FLCC Course Syllabus

General Information

Date
03/01/2017

Department
Nursing

Course Prefix:
NUR

Course Number:
203

Course Title:
Maternal-Child Health Nursing

Course Information

Credit Hours
4

Lecture Contact Hours
3

Laboratory Contact Hours
3

Catalog Description
This course presents maternal-child nursing concepts as it relates to the family unit their ability to progress through Erikson's developmental stages and meet their needs as defined by Maslow. An emphasis is placed on the collaborative role of the nurse when providing for the health needs of families. Nursing concepts align with the FLCC Nursing Department's Philosophy and Organizing Framework as well as the National League for Nursing (NLN) Competencies and Outcomes. Major units of study include reproduction, antepartum, intrapartum, postpartum, neonatal transition, as well as the ethical concerns related to the maternal child population. Experiences in the college laboratory and clinical facilities support theoretical content. Note: Clinical meets for five weeks. Be prepared for lecture on campus during the time when clinical does not meet.

Prerequisites
NUR 101, NUR 202, PSY 100 and PSY 200 with a grade of "C" or better.

Grading Scheme
Letter Grade

FLCC Values
College Learning Outcomes Addressed by the Course

Inquiry
Interconnectedness
Vitality
Perseverance

Course Learning Outcomes

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1: Individual: Synthesize the interrelationship of the maternal/neonatal population in relation to Maslow's hierarchy of needs and Erickson's Developmental Crisis.
2: Health: Compare and contrast the major causes of complications in the antepartum, intrapartum and postpartum periods in the maternal/neonatal period.
3: Health: Recognize the patterns of maternal/neonatal response to pregnancy, labor and delivery, and the puerperium.
4: Health: Summarize health practices that promote optimal maternal/neonatal outcomes.
5: Environment: Analyze the influence of internal and external environments on families.
6: Environment: Examine environments conducive to the maintenance or restoration of health.
7: Nursing Component: The National League for Nursing’s core values of caring, integrity, diversity, ethics, holism and excellence, and the integrating concepts of: Context and Environment; Knowledge and Science; Personal and Professional Development; Quality and Safety; Relationship Centered Care; and Teamwork are integrated to prepare students to deliver quality health care to individuals, families and communities. It is expected that the student utilizing the nursing process will demonstrate integration of the core values and integrated concepts to deliver safe excellent comprehensive patient centered care.

Program Affiliation

This course is required as a core program course in the following program(s)

AAS Nursing

Outline of Topics Covered

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Introduction to Family-Centered Maternity Care and Care of Newborn

Intrapartum Care

Antepartum Care

Postpartum Care and Ethical Considerations of Reproduction