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GENERAL SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Name: Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Adult Patients with Stable/Unstable Acute Conditions
Course Numbers: NSG241; NSG241L; NSG241C

Required Materials

Textbook(s):

Hinkle, J. L., Cheever, K. H., & Overbaugh, K. J. (2021). *Lippincott CoursePoint+ enhanced for Brunner & Suddarth’s medical surgical nursing* (15th ed.) [Course Point+ Digital textbook]. Wolters Kluwer Health <https://thepoint.lww.com> with Lippincott’s Complete Digital Package

Taylor, C. R., Lynn, P. B., & Bartlett, J. L. (2023). *Fundamentals of nursing: The art and science of person-centered care* (10th ed.) [CoursePoint+ digital textbook]. Wolters Kluwer. <https://thepoint.lww.com> with Lippincott’s Complete Digital Package

Tucker, R. G., & Schweighardt, A. (2023). *Karch’s focus on nursing pharmacology* (9th ed.) [CoursePoint+ digital textbook]. Wolters Kluwer Health. <https://thepoint.lww.com> with Lippincott’s Complete Digital Package

Required Readings: See Course Calendar

Additional Materials: None

Clinical Experience

The clinical experiences in this course are delivered to meet the course objectives.

Course Outline/Calendar

The date of coverage and order of coverage may be modified based on the faculty member and events beyond the control of faculty members that interfere with class times and teaching.

| Week | Chapter/Topic/Lab |
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| 1 | Readings: Hinkle and Cheever: Chapter 10: Fluid and Electrolytes |

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| | <p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 48: Management of Patients with Kidney Disorders</p> <p>Lab: Readings: Taylor: Chapter 25 Asepsis and Infection Control Chapter 41 Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid–Base Balance Central Venous Access Devices Skill: Central Line Dressing Change</p> |
| 2 | <p>Readings: Hinkle and Cheever: Chapter 29: Management of Patients with Nonmalignant Hematologic Disorders</p> <p>Tucker: Chapter 48: Drugs Affecting Blood Coagulation</p> <p>Lab: Readings: Taylor: Chapter 41 Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid–Base Balance Blood Transfusions Skill Blood Administration</p> |
| 3 | <p>Readings: Hinkle and Cheever: Chapter 19: Management of Patients with Chest and Lower Respiratory Tract Disorders</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 32: Management of Patients with Immune Deficiency Disorders Chapter 66: Management of Patients with Infectious Diseases Chapter 40: Management of Patients with Gastric and Duodenal Disorders Chapter 41: Management of Patients with Intestinal and Rectal Disorders</p> <p>Tucker: Chapter 15: Introduction to the Immune Response and Inflammation Chapter 18: Vaccines and Sera Chapter 56: Introduction to the Gastrointestinal System Chapter 57: Drugs Affecting Gastrointestinal Secretions Chapter 58: Drugs Affecting Gastrointestinal Motility</p> <p>Lab: Readings: Taylor: Chapter 40 Oxygenation and Perfusion Chest Tubes Chest Tube Management</p> |
| 4 and 5 | <p>Week 3 Continued</p> <p>New Readings: Hinkle and Cheever: Chapter 64: Management of Patients with Neurologic Infection, Autoimmune Disorders Chapter 65: Management of Patients with Oncologic or Degenerative Neurologic Disorders</p> <p>Tucker: Chapter 19: Introduction to Nerves and the Nervous System Chapter 24: Antiparkinsonism Agents</p> <p>Lab: Readings: Taylor: Chapter 40 Oxygenation and Perfusion Tracheostomies Tracheostomy Suctioning and Trach Care</p> |
| 6 and 7 | <p>Readings: Hinkle and Cheever: Chapter 12: Management of Patients with Oncologic Disorders</p> |

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| | <p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 28: Management of Patients with Malignant Hematologic Disorders</p> <p>Tucker: Chapter 14: Antineoplastic Agents Chapter 59: Antiemetic Agents</p> <p>Lab: Week 6 Skills Practice Week 7 Skills Testing</p> |
| 8 | <p>Testing</p> <p>Lab: Gunshot wound of the chest simulation</p> |