

Preceptor Program for College of Nursing Health and Innovation

Graduate Nursing MSN/Post Masters Certificate Adult Gerontology Acute Care NP Courses

Course Number

NURS 5461

Course Name

Adult Gerontology Management Across the Continuum of Care

Course Description

Foundations of advanced knowledge of common acute and chronic health problems in adolescents, adults, and elders across health care settings.

Course Outcomes

1. Incorporate theoretical knowledge and evidence-based guidelines/data into the evaluation, diagnosis, and management of diseases.
2. Integrate biopsychosocial theories in the evaluation, diagnosis, and management of commonly occurring psychiatric disorders.
3. Plan for collaboration with other healthcare professionals to improve outcomes and minimize the impact of social determinates of health and health disparities.
4. Apply principles of genetics in diagnosis and treatment of common acute and chronic diseases.
5. Plan education and counseling for patients, families, and caregivers to prevent illness and restore health.
6. Synthesize clinical data to make decisions regarding the appropriate evaluation, diagnosis, and management of diseases.

Course Number

NURS 5463

Course Name

Adult Gerontology Acute Care

Course Description

Focuses on a collaborative, inter-professional approach in the evaluation, diagnosis, and management of adolescents, adults, and gerontological patients who are experiencing acute, critical, and complex chronic illnesses across the continuum of care.

Course Outcomes

1. Integrate theoretical knowledge and evidence-based care into the evaluation, diagnosis, and management of complex multisystem dysfunction across health care settings.
2. Plan for collaboration with the individual, family, informal care givers, and other health care professionals to promote continuity of care and to improve outcomes across healthcare settings.
3. Develop inter-professional interventions to promote quality health outcomes for patients experiencing acute, critical, or complex chronic illness.
4. Evaluate legal and health policy influences on the provision of care for patients experiencing acute, critical, or complex chronic illnesses across the adult lifespan
5. Plan education and counseling for patients, families, and caregivers to restore and maintain health.
6. Synthesize clinical data to make decisions regarding the appropriate evaluation, diagnosis, and management of complex multisystem dysfunction to promote safety and risk reduction.
7. Promote patient safety in transitions between and across health care delivery environments.

Course Number

NURS 5354

Course Name

Adult Gerontology Acute Care Clinical Practice I

Course Description

Clinical experience in specialty practice and high acuity health care settings with focus on managing adolescents, adults, and elders with common secondary and tertiary health care needs. Graded.

Course Outcomes

1. Assess, diagnose, and manage the health care needs of adolescents, adults, and elders.
2. Provide culturally, spiritually, ethnicity, age, gender and sexual. orientation sensitive care.
3. Incorporate diagnostic test data/results into therapeutic interventions.
4. Evaluate and revise management plans based on additional assessment and diagnostic test data.
5. Demonstrate ethical decision-making in advanced nursing practice.
6. Implement the role of the Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner in collaboration with other health care professionals in selected acute and specialty practice health care delivery systems.

Course Number

NURS 5355

Course Name

Adult Gerontology Acute Care Clinical Practice II

Course Description

Continued clinical experience in specialty practice and high acuity health care settings with focus on managing adolescents, adults, and elders with common secondary and tertiary health care needs. Graded.

Course Outcomes

1. Assess, diagnose, and manage the health care needs of adolescents, adults, and elders.
2. Provide culturally, spiritually, ethnicity, age, gender and sexual orientation sensitive care.
3. Incorporate diagnostic test data/results into therapeutic interventions.
4. Evaluate and revise management plans based on additional assessment and diagnostic test data.
5. Demonstrate ethical decision-making in advanced nursing practice.
6. Implement the role of the Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner in collaboration with other health care professionals in selected acute and specialty practice health care delivery systems.

Course Number

NURS 5640

Course Name

Adult Gerontology Acute Care NP Advanced Practicum

Course Description

Clinical preceptorships in selected health practice sites with opportunities to apply knowledge, skills and concepts in a guided, progressive context of advanced nursing practice.

Course Outcomes

1. Use evidenced-based knowledge to manage the health care in selected populations.
2. Provide comprehensive health care (e.g. age, gender, cultural, ethnic sensitive) to patients, families, and/or groups within the ethical and legal scope of advanced nursing practice.
3. Evaluate patient and family outcomes for the purpose of monitoring and modifying care.
4. Collaborate with other health care professionals to provide comprehensive care.
5. Implement the nurse practitioner role in selected settings.