Oregon Coast Community College Nursing Program Courses First Year

NUR 141 Fundamentals of Nursing - 12 Credits

Presents concepts and skills that lay a foundation for entry into the nursing profession. Provides opportunities to attain the knowledge and skills that are necessary to promote health, prevent disease, and deliver basic nursing care to individual patients across the lifespan. The skills laboratory section is the first of five in the Nursing sequence. **Prerequisite**: admission to the nursing program. **Prerequisite or Concurrent Enrollment**: BI233

NUR 142 Care of Acutely III Patients and Developing Families I – 12 Credits

Focuses on the care of individual patients with health problems related to the respiratory, cardiovascular, fluid & electrolytes, endocrine, musculoskeletal, and neurological systems. Incorporates the nursing role in providing care to patients across the lifespan. Includes the second skills laboratory section in the Nursing sequence. **Prerequisite**: NUR 141, BI 234 and FN 225

NUR 143 Care of Acutely III Patients and Developing Families II – 12 Credits

Focuses on the care of patients with health problems related to neurological, hematological, gastrointestinal, and genitourinary systems, as well as conditions related to cancer, mental health, infectious diseases, and complications of obstetrics. Incorporates the role of the nurse in providing care to patients across the lifespan who are acutely ill. Includes the third skills laboratory section in the Nursing sequence. **Prerequisite**: NUR 142

NUR 145 Introduction to Pharmacology and Pathophysiology – 1 Credit

Introduces connections between pathophysiology of selected disease processes, associated pharmacological treatments and nursing responsibilities. **Prerequisite**: NUR 142 & Co-enrollment: NUR 143