adults Clinicl

Clinical elective in adult health care to enhance advanced nursing practice. Corequisite: [NURS 6211](#).
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Corequisites

[NURS 6211](#)

NURS 6310 Pri Care Iss/Health Prom/Comm

NURS 6310 - Primary Care Issues/Health Promotion/Community 2.000 Credits This seminar focuses on care needed to meet the needs of clients with sensitivity to community and cultural differences.
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Prerequisites

NURS 6101

NURS 6620 Advanced Teaching Practicum

NURS 6620 - Advanced Teaching Practicum 3.000 Credits (2-1) This practicum is designed to foster the student's development and competency as an educator. The focus of the experience is the application of curricula and learning theories to instructional design for nursing education. The practicum consists of experiences in both classroom and clinical teaching under the supervision of a senior faculty. The experiences are designed to provide an opportunity for the student to experience a career in the academic world of higher education.

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NURS 6622 Adv Practice Nursing II

NURS 6622 - Advanced Practice Nursing II 5.000 Credits (3-2) This is the second of the two-clinical course sequence in application of theories and concepts related to the clinical nurse specialist role development in Community Health, Parent-Child Health and Psych-Mental Health.

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NURS 6820 Family Nurse Pract. Practicum

NURS 6820 - Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum 4.000 Credits (1-3) An integrated clinical practicum focused on development and implementation of the advanced practitioner role. Students are involved in a preceptorship in rural/urban family practice settings under the supervision of a clinical preceptor and graduate faculty. Pre-Requisites: Completion of all coursework

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NURS 6920 Thesis/Scholarly Project

NURS 6920 - Thesis/Scholarly Project 3.000 Credits Research methodologies are used to investigate a nursing problem. Satisfactory completion of a thesis or research project is required. The student may choose to develop the proposal from **NURS 5120** for the research activities for this course.

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Prerequisites

NURS 5120