

**MCC-Penn Valley Pioneer
Nursing Division
Practical Nursing Program**

COURSE NUMBER: PNUR 132

COURSE TITLE: NURSING OF THE CHILDBEARING FAMILY

UNIT HOURS: 36 hours

PREREQUISITES: PNUR 100 (PVC), PNUR 102 (Fundamentals 102), PNUR 103 (Fundamentals 103), PNUR 104 (BS&F), PNUR 110 (Pharmacology)

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COURSE DESCRIPTION: The pediatric course offered in this program will provide an overview of human growth and development from neonates to adolescents using the framework of the nursing process. Instruction regarding care of common childhood illnesses will be integrated into the theory content. Special emphasis will be placed on the education of the family unit regarding childhood growth and development as well as common childhood illnesses. Students will apply theory to practice in a variety of clinical settings.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

1. Define terms associated with the care of the child from neonates to adolescents.
2. Describe common health deviations and anomalies of the sensory/nervous, Musculoskeletal, respiratory, cardiovascular, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, integumentary, and endocrine systems.
3. Apply the nursing process in the care of children from neonates to adolescents.
4. Identify major milestones of growth and development in children from neonates to adolescents.
5. Discuss patient teaching of children and their parents observed in the clinical Setting.
6. Describe the impact of Erikson's and Piaget's developmental theories on planning the nursing care of children.
7. Discuss clinical observational experiences with clinical instructor weekly.

TEXTBOOK:

Leifer, G. (2003). Introduction to Maternity and Pediatric Nursing. (4th ed.). Philadelphia: Saunders.

TEACHING STRATEGIES:

Teaching strategies will include a combination of lecture, audio-visual instruction, group work, computer-assisted instruction, utilization of blackboard, small group discussion, and games. Supervised observational clinical experiences will be in a pediatric clinic, day care, or hospital setting.

EVALUATION METHODS:

There will be three exams, a final examination, assignments, and quizzes. The final grade will be based on the total number of points possible. I will NOT be weighting grades in this course. There will be NO make-up for quizzes. The clinical portion of this course must be completed with a “pass.” The final examination will be a combination of OB and Pediatrics. The grade from this portion of the course will be added to the OB grade to become the final grade for this Childbearing Family course. The final point average for the course must be an absolute 75% or higher in order to successfully pass this course. Grades will not be rounded up. **No late work will be accepted.**

Please refer to the Practical Nursing Student Handbook for policies regarding attendance, test-taking, expected behavior, and program progression. You will be held to these standards as given in the student handbook.

LEARNING EXPERIENCES AND EVALUATION:

1. Exam #1	50 points
2. Exam #2	50 points
3. Exam #3	50 points
4. Assignments/Quizzes	50 points
5. Final Exam (OB & Peds)	<u>100 points</u>
TOTAL	300 points

***The LS 2000 pediatric exam must be completed with at least 90% accuracy. You may take the exam as many times as necessary to achieve a score of 90%. This is due the day of the final examination.

If you need an accommodation due to a disability under the Americans with Disabilities Act please contact Dawn Brady, Access Resource Educator, 759-4293 V, 711 TTY. Two weeks advance notice is required for many accommodations.

SUMMARY OF CONTENT

Unit I PEDIATRIC INTRODUCTION and HEALTH CARE ADAPTATIONS

- Lesson 1** History of Pediatrics
- Lesson 2** Overview of Growth, Development and Nutrition
- Lesson 3** The Child's Experience of Hospitalization
- Lesson 4** Health Care Adaptations for the Child and Family
- Lesson 5** The Infant
- Lesson 6** The Toddler
- Lesson 7** The Preschool Child
- Lesson 8** The School-Age Child
- Lesson 9** The Adolescent

UNIT II THE CHILD NEEDING NURSING CARE

- Lesson 10** The child with a Sensory or Neurological Condition
- Lesson 11** The child with a Musculoskeletal Condition
- Lesson 12** The child with a Respiratory and Cardiovascular Condition
- Lesson 13** The child with a Condition of the Blood/Lymph System
- Lesson 14** The child with a Gastrointestinal Condition
- Lesson 15** The child with a Genitourinary Condition
- Lesson 16** The child with a Skin Condition
- Lesson 17** The child with a Metabolic Condition
- Lesson 18** The child with a Communicable Disease

COURSE OUTLINE

Freshman

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>
Monday, May 15	1400-1600	Introduction Lesson #1
Tuesday, May 16	0700-1600	Lesson #2 Lesson #3 Lesson #4
Monday, May 22	0700-1600	Exam #1 (L 1-4) Lesson #5 Lesson #6 Lesson #7
Tuesday, May 23	0700-1600	Lesson #8 Lesson #9 Lesson #10 Lesson #11
Monday, June 5	0700-1100	Exam #2 (L 5-9) Lesson #12 Lesson #13 Lesson #14
Tuesday, June 6	0700-1100	Lesson #15 Guest Speaker? Lesson #16
Monday, June 12	0700-1100	Exam #3 (L 10-13) Lesson #17 Lesson #18
Tuesday, June 13	0700-1100	Final Exam

COURSE OUTLINE

Seniors

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>
Monday, June 19	0700-1100	Introduction Lesson # 1 Lesson #2 Lesson #3 Lesson #4
Tuesday, June 20	0700-1600	Exam #1 (L 1-4) Lesson #5 Lesson #6 Lesson #7
Monday, June 26	0700-1600	Lesson #8 Lesson #9 Lesson #10 Guest Speaker?
Tuesday, June 27	0700-1600	Exam #2 (L 5-9) Lesson #11 Lesson #12 Lesson #13 Lesson #14
Wednesday, June 28	0700-1100	Lesson #15 Lesson #16
Thursday, June 29	0700-1100	Exam #3 (L 10-13) Lesson #17 Lesson #18
Wednesday, July 5	0700-1100	Final Exam