

Course Plan for Engaging Students and Assessing Learning
Course: AH 180 – Fundamentals of Nursing--Convalescent
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Learning Outcome	What Students Do to Master the Learning Outcome	Evidence to Assess Student Learning
1. Analyze pre-written patient care and will implement the plan of care safely.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read text ▪ Attend lecture/clinical ▪ Practice clinical skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Written care plans ▪ Clinical evaluations ▪ Complete skills checklist
2. Use principles of college level mathematical concepts to correctly calculate a resident fluid intake and output, and using metric and apothecary systems to calculate height and weight.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Attend lecture/clinical ▪ Read text ▪ Complete study guide/ assignments ▪ Practice clinical skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Clinical evaluations ▪ Written care plans ▪ Complete skills checklist
3. Interact effectively with people of all ages, many cultures and ethnicities demonstrating awareness of the students' own values and opinions, as well as awareness and respect of the opinions and values of others.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Attend lecture/clinical ▪ Read text ▪ Complete internet assignments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Clinical evaluation ▪ Written care plans ▪ Quizzes and exams ▪ Classroom presentations
4. Use nursing process to prioritize and organize nursing care and to problem solve. Nursing process includes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Attend lecture/clinical ▪ Read text ▪ Complete assignments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Assessment of objective and subjective patient data. b. Analyzing the data and using the information to develop patient outcomes in planning patient care. c. Listening and implementing nursing interventions which will accomplish the defined outcomes for a given patient. d. Evaluating the interventions' effectiveness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Clinical evaluation ▪ Exams ▪ Classroom presentation

	<p>in meeting the outcomes. e. Revising the plan of care as needed based on the information from the evaluation.</p>	
<p>5. Use therapeutic nursing interventions which reflect the standard of nursing practice. This will be exhibited by the student's ability to use psychomotor and psychosocial interventions which promote health; and prevent, minimize, or resolve problems as identified by the nurse and patient. Therapeutic interventions are independent actions grouped in theory-based research and experiences.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Attend lecture/clinical ▪ Read text ▪ Complete assignments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Clinical evaluations ▪ Exams ▪ Classroom discussion ▪ Complete skills checklist

Assessment Plan: Spring 2008 Collect assessment data for all three outcomes.
Fall 2008 Analyze data, plan how to close the loop, file assessment report by December 1, 2008.
Spring 2009 Teach revised version of this course by implementing planned changes.
