N 35 Clinical Practicum and Nursing Care Management III

5 units/15 hours laboratory
Applies the nursing process and the Neuman Systems Model to provide more advanced nursing care to patients with moderately complex acute and chronic health problems in geriatric, medical-surgical, and community settings.

Learning Outcomes

1. Provide safe direct nursing care to individuals in geriatric, medical-surgical and community settings
   By using the nursing process, the Neuman Systems Model and principles of caring.
2. Apply principles of health promotion in collaboration with the patient and family in the clinical setting.

Objectives

1. Apply principles of the nursing process, the Neuman Systems Model and GRASP critical thinking tool to provide safe, direct, and individualized care to patients in medical-surgical, geriatric, and community settings.
2. Identify priority nursing diagnoses and plan patient-centered and individualized care for a moderately complex patient assignment.
3. Adapt skill performance to specific needs of the individual patient.
4. Use therapeutic and collaborative communication when providing care to patients and families.
5. Assume responsibility for inter shift report, with validation.
6. Apply critical thinking skills to make clinical decisions about moderately complex patient needs with guidance.
7. Respond to the unique needs of the older adult with sensitivity and caring.
8. Advocate for patient’s rights and assist patients to communicate their needs to the health care team.
9. Demonstrate beginning independence to assess, prioritize, and provide individualized teaching to patients and families.
10. Seek experiences to meet self-identified learning needs.
11. Collaborate with team members and use appropriate channels of communication and authority.
12. Demonstrate beginning leadership skills when managing and providing evidence-based care.
13. Collaborate with other members of the health care team in advocating for individual patient’s progress toward optimal wellness.
14. Demonstrate responsibility and accountability for the student nurse role in a variety of health care settings.

Students with disabilities:

Students needing accommodations should inform the instructor. As required by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), accommodations are provided to insure equal access for students with verified disabilities. To determine if you qualify or need assistance with an accommodation, please contact ACCESSIBILITY SUPPORT CENTER (Formerly DSPS), Room 1073, (831)479-6379.