



NRSE 330 Syllabus

Course Description

NRSE 330 – Family Nursing focuses on care of the family as the client. Synthesis of family theory and application of the nursing process to family systems.

Prerequisites:

The student must:

1. have completed and/or be enrolled concurrently in NRSE 300; and
2. hold a current license to practice as a registered nurse (RN).

Textbooks, Reading Materials, and Resources

Hanson, S.H., Gedaly-Duff, V., & Kaakinen, J.R. (2010). *Family health care nursing: Theory, practice, & research* (4th ed.). Philadelphia: FA Davis Company. ISBN: 0803621663.

Textbooks available from ED MAP Online Bookstore: <http://www.shop-edmap.biz/oub/>

Credit Hours: 4 lecture; 0 clinical

Course Goals

Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

- apply specified theories relevant to the study of family systems.
- discuss research related to family health topics.
- conduct a family health assessment.
- use the nursing process to develop a family wellness plan.
- apply health appraisal skills in multiple areas while working with families.

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- manage a professional relationship with a family, including the initiation, maintenance, and termination of the relationship.

Course Organization

There are five (5) modules in this course. Each module represents one week of activity.

1. Overview of family nursing
2. Family health theories and research
3. Family structure, function, and process
4. The Nursing Process and family wellness
5. Family health and health promotion