



### **Course Description**

#### **NUR2680L | Community Health Nursing Lab | 1.00 credit**

This laboratory course assists the students in applying knowledge of community health resources. Students will learn to manage community health resources to support the delivery of care to the childbearing/child-rearing families. Special emphasis is placed on the understanding of cultural influences on the health practices and beliefs within the family. Prerequisites: NUR1211, 1211L, 1214C or 1002, 1002L; Corequisites: NUR2310, 2310L, 2420, 2420L

### **Course Competencies:**

**Competency 1:** The student will collect and use data to support the care of childbearing/childrearing families in the community by:

1. Completing a home visit tool
2. Assessing clients and their support systems
3. Developing priorities when planning care for families with multiple problems
4. Relating the influence of cultural beliefs on health care practices during childbearing/childrearing

**Competency 2:** The student will provide health education to childbearing/childrearing families in the community by:

1. Identifying families who would benefit from health education
2. Planning and implementing teaching based on an assessed need
3. Evaluating the success of the teaching plan with the family and faculty

**Competency 3:** The student will collaborate with other health professionals to plan and manage care for childbearing/childrearing families in the community by:

1. Communicating with other health professionals in community settings
2. Using the resources of community agencies when planning care
3. Identifying alternative/complementary health practices found in various cultures

**Competency 4:** The student will apply principles of growth and development to childbearing/childrearing families by:

1. Assessing levels of development of the children
2. Supporting relationships among family members
3. Seeking community services to meet clients' needs

### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Demonstrate knowledge of diverse cultures including global and historical perspectives
- Create strategies that can be used to fulfill personal, civic, and social responsibilities
- Describe how natural systems function and recognize the impact of humans on the environment