# **COURSE SYLLABUS**

LAST REVIEW Spring 2021

COURSE TITLE Nursing Care of Adults II Clinical

COURSE NUMBER KSPN 0123

**DIVISION** Health Professions

**DEPARTMENT** Nursing/Practical Nurse

**CIP CODE** 51.3901

**CREDIT HOURS** 2

**CONTACT HOURS/WEEK** Clinical: 6

PREREQUISITES KSPN 0102 & 0104, KSPN 0107 & 0108, KSPN 0115

COREQUISITES KSPN 0121

**COURSE PLACEMENT** This course is part of a selective admission program. Students

must be admitted to the Nursing/Practical Nurse program to

enroll in this course.

#### COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course focuses on the care of adult clients with common medical/surgical health problems. The clinical laboratory experience gives students the opportunity to apply theoretical concepts from Nursing Care of Adults I and II and implement safe client care in selected settings. Students are also given the opportunity to practice leadership skills while managing a caseload of clients.

#### PROGRAM ALIGNMENT

This course is part of a program aligned through the Kansas Board of Regents and Technical Education Authority. For more information, please visit: https://kansasregents.org/workforce\_development/program-alignment

### PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Relationship-centered care: provide nursing care that is relationship-centered, caring, culturally sensitive and based on the physiological, psychosocial and spiritual needs of clients with commonly occurring health alterations that have predictable outcomes.
- Teamwork and Collaboration: collaborate with the client and members of the interprofessional health care team to promote continuity of client care and shared decision- making.
- 3. Evidence based practice: use current evidence as a basis for nursing practice.
- 4. Informatics: use information and client care technology to support the delivery of safe, quality client care.

- 5. Quality Improvement: participate in quality improvement activities assessing their effect on client outcomes.
- 6. Safety: provide an environment that is safe and reduces risk of harm for clients, self, and others.
- 7. Professionalism: demonstrate accountability for client care that incorporates legal and ethical principles, regulatory guidelines, and standards of nursing practice.
- 8. Leadership: use leadership skills that support the provision and coordination of client care.

#### **TEXTBOOKS**

http://kckccbookstore.com/

### METHODS OF INSTRUCTION

A variety of instructional methods may be used depending on content area. These include but are not limited to: lecture, multimedia, cooperative/collaborative learning, labs and demonstrations, projects and presentations, speeches, debates, panels, conferencing, performances, and learning experiences outside the classroom. Methodology will be selected to best meet student needs.

#### **COURSE OUTLINE**

A. Clinical application of KSPN 0121 didactic content

#### **COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES**

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will:

- A. Identify priority assessment findings while performing a focused health assessment on clients experiencing common medical/surgical health alterations. (EPSLO #1)
- B. Assist in developing an evidence-based plan of care that includes cultural, spiritual, and developmentally appropriate interventions related to health promotion and commonly occurring health alterations of adult clients who have predictable outcomes. (EPSLO #1, 3)
- C. Collaborate with members of the health care team serving as a client advocate when providing and coordinating client care. (EPSLO #1, 2)
- D. Apply a basic level of knowledge of pathophysiology, pharmacology, and nutrition, as well as evidence-based practice, to the care of adult clients with commonly occurring health alterations who have predictable outcomes. (EPSLO #1, 3)
- E. Use verbal and nonverbal communication that promotes therapeutic relationships with adult clients and their families, as well as professional relationships with members of the health care team. (EPSLO #1, 2)

- F. Use information technology to access evidence-based literature as well as mitigate error and support clinical decision making with members of the health care team. (EPSLO #4)
- G. Evaluate client's acquisition of new knowledge and skills while reinforcing health education provided by members of the health care team. (EPSLO #1)
- H. Implement corrective actions for actual and potential safety risks to client, self, and others. (EPSLO #6)
- I. Participate in quality improvement activities developed to enhance client outcomes. (EPSLO #5)
- J. Use organizational, time management, and priority-setting skills when coordinating the care of adult clients and assigning and supervising unlicensed assistive personnel. (EPSLO #8)
- K. Adhere to ethical, legal and professional standards while maintaining accountability and responsibility for the care provided to adult clients and their families. (EPSLO #7)

### ASSESSMENT OF COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES

Student progress is evaluated through both formative and summative assessment methods. Specific details may be found in the instructor's course information document.

### **COLLEGE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

Student Handbook

https://www.kckcc.edu/files/docs/student-resources/student-handbook-and-code-of-conduct.pdf

# College Catalog

https://www.kckcc.edu/academics/catalog/index.html

# College Policies and Statements

https://www.kckcc.edu/about/policies-statements/index.html

### Accessibility and Accommodations

https://www.kckcc.edu/academics/resources/student-accessibility-support-services/index.html.