NRV 58A Course Outline as of Fall 2002

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: NRV 58A Title: FUNDAMENTAL SKILLS LAB Full Title: Fundamental Skills Lab for Vocational Nursing Last Reviewed: 10/13/2014

Units		Course Hours per Week	N	Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	1.00	Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	1.00	Lab Scheduled	0	1	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	3.00		Contact DHR	52.50
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	52.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 0.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 52.50

Title 5 Category:	AA Degree Applicable
Grading:	P/NP Only
Repeatability:	00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP
Also Listed As:	
Formerly:	

Catalog Description:

Demonstration and supervised practice of basic nursing skills based on scientific principles and correlated with concepts from theory. Planning and implementing basic patient care are practiced in a simulated clinical setting. Relationships between these concepts and nursing skills relevant to steps in the nursing process; assessment, planning, implementing, evaluation and documentation are practiced. Students demonstrate competent skill performance in a simulated clinical setting.

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Admission to the program.

Schedule of Classes Information:

Description: Basic nursing skills based on scientific principles are demonstrated. Skills are correlated with concepts from theory and related to steps in the nursing process. Students practice and return demonstrations in a simulated setting prior to performing in the clinical

setting. (P/NP Only) Prerequisites/Corequisites: **Recommended:** Limits on Enrollment: Admission to the program. Transfer Credit: CSU; Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: CSU GE:	Area Transfer Area	ı		Effective: Effective:	Inactive: Inactive:
IGETC:	Transfer Area	l		Effective:	Inactive:
CSU Transfer	: Transferable	Effective:	Spring 1991	Inactive:	Fall 2021
UC Transfer:		Effective:		Inactive:	

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

Students will:

- 1. Perform selected basic nursing skills safely and competently in the simulated clinical setting (laboratory) consistent with theoretical knowledge base and skills text criteria.
- 2. "Check-Off" given a clinical scenario, such as:
- a. independently perform skill with minimal prompting from instructor
- 3. "Check-Off" successfully within a maximum of 3 attempts/skill.

Topics and Scope:

BASIC NURSING SKILLS:

- 1. Vital Signs
- 2. Personal Hygiene Skills (i.e. Baths, Bedmaking, Oral Care)
- 3. Transfer Skills (i.e. Ambulation, Use of Assistive Devices)
- **ELIMINATION:**
- 1. Sterile Urine Collection
- 2. Catheter Care
- 3. Enemas
- 4. Suppositories
- Monitoring Accurate Outputs
 Colostomy Care

NUTRITION:

- 1. Feeding of dependent patients.
- 2. Naso-gastric intubation.
- 3. Naso-gastric tube feedings.

4. Monitoring Accurate Intake. SAFETY/PROTECTION:

1. Standard Precautions.

- 2. Special Precautions.
- 3. Sterile Technique & Principles.
- 4. Sterile Gloving.

PROCEDURES/TREATMENTS:

- 1. Simple Sterile Dressing Change.
- 2. Respiratory Therapy Treatments (i.e. ABT's, oxygen therapy)
- 3. Non-injectable Medications and Principles of Administration

Assignment:

Assignments include:

- 1. Attend scheduled demonstrations of identified nursing skills.
- 2. Supervised practice and competent performance of nursing skills.
- 3. Independently and safely performs each skill with a maximum of three

attempts at "check-offs" to demonstrate competency to instructor.

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Class performances, Performance exams

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Writing 0 - 0%

Problem solving 0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations 100 - 100%

Exams	
0 - 0%	

Other Category 0 - 0%

None

Representative Textbooks and Materials: NRV 58A Skills Lab Syllabus. Clinical Nursing Skills (Basic to Advanced), 5th ed, by Smith, Duell, and Martin. Prentice Hall, New Jersey (2000). Student Handbook of Policies for VN Program.