

**Northwest Arkansas Community College**  
Health Professions Division

**Discipline Code**

NURS

**Course Number**

9237

**Course Title**

Medical Surgical for Practical Nursing 2

**Catalog Description**

Medical Surgical 2 - Fall 1st 8weeks This course focuses on fundamental knowledge for care of adults with selected health-related problems. The nursing management and care of client's with Immune, Neurological, Gastrointestinal, Endocrine, and Oncology disorders. Nursing management and care for the child and their family. Application of the critical thinking skills required to provide nursing interventions and addressing client needs for these medical-surgical and pediatric nursing care.

**Prerequisites**

NURS 9227 Medical Surgical for Practical Nursing 1

**Credit Hours**

7 credit hours

**Contact hours**

60 lecture contact hours

20 Lab contact hours

40 Clinical contact hours

**Load hours**

8 load hours

**Semesters Offered**

Fall 1<sup>st</sup> 8 weeks

**ACTS Equivalent**

None

**Grade Mode**

A-F

**Learning Outcomes**

Students completing **Medical Surgical 2** will be able to:

1. Apply adult health nursing concepts to provide safe, quality, evidence-based, client-centered nursing care to diverse adult, and pediatric clients with acute and chronic illnesses requiring interventions.
2. Contribute to collaboration and teamwork with members of the interprofessional team, the client, and the client's support persons in the adult or pediatric healthcare setting.
3. Demonstrate clinical reasoning/nursing judgment to make client-centered care decisions and to function within the complex healthcare environment.
4. Relate quality nursing interventions to improve care for diverse adult, and pediatric clients with acute and chronic illnesses requiring interventions.
5. Apply basic information management principles, techniques, and systems, and client care technology to communicate, manage knowledge, mitigate error, and support decision-making in the adult or pediatric healthcare setting.
6. Demonstrate a culture of caring when providing holistic, compassionate care to diverse adult and pediatric clients with acute and chronic illnesses requiring nursing interventions.

## General Education Outcomes Supported

- Students Develop Higher Order Thinking skills.
- Students Develop Effective Oral Communication Skills
- Students Will Demonstrate Technological Fluency.

## Standard Practices

### Topics list

#### Medical Surgical 2 Material

Impaired Cognition

Gastrointestinal Nursing

Immune Nursing

Endocrine Nursing

Neurology Nursing

Oncology Nursing

#### Pediatric

Growth and Development

Care of the Toddler

Care of the School Age Child

Care of the Hospitalized Pediatric

Newborn Care

Health Promotion

Care of the Preschool Age Child

Care of the Adolescent

Care of the Infant

### Learning activities

This course will include the following methods/approaches to teaching: Canvas discussion, video-lectures, audio-visuals & supplemental readings, case studies, web-enhanced activities, active learning activities, and independent reading.

## Assessments

Exams, quizzes, in-class activities, and group projects.

## Grading guidelines

- Student must achieve at least a 78% on proctored Unit and Final Examination before any additional grades are included in final average to be successful in the course.
- Students must average at least 78% on all graded work to be successful in the course.

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