



Course Description

NUR1211 | Medical Surgical Nursing | 3.00 credits

This course provides an introduction to the adult nursing care. Students will learn the nurse's role in meeting the short and long-term needs of the client and community through preventive, therapeutic, and palliative care are discussed. Prerequisites: NUR1025, NUR1025C, NUR1025L, NUR1060C and NUR1141; Corequisites: NUR1211L and NUR1214C

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: Apply the nursing process to clinical decision-making by providing safe care based on respect for patient's preferences, values, and needs

Competency 2: Implement ethical, legal, and professional standards in the provision of nursing care to adult and older clients experiencing common health alterations

Competency 3: Apply knowledge of pathophysiology, pharmacology, nutrition, and established evidence-based practices when delivering care to adult and older adult clients experiencing common health alterations

Competency 4: Plan education regarding health and safety to clients, considering individual client needs

Competency 5: Demonstrate verbal and nonverbal communication skills that promote caring, therapeutic relationships with patients and families, as well as professional relationships with members of the healthcare team

Competency 6: Manage the care of patients, families, groups, communities, and populations while providing a safe environment and supporting continuous quality improvement initiatives for the delivery of optimal health care