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Degree Programme in Nursing

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**THE CORE COMPETENCE 180 ECTS**

**BASIC STUDIES 30 ECTS**

*Competence in Customer-orientated Work 5 ECTS*

- **01NSUO** Communicating Your Expertise 4 ECTS
- **01NSUOA** Professional Communication (Finnish) 3 ECTS
- **01NINVER** Information Literacy and E-learning Skills 1 ECTS
- **08NHYPE1A** Professional identity 1 ECTS credits

**Learning outcomes**

Students will be able to:

- evaluate and interpret the meanings of different types of messages and develop their communication skills
- apply oral and written communication skills in real-world customer service situations in an appropriate manner and using dialogue
- apply team work skills in meetings and negotiations
- design and produce accurate text for customer contexts and scientific articles.
- define good care and name some of the principles of professional interaction
- describe characteristics specific to the social and health care service system and the health care customer relationship
- recognise their personal strengths and weaknesses and their significance in terms of the nurse's professional identity
- apply the principles of group and team work

**Contents**
Workplace text types, learning texts, scientific articles, group work methods, meetings and negotiations, speech, oral reporting, the nurse's professional identity, professional growth and development, customer-orientation, professional and care-related interaction, information literacy

**Modes of delivery**

Active learning
Online assignments
Article
Assignments
Portfolio
Usage and grammar test

**Assessment**

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to

**LEVEL 5**

- produce factual article-style text to the standards of source-critical scientific text
- design instructions and reports for different target groups
- integrate different methods of group work in meetings and negotiations
- interpret the communications of different types of customers and draw conclusions for action
- apply field-specific information in oral presentations.
- provide a reasoned account of the concept of good care and name some of the principles of professional interaction
- describe, with breadth and depth, the characteristics specific to the social and health care service system and name the characteristics of the health care customer relationship
- recognise and reflect on their personal strengths and weaknesses and their links with the nurse's professional identity
- apply the principles of group and team work in group activities in a fluent and constructive manner

**LEVEL 3**

- produce factual essay text with source criticism
- produce instructions and reports
- appraise the use of different group work methods in meetings and negotiations
- interpret the communications of different types of customers
- design an oral presentation.
- define, with breadth, the concept of good care and name some of the principles of professional interaction
- describe a broad range of the characteristics specific to the social and health care service system and name some of the characteristics of the health care customer relationship
- recognise a number of personal strengths and weaknesses and their links with the nurse's professional identity
- apply some of the principles of group and team work in group activities

**LEVEL 1**

- produce professional text
- identify different types of instructions and reports
- define the structure of meetings and negotiations
- compare the communications of different types of customers
- describe professional situations of their chosen field verbally.
- define good care and name some of the principles of professional interaction
- describe the main characteristics specific to the social and health care service system and name some of the characteristics of the health care customer relationship
- recognise some of their personal strengths and weaknesses and their links with the nurse’s professional identity
- apply a few of the principles of group and team work in group activities

**Learning materials**


**Online course materials**

**08NHYPE2 Competence in Evidence Based Nursing 5 ECTS**

**Learning outcomes**

Students will be able to

- describe nursing sciences as a scientific discipline and explain the concept of evidence-based practice
- retrieve information from common health science databases
- name the main laws and regulations governing health care and the ethical guidelines
- explain the decision-making process in nursing and the Finnish Care Classification (FinCC 3.0)
- recognise the effects of ageing and memory disorders on a person's health and everyday coping capacity
- describe good end-of-life care
- name indicators of good mental health and characteristics specific to the care of disabled people
- describe the role of cultural background in encountering and interacting with customers

**Contents**

Nursing science as a scientific discipline, the concept of evidence-based practice, national and international nursing guidelines and recommendations, legislation governing health care, the values and ethical principles of nursing, sustainability, the decision-making process in nursing, Finnish Care Classification (FinCC-3.0), ageing, memory disorders, end-of-life care, mental health, disability, patient safety and security, individuals and families from different cultures as customers

**Modes of delivery**

Active learning

Independent work

Online learning

Exam

**Assessment**

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to:

**LEVEL 5**

- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of nursing science as a scientific discipline and explain the concept of evidence-based practice
- retrieve a range of information from common health science databases
Learning outcomes

08NHYPE3 Clinical Competence in Good Nursing Care 5 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to:

- define the principles of aseptic technique and infection prevention in nursing
- recognise changes in vital functions and deliver nursing interventions in a skills lab environment
- deliver first aid in situations involving common illnesses and accidents
• name some of the principles of safe pharmacotherapy and deliver them in a skills lab environment
• basics of dosage calculation required for the delivery of pharmacotherapy

Contents
Infection prevention and aseptic technique, the monitoring of vital functions, First Aid 1, safe pharmacotherapy (routes of administration, pharmacotherapy in a hospital and at home, pharmacotherapy guidance), dosage calculation

Modes of delivery
Active learning, lectures
Assignments / skills lab practice
Online learning
Examinations
Simulation
Assessment
T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria
Students will be able to:

LEVEL 5
• provide a comprehensive and reasoned description of the principles of aseptic technique and infection prevention in nursing
• determine changes in vital functions and deliver a range of nursing interventions in a skills lab environment and provide justification
• deliver first aid in situations involving common illnesses and accidents in a skills lab environment and provide comprehensive reasoning for their actions
• name a range of the principles of safe pharmacotherapy and deliver them in a skills lab environment with justification
• basics of dosage calculation required for the delivery of pharmacotherapy

LEVEL 3
• provide a comprehensive description of the principles of aseptic technique and infection prevention in nursing
• determine changes in vital functions and deliver nursing interventions in a skills lab environment and provide justification
• deliver first aid in situations involving common illnesses and accidents in a skills lab environment and provide justification for their actions
• name a range of the principles of safe pharmacotherapy and deliver them in a skills lab environment
• basics of dosage calculation required for the delivery of pharmacotherapy

LEVEL 1
• name a few of the principles of aseptic technique and infection prevention in nursing
• recognise typical changes in vital functions and deliver nursing interventions in a skills lab environment
• deliver first aid in situations involving common illnesses and accidents in a skills lab environment and provide justification for some of the actions
• name a few of the principles of safe pharmacotherapy and deliver them in a skills lab environment
• basics of dosage calculation required for the delivery of pharmacotherapy

Learning materials
08HYPE4 Medical Competence 1 5 ECTS

08NHYPE4A Microbiologi 1 ECTS credits
08NHYPE4B Anatomy and Physiology 4 ECTS credit

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to:

- explain the basics of human anatomy and physiology
- describe common pathogenic microbes, routes and mechanisms of transmission and infection risk factors
- describe the methods of infection prevention and precautions in nursing

Contents

Anatomy and physiology, the cell, tissue, skin, urine secretion, the digestive and endocrine system, the nervous system, brain, senses, the circulatory and respiratory systems, the defence mechanisms of blood and organs, the musculoskeletal system

Microbiology: the main microbe groups, routes and mechanisms of transmission, body defence mechanisms, common precautions, preventing the spread of infection, common sampling methods

Modes of delivery

Active learning
Online learning
Exam

Assessment

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to:

LEVEL 5

- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the basics of human anatomy and physiology
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned description of common pathogenic microbes, routes and mechanisms of transmission and infection risk factors
- provide a broad and reasoned description of the methods of infection prevention and precautions in nursing

LEVEL 3

- explain, with reasons, the main aspects of human anatomy and physiology
- describe common pathogenic microbes, routes and mechanisms of transmission and infection risk factors
- describe common methods of infection prevention and precautions in nursing

LEVEL 1
explain the main aspects of human anatomy and the basics of physiology

describe some of the most common pathogenic microbes, routes and mechanisms of transmission and infection risk factors

describe some of the methods of infection prevention and precautions in nursing

Learning materials

Optional:

08NHYPE4A Microbiologi 1 ECTS

08NHYPE4B Anatomy and Physiology 4 ECTS

08NHYPE5 Clinical Practice 1 10 ECTS

Learning outcomes

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<th>COMPETENCIES / COMPETENCE AREAS</th>
<th>BASIC NURSING SKILLS PRACTICE, Practice 1 Students will be able to:</th>
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| CRM competence in nursing practice | • engage in professional interaction with customers and their families
|                                 | • interact with the customer as an active operator in the care, and support the role of families
|                                 | • identify specific communication-related aspects (e.g. patients with memory disorders or disabilities) |
| Health promotion skills and competence | Health promotion skills |
|                                    | • take into account issues related to ergonomics
|                                    | • design and deliver suitable activities and stimulation for customers of different age groups |
| Clinical competence | • monitor the customer's vital functions and condition
|                                 | • comply with the principles of infection prevention
|                                 | • under supervision, deliver nursing interventions
|                                 | • under supervision, deliver symptom-based and humane care for a terminally ill patient and support his or her family
|                                 | • under supervision, deliver nutritional therapy for a customer
|                                 | • under supervision, use main types of assistive equipment safely
|                                 | • under supervision, deliver safe pharmacotherapy
|                                 | • (pharmacotherapy passport) |
| **Decision-making competence** | • under supervision, determine the patient's need for care, and plan, implement and evaluate the care (FinCC classification)  
• under supervision, communicate verbally on matters related to the customer's care and document the care |
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<td><strong>Guidance and instructional competencies</strong></td>
<td>• under supervision, design, implement and evaluate customer-oriented good guidance in care situations</td>
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| **Ethical competence** | • act in accordance with the values and ethical guidelines of nursing  
• treat customers equally and fairly  
• take into account sustainability aspects in their practice |
| **Workplace competence** | • act as a member of a workplace community  
• under supervision, utilise the competencies of different professional groups in the customer care |
| **Innovation competence** | • use creativity in different care situations |
| **International competence** | • under supervision, meet customers from different cultures as individuals |
| **Learning skills** | • set concrete objectives to guide the learning process  
• take initiative and responsibility for their actions  
• receive and give feedback  
• source information on which to base their actions  
• appraise their competencies and development |

Clinical practice settings

3 ECTS credits in workshop and simulations settings, 3 ECTS credits in different personal customer contact settings (e.g. an ageing customer, developmentally or physically disabled customer) and 4 ECTS credits in different social and health care settings where basic nursing skills can be practised. Suitable settings include patient and care wards of health centres and regional hospitals, nursing homes, care wards of private or public nursing homes or residential care homes, patients' homes, disabled care units.

**Mode of delivery**

Clinical practice, a written assignment

**Assessment:**

Pass/Fail

**PROFESSIONAL STUDIES 105 ECTS**

**Good Care in Longterm Illnesses 30 ECTS**

**Module objectives**

By the end of this module, you will be familiar with the concept of good nursing care of patients with chronic illnesses. You will be able to deliver good clinical care for patients with common chronic illnesses, recognise the boundaries of your personal competencies and vocational area of
responsibility, and understand the nurse's contribution in evidence-based practice. You will have grasped the principles of evidence-based, customer-oriented guidance of patients/customers, of supporting the customer's active role, and the use of an empowering work approach in a good care process. You will be able to recognise risks related to patient safety and different risk management approaches, identify risks related to health, work capacity and impairments, health promotion methods and good care of patients/customers as part of the continuity of care.

Competencies: Customer-oriented approach, ethical and professional nursing practice, evidence-based practice and decision-making, guidance and instructional competencies, promotion of health and functional capacity, the operational environment in social and health care, the quality and safety of social and health services, ethical competence, workplace competence and international competence

08NHYP51 Competence in Chronic Nursing Care 5 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to:

- recognise the risk factors of common chronic diseases and conditions and the associated symptoms and care, using evidence-based knowledge
- deliver safe pharmacotherapy and have command of dosage calculation within a skills workshop and simulation setting.
- carry out the main types of examination and care procedures related to the care of a chronic patient/customer within a skills workshop and simulation setting
- explain the roles of a multidisciplinary team and families in the care of chronically ill patients/customers
- provide a reasoned explanation of the role of the patient's/customer's self-management and health promotion, taking into account the rehabilitative nursing approach

Contents:

Chronic care, main types of examination procedures and nursing interventions, characteristics specific to pharmacotherapy for chronic conditions.

Modes of delivery

Active learning
Skill workshops and simulation exercises
Online learning
Seminars
Demonstration / exams

Assessment

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to:

LEVEL 5

- recognise a comprehensive range of the risk factors of common chronic diseases and conditions and the associated symptoms and care, using a diverse range of evidence-based knowledge
- deliver, with justification, safe pharmacotherapy and faultless performance of dosage calculation
- carry out a diverse range of examination and care procedures related to the care of a chronic patient/customer within a skills workshop and simulation setting
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the roles of a multidisciplinary team and families in the care of chronically ill patients/customers
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the role of the patient's/customer's self-management and health promotion, taking into account the rehabilitative nursing approach

LEVEL 3

- explain common risk factors of chronic diseases and conditions and the associated symptoms and care, using an essential range of evidence-based knowledge

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• deliver safe pharmacotherapy and faultless performance of dosage calculation
• carry out essential examination and care procedures related to the care of a chronic patient/customer within a skills workshop and simulation setting
• explain the roles of the main types of professional teams and of the families in the care of chronically ill patients/customers
• justify, in broad terms, the importance of the patient's/customer's self-management and health promotion, taking into account the rehabilitative nursing approach

LEVEL 1

• explain typical risk factors of chronic diseases and conditions and the associated symptoms and care, using relevant evidence-based knowledge
• deliver safe pharmacotherapy and faultless performance of dosage calculation
• carry out typical examination and care procedures related to the care of a chronic patient/customer within a skills workshop and simulation setting
• explain the roles of a multidisciplinary team and families in the care of chronically ill patients/customers
• explain the role of the patient's/customer's self-management and health promotion, taking into account the rehabilitative nursing approach

Learning materials Exam materials:


Current articles, research reports and other literature, Current Care and other guidelines

08NHYPS2A Professional identity 1 ECTS

08NHYPS2B Competence in Mental Health and Substance Abuse Work 4 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

• recognise the role of their own personality in the care relationship, reflect on their thought processes and see supervision as a support function of their professional practice
• identify and describe characteristics specific to the care relationship in mental health and substance abuse treatment
• plan, deliver and, through the use of documentation, evaluate mental health and substance abuse nursing care from the point of view of structured documentation, using evidence-based knowledge
• recognise the impact of changes at the individual, family, community and society level on a person's mental health and substance abuse
• name acts governing social and health care, the service system and health policy programmes and understand the role of ethical guidelines
• recognise the role of safe pharmacotherapy as part of the holistic care of a patient, taking into account the special requirements of mental health and substance abuse nursing care
• describe the role of a team, multidisciplinary approach and network-based practice in the holistic care of a patient
• apply the main ideas of clinical psychology in mental health practice
• name the most common mental health disorders, drugs used in their treatment including their purposes, and recognise the side effects of drugs

Contents

Legislation, health policies and the service system in mental health and substance abuse nursing care; Ethics, patients’ right to self-determination and patient safety, The care relationship, Reflective practice, self-reflection and dialogue skills, Safe pharmacotherapy, Family and networks in mental health and substance abuse practice, Supervision, coping in the workplace and occupational well-being; Evidence-based good nursing care in mental health and substance abuse treatment

Modes of delivery

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Active learning
Applied PBL sessions

Assignments
Written report
Online learning
Seminars

Assessment
T1-K5

Course assessment criteria
Students will be able to

LEVEL 5
- display understanding of and describe the role of their own personality in the care relationship and see reflective practice and supervision as support functions of their professional practice.
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the characteristics specific to the care relationship in mental health and substance abuse nursing care.
- plan, deliver and, through the use of documentation, evaluate mental health and substance abuse work from the point of view of structured documentation using a range of evidence-based knowledge
- compare the impacts of changes at the individual, family, community and society level on a person's mental health and substance abuse
- name an increasing range of acts governing social and health care, the service system and health policy programmes and understand the role of ethical guidelines
- provide a reasoned explanation of the role of safe pharmacotherapy as part of the holistic care of a patient, taking into account the special requirements of mental health and substance abuse work
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the roles of a team, multidisciplinary approach and network-based practice in the holistic care of a patient
- name a range of different mental health disorders, drugs used in their treatment and their purpose of use, and recognise a range of drug side effects
- apply, with justification, a wide range of main ideas of clinical psychology in mental health practice

LEVEL 3
- recognise the role of their own personality in the care relationship and see reflective practice and supervision as support functions of their practice.
- describe a range of characteristics specific to the care relationship in mental health and substance abuse treatment.
- plan, deliver and, through the use of documentation, evaluate mental health and substance abuse work from the point of view of structured documentation using a limited range of evidence-based knowledge
- explain the impacts of changes at the individual, family, community and society level on a person's mental health and substance abuse
- name the main acts governing social and health care, the service system and health policy programmes and understand the role of ethical guidelines
- explain some of the main aspects of safe pharmacotherapy as part of the holistic care of a patient, taking into account the special requirements of mental health and substance abuse work
- describe a wide range of the roles of a team, multidisciplinary approach and network-based practice in the holistic care of a patient
- name all of the most common mental health disorders, drugs used in their treatment including their purposes, and recognise some of the common side effects of drugs
- apply a wide range of main ideas of clinical psychology in mental health practice

LEVEL 1
- recognise the role of their own personality in the care relationship and see reflective practice and supervision as support functions of their practice.
- describe the key characteristics specific to the care relationship in mental health and substance abuse treatment.
• plan, deliver and, through the use of documentation, evaluate mental health and substance abuse nursing care from the point of view of structured documentation, using a narrow range of evidence-based knowledge
• state the impacts of changes at the individual, family, community and society level on a person's mental health and substance abuse
• name a limited range of acts governing social and health care, the service system and health policy programmes and understand the role of ethical guidelines
• state a few aspects of safe pharmacotherapy as part of the holistic care of a patient, taking into account the special requirements of mental health and substance abuse nursing care
• describe some of the roles of a team, multidisciplinary approach and network-based practice in the holistic care of a patient
• name the most common mental health disorders, drugs used in their treatment including their purposes, and recognise some of the common side effects of drugs
• apply some of the main ideas of clinical psychology in mental health nursing care

**Learning materials**


www.finlex.fi. (The Mental Health Act and Decree, Päihdehuoltolaki (act on the prevention and treatment of substance abuse)


**08NHYP3 Competence in Health Promotion 5 ECTS**

**08NENG English Language 3 ECTS**

**Learning outcomes**

The course corresponds to Level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference: “Can understand the main ideas of complex text on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in his/her field of specialisation. Can interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity that makes regular interaction with native speakers quite possible without strain for either party. Can produce clear, detailed text on a wide range of subjects and explain a viewpoint on a topical issue, giving the advantages and independent disadvantages of various options.” (The description sets out the level of proficiency, but it is based on objectives on standard language. The description should be applied as appropriate for the field in question.)

**Contents**

Professional communication (oral and written)

• conversational skills and oral presentation
• description of educational background
• job application documents
• field-specific literature and basic vocabulary
• use of online sources
• grammatical structures as needed within context

Knowledge of cultures, 'learning to learn' and learning strategies are overarching themes in all topics.
Prerequisites
Upper secondary education Level A/B English or equivalent is required. All students are required to sit a written entry-level test before taking foreign language courses (excluding students who have earned the M, E or L grade in the matriculation examination in the language in question). Students who fail the test will be advised to supplement their language skills.

Modes of delivery
In-class learning
Oral and written exam
Alternatively, students can sit a demonstration exam to demonstrate the required proficiency. The demonstration exam is comprised of oral and written components and requires command of the basic vocational vocabulary of the degree programme.

Assessment
Assessment T1-K5

Learning materials
Programme-specific materials.

08NHYP3SA Health Promotion 2 ECTS

Learning outcomes
Students will be able to

- explain the principles, levels and modes of action in health promotion, and key methods
- explain the needed changes of a customer/patient and name methods for achieving the goals
- name some of the basic concepts and models of rehabilitation and justify the rehabilitative nursing approach in different settings

Contents: outpatient health care, rehabilitative nursing, health promotion methods, health and sustainability

Modes of delivery
Active learning and independent study
Skill workshops/simulation
Online learning
Skills demonstration / exams / seminars

Assessment
T1 - K 5

Course assessment criteria
Students will be able to

LEVEL 5

- explain the principles, levels and modes of action in health promotion and key methods in a reasoned manner
- explain the needed changes of a customer/patient in a reasoned manner and name a range of methods for achieving the goals
- name and explain a range of the basic concepts and models of rehabilitation, and state and justify the different roles of a rehabilitative nursing approach in different settings
LEVEL 3

- explain key principles, levels and modes of action in health promotion and its methods
- explain the needed changes of a customer/patient and name methods for achieving the goals
- name a range of the basic concepts and models of rehabilitation and justify the role of a rehabilitative nursing approach in different settings

LEVEL 1

- explain some of the principles, levels and modes of action in health promotion and its key methods
- explain some of the needed changes of a customer/patient and name key methods for achieving the goals
- name key concepts and models of rehabilitation and justify some of the roles of a rehabilitative nursing approach in different settings

Learning materials


WHO: Health and Sustainable Development. Key Health Trends: http://www.who.int/mediacentre/events/HSD_Plaq_02.2_Gb_def1.pdf

Other materials tba

08NHYP4S Medical Competence 2 5 ECTS

08NHYP4SA Public Health 0.5 ECTS credits

08NHYP4SB Internal Medicine and Pathology 1.5 ECTS credits

08NHYP4SC Psychiatry 1 ECTS credit

08NHYP4SD Pharmacology 2 ECTS credits

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to:

- explain basic concepts of public health and epidemiology
- recognise factors affecting public health and well-being and those of different demographics, their health-related issues and needs based on scientific research data
- recognise social and health care measures and the opportunities of national health policies in responding to the health needs of the public and different demographics
- recognise aspects of the etiology and prevention of main types of endemic diseases
- describe common pharmacological and health science-based forms of treatment
- name different groups of drugs, their effects and routes of administration- apply pharmacological knowledge in patient care

Contents

Public health, internal medicine, pathology and psychiatry: most common endemic diseases and their impact on an individual's health and everyday functional capacity, the basics of internal medicine and pathology, cardiovascular diseases, the basics of pulmonary diseases, cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes.

Pharmacology: Pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics and other variables, side effects and co-effects, drug safety and compliance, key drug groups

Modes of delivery

Active learning

15.9.2014
Online work Exams

Assessment

Public Health pass/fail

Internal Medicine and Pathology: T1 - K5

Psychiatry T1 - K5

Pharmacology: T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to:

LEVEL 5

- explain the basic concepts of public health and epidemiology in a thorough and reasoned manner
- recognise a range of factors affecting public health and well-being and that of different demographics, their health-related issues and needs based on scientific research data
- recognise a range of social and health care measures and the opportunities of national health policies in responding to the health needs of the public and different demographics
- demonstrate extensive knowledge and provide reasoning for the etiology and prevention of main types of endemic diseases
- describe a range of pharmacological and health science-based forms of treatment
- name an extensive range of different drug groups, their effects and routes of administration - apply a range of pharmacological knowledge in patient care

LEVEL 3

- broadly explain the basic concepts of public health and epidemiology
- recognise key factors affecting public health and well-being and those of different demographics, their health-related issues and needs based on scientific research data
- recognise key social and health care measures and the opportunities of national health policies in responding to the health needs of the public and different demographics
- demonstrate extensive knowledge of the etiology and prevention of main types of endemic diseases
- describe a range of pharmacological and health science-based forms of treatment
- name main groups of drugs, their effects and routes of administration - apply essential pharmacological knowledge in patient care

LEVEL 1

- explain key concepts of public health and epidemiology
- recognise some factors affecting public health and well-being and those of different demographics, their health-related issues and needs based on scientific research data
- recognise some social and health care measures and the opportunities of national health policies in responding to the health needs of the public and different demographics
- recognise aspects of the etiology and prevention of main types of endemic diseases
- describe a few pharmacological and health science-based forms of treatment
- name a few drug groups, their effects and routes of administration
- apply a few aspects of pharmacological knowledge in patient care

Learning materials


### 08NYPS5 Clinical Practice 2 10 ECTS

**Learning outcomes / Students will be able to**

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<td>• describe aspects of the health care service system and different treatment paths of patients/customers and, under supervision, refer patients/customers to different service systems</td>
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<td>• take patient safety into account in their practice</td>
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<td>Health promotion skills and competence</td>
<td>• under supervision, design, deliver and appraise the individual good care of patients, customers and families</td>
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<td>• identify the personal resources of the patient/customer and apply a rehabilitative approach at the individual level</td>
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<td>• recognise their role in the health promotion of patients/customers/families and support and activate them professionally towards health promotion and maintenance and commitment to care</td>
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<td>Clinical competence</td>
<td>• under supervision, apply the principles of the examination and care of chronic illnesses from the nursing point-of-view</td>
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<td>• under supervision, execute the main types of examination and care procedures using appropriate technical and aseptic techniques</td>
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<td>• have command of dosage calculation and deliver safe pharmacotherapy under supervision</td>
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<td>• take responsibility for filling in the medication passport according to the instructions</td>
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<td>Decision-making competence</td>
<td>• describe the care process model underlying decision-making</td>
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<td>• under supervision, make decisions related to care and justify their actions based on the nursing knowledge base (ethical principles, evidence-based knowledge)</td>
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<td>• produce clear and concise verbal and written communications on key aspects of patient/customer health care</td>
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<td>• log care procedures in accordance with the national model using the care process model / clinical care classification system</td>
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| Guidance and instructional competencies | • evaluate the essential individual guidance needs of customers/patients and families  
• design and deliver guidance with an individual approach and utilising different methods |
| Ethical competence | • practice in accordance with the ethical principles of nursing  
• take responsibility for their actions and their consequences and act in a responsible manner according to jointly agreed practices and guidelines  
• take into account sustainability aspects in their practice with due regard for ethics and patient safety  
• encounter and treat patients/customers/families in a fair and equal manner regardless of life circumstances and personal background |
| Workplace competence | • act as a member of a workplace community and engage in work-related communication and interaction in a professional manner  
• deliver care in accordance with the unit-specific operational model (primary nursing, module-based practice)  
• work in multidisciplinary teams and utilise the competencies of different professional groups in patient care  
• under supervision, plan their tasks and work systematically |
| International competence | • interact with customers, patients and families from different cultural backgrounds  
• work in a multicultural workplace community |
| Innovation competence | • recognise the role of creativity in different customer and patient care situations  
• use their creativity in different problem-solving situations and in the development of work methods |
| Learning skills | • source and utilise current evidence-based nursing data and multidisciplinary data from databases  
• take initiative, work with a proactive approach and assume responsibility for their own learning  
• realistically evaluate their own learning and define their personal strengths and development needs  
• receive and give feedback in a professional manner and utilize feedback in their practice |

**Clinical practice settings**

Supervised clinical practice is carried out in different types of health care settings, e.g.:

- medical and surgical wards, pulmonary diseases inpatient wards, neurological wards-surgical wards
- different types of rehabilitative mental health units

**Modes of delivery**

Clinical practice and a related assignment, simulation

Pass/Fail
Good Care in Acute Care 30 ECTS

Module objectives

In this module, you will familiarise yourself with the concept of good acute care. By the end of this module, you will be able to plan, deliver and appraise good nursing care of patients with an acute illness and/or in perioperative nursing in different practice settings. You will be able to interact with patients and their families with a holistic approach in demanding care situations. In addition, you will be able to apply evidence-based knowledge, such as instructions on patient care and examination, clinical guidelines and best practices, in nursing situations requiring problem-solving and decision-making skills. You will be equipped to provide safe care with due regard for patient safety and security as well as occupational safety and health. You will be able to work in multidisciplinary teams and analyse your actions and those of the team.

Competencies

Clinical nursing practice, customer-oriented approach, ethical and professional nursing practice, leadership and entrepreneurship, evidence-based practice and decision-making, guidance and instructional competencies, promotion of health and functional capacity, the operational environment in social and health care, the quality and safety of social and health services, ethical competence, and workplace skills and competence.

08NHAKU1 Competence in Acute Care 5 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- define the stages of the care process of patients with a physical and/or psychological acute condition
- analyse factors related to patient safety and security in the nursing care of acute patients
- monitor the vital functions in acute patients and recognise the most common types of abnormalities
- apply the principles of safe pharmacological, fluid, nutrition and pain therapies in acute nursing care
- provide guidance and support to acute patients and their families with a customer-oriented approach throughout the different stages of the care process
- apply evidence-based knowledge in the planning, delivery and appraisal of nursing care with acute patients
- identify patients in crisis and apply the basic principles of psychological intervention in the patient's care

Contents

Characteristics specific to acute nursing care in different care settings, good patient care in acute illness, aseptic and ethical practice, patient safety and security, pharmacological, fluid, nutrition and pain therapies, acute mental health nursing, psychological intervention

Modes of delivery

Interactive lectures
PBL sessions
Online learning
Skills workshops/simulation
Educational visit
Exam

Assessment

1 - 5
LEVEL 5

- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the stages of the care process of patients with an acute physical or psychological condition, analyse, with breadth, factors related to patient safety and security in nursing practice with acute patients
- monitor a range of the vital functions of acute patients and recognise the most common types of abnormalities
- apply and justify a range of the principles of safe pharmacological, fluid, nutrition and pain therapies in acute nursing care
- provide a range of guidance and support to acute patients and their families with a customer-oriented approach in different stages of the care process
- apply and justify a range of evidence-based knowledge in the planning, delivery and appraisal of acute nursing care
- identify a range of characteristics typical with patients experiencing a crisis and apply, with justification, the basic principles of psychological intervention in the patient's care

LEVEL 3

- provide a comprehensive account of the stages of the care process of patients with an acute physical and/or psychological condition, analyse key factors related to patient safety and security in nursing practice with acute patients
- monitor the primary vital functions of acute patients and recognise the most common types of abnormalities
- apply a range of the principles of safe pharmacological, fluid, nutrition and pain therapies in acute nursing care
- provide guidance and support to acute patients and their families with a customer-oriented approach in different stages of the care process, apply a range of evidence-based knowledge in the planning, delivery and appraisal of acute nursing care
- identify some of the characteristics typical with patients experiencing a crisis and apply, with justification, a range of the basic principles of psychological intervention in the patient's care

LEVEL 1

- define some of the key stages of the care process of patients who have an acute physical and/or psychological condition, analyse some of the factors related to patient safety and security in acute nursing care
- monitor some of the vital functions of acute patients and recognise certain abnormalities.
- apply key principles of safe pharmacological, fluid, nutrition and pain therapies in acute nursing care
- provide guidance and support to acute patients and their families throughout the different stages of the care process, apply some aspects of evidence-based knowledge in the planning, delivery and appraisal of acute nursing care
- identify some of the characteristics typical with patients experiencing a crisis and apply some of the principles of psychological intervention in the patient's care

Prerequisites

Principles of good nursing care, 30 ECTS credits

Good chronic care, 30 ECTS credits

Learning materials


National and international recommendations and models for nursing.

Research reports related to the topic.
Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- describe the characteristics specific to acute care in surgical, intensive care, accident and emergency, paramedical and intensified care settings
- analyse the link between critical thinking and acute care in different acute care settings
- analyse different acute care situations and draw up a care plan for an acute patient
- draw conclusions about the status of an acute patient and propose appropriate nursing interventions for the patient’s care

Contents

Characteristics specific to acute care in different operational environments, the monitoring of vital functions, abnormalities in vital functions, supporting vital functions, the ABCDE bundle, resuscitation, acute mental health problems, critical thinking and decision-making, patient safety and security, evidence-based practice, crisis psychology, sustainability

Modes of delivery

Interactive lectures
Skills workshops and simulation exercises
Group work
Online learning
Exam

Assessment

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to

LEVEL 5

- provide a comprehensive account of the characteristics specific to acute care in surgical, intensive care, accident and emergency, paramedical and intensified care settings
- analyse, with reasons, and reflect on the link between critical thinking and acute care in different acute care settings
- analyse a range of different acute care situations and draw up a care plan for patients with acute conditions and complications
- draw a range of conclusions about the status of an acute patient and provide reasoning, and propose and justify a number of appropriate nursing interventions for the patient’s care

LEVEL 3

- describe the main characteristics specific to acute care in surgical, intensive care, accident and emergency, paramedical and intensified care settings
- analyse, with reasons, the link between critical thinking and acute care in different acute care settings
- analyse a range of common acute care situations and draw up a care plan for patients with typical acute conditions and complications
- draw a number of conclusions about the status of an acute patient and provide reasoning, and propose a number of appropriate nursing interventions for the patient’s care
LEVEL 1

- describe some of the characteristics specific to acute care in surgical, intensive care, accident and emergency, paramedical and intensified care settings
- analyse the link between critical thinking and acute care in typical acute care settings
- analyse typical acute care situations and draw up a care plan for a typical acute patient
- draw some conclusions about the status of an acute patient and propose some nursing interventions for the patient's care

Learning materials


Kuisma, Holmström, Porthan (eds.) 2008. Ensihoito. Tammi


Current Care Guidelines and Clinical Guidelines, regional care models
Articles and research reports related to the topic.

**08NHAKU3 Competence in Guiding and Encountering 5 ECTS**

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- use different guidance methods as a professional tool in different stages of patients' treatment paths
- apply the principles of patient interaction and guidance in different electronic communication environments (e.g. mobile devices, social media) explain the underlying basis of patients' commitment to care and self-management and the associated support methods
- use a range of evidence-based nursing recommendations and models in different stages of patient care
- analyse the opportunities of multidisciplinary collaboration in the guidance of patients and their families
- assess their personal development challenges related to professional interaction and guidance skills

Contents

Customer-oriented guidance, guidance methods, motivational and empowering discussion, commitment to care, dialogue, electronic guidance platforms, guidance of patients and their families in acute care, evidence-based nursing recommendations and models in different stages of care guidance, multidisciplinary collaboration

Modes of delivery
Active learning
Simulation exercises
Online learning
Seminar
Exam

Assessment
T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to

LEVEL 5

- use, with justification, a range of guidance methods as a professional tool in different stages of patients' treatment paths
- apply, diversely and with reasons, the principles of patient interaction and guidance in different electronic communication environments (e.g. mobile devices, social media)
- provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the underlying basis of patients' commitment to care and self-management and the associated support methods
- critically apply a range of evidence-based nursing recommendations and models in different stages of patient care
- analyse, with breadth, and reflect on the opportunities of multidisciplinary collaboration in the guidance of patients and their families
- assess, reason and reflect on their personal development challenges related to professional interaction and guidance skills

LEVEL 3

- use the main types of guidance methods as a professional tool in different stages of patients' treatment paths
- broadly apply the principles of patient interaction and guidance in different electronic communication environments (e.g. mobile devices, social media)
- explain the main aspects of the underlying basis of patients' commitment to care and self-management and the associated support methods
- use a range of evidence-based nursing recommendations and models in different stages of patient care
- analyse, with breadth, the opportunities of multidisciplinary collaboration in the guidance of patients and their families
- articulate a broad assessment of their personal development challenges related to professional interaction and guidance skills

LEVEL 1

- use some guidance methods as a professional tool in different stages of patients' treatment paths
- apply, in a narrow range, the principles of patient interaction and guidance in different electronic communication environments (e.g. mobile devices, social media)
- explain some of the underlying basis of patients' commitment to care and self-management and the associated support methods
- use evidence-based nursing recommendations and models in different stages of patient care
- analyse some of opportunities of multidisciplinary collaboration in the guidance of patients and their families
- evaluate some personal development challenges related to professional interaction and guidance skills

Learning materials


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Clinical guidelines
National and regional models for nursing practice

**08NHAKU4 Medical Competence 3 5 ECTS**

*08NHAKU4A Surgery* 1 ECTS credits

*08NHAKU4B Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care* 1 ECTS credits

*08NHAKU4C Pediatrics* 1 ECTS credits

*08NHAKU4D Gynaecology and Obstetrics* 0.5 ECTS credits

*08NHAKU4E Geriatrics* 1 ECTS credit

*08NHAKU4F Infectious Diseases* 0.5 ECTS credits

**Learning outcomes**

Students will be able to

- utilise scientific medical knowledge in perioperative and acute patient care and in gynaecological, pediatric and geriatric care.

**Contents**

Surgical specialties: examination and treatment methods, surgery, orthopaedics, gastroenterology, thorax and vascular surgery, trauma surgery, plastic surgery, urology, neurosurgery and general anaesthesia, topical anaesthesia, perioperative fluid therapy, recognition of intensive care needs, basics of radiation safety, anaesthesiology and emergency medicine, psychiatry, paediatrics, gynaecology and obstetrics, geriatrics and infectious diseases.

**Modes of delivery**

Active learning

Online learning

Exam

**Assessment**

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**Learning materials**

TBA at the start of the module.

**08NHAKU5 Clinical Practice 3 10 ECTS**

**Learning outcomes**

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| Learning skills | • set concrete objectives for the learning process and build knowledge to underpin their clinical practice  
• take initiative, work with a proactive approach and assume responsibility for their own learning  
• receive and give feedback and utilise it in the learning process |
| CRM competence in nursing practice | • work with a customer/patient-oriented approach based on a holistic concept of personhood with different age groups in acute nursing care  
• identify different types and levels of functional deficiencies in customers/patients  
• interact with customers/patients from different cultural and ethnic backgrounds |
| Health promotion skills and competence | • support and activate acute patients and their families in the promotion of health, personal resources and functional capacity  
• apply the principles of rehabilitative nursing in acute care |
| Clinical competence Under supervision | • utilise theoretical and evidence-based knowledge of nursing sciences in acute care (scientific and empirical knowledge)  
• utilise the medical knowledge base of common acute illnesses in nursing practice  
• assist in typical examination and care procedures of acute patients and use equipment and machines in a safe manner  
• take responsibility for the physical, psychological, mental and social safety and security of customers/patients  
• comply with radiation safety guidelines in a workplace  
• support the well-being and mental capacity of patients and their families through care-related measures in acute situations and crises, and identify factors and situations which can impact the customer's/patient's ability to cope  
• adhere to the principles of aseptic technique and infection prevention |
monitor the patient's status, symptoms and effectiveness of treatment in the treatment of common perioperative and acute conditions

support, maintain and restore the patient's vital functions

operate in situations involving sudden changes in the customer's/patient's condition and in different PPE and PPE-D treatment and operating environments (including anaphylactic reaction)

use assistive equipment taking into account patient safety and ergonomics

reduce the customer's/patient's pain and suffering in different situations and using different methods, including in end-of-life care

act in compliance with applicable procedures and guidelines related to emergencies and exceptional circumstances

Pharmacotherapy competence areas under supervision:

demonstrate command of the pharmacological basis of pharmacotherapy and dosage calculations

implement, in a safe and correct manner, the pharmacotherapy process as prescribed by the physician. This also includes the preparation, delivery and monitoring of peripheral and central pharmacological, fluid and nutrition therapies and blood transfusions as well as fluid balance monitoring in these contexts

insert a cannula and a mandrel (or another similar cannulacapping method) and remove peripheral and central vein cannula

maintain a patient's infusion port

prepare and use infusion calculators, syringe pumps and pain management pumps

instruct and advice customers/patients in pharmacotherapy

log information related to the customer's/patient's pharmacotherapy

identify risk factors in pharmacotherapy and examine data on medication incidents in the development of pharmacotherapy

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dispose of pharmacological waste, administration and transfusion supplies in a safe and ecological manner

Guidance and instructional competencies

Under supervision

instruct and guide different types of customers/patients, their families and carers

instruct and guide customers/patients in self-treatment and health management

instruct and guide other students and staff

use and produce basic guidance materials and utilise electronic patient guidance applications

Ethical competence

take responsibility for their actions and their consequences

act in accordance with the ethical principles of nursing
Decision-making competence
Under supervision

- determine care requirements and plan, implement and evaluate the care together with patients/customers and their families
- draw logical conclusions about the condition and symptoms of the customer/patient, the effectiveness of treatment, both in preplanned and unprecedented situations
- prioritise the care requirements of customers/patients
- document the care in compliance with data protection and security requirements applicable to patient documents and medical histories

Workplace skills and competence

- practice in a multidisciplinary workplace as a student member
- interact and communicate in different situations in acute nursing practice
- operate and utilise the workplace IT systems
- analyse the sustainability practices of the workplace

International competence

- communicate intelligibly in languages required in their chosen field (Finnish, Swedish, English)
- promote multicultural cooperation in the workplace organisation
- make use of international publications in their chosen field

Clinical practice settings

Supervised clinical practice is carried out in different types of health care settings:

- medical and surgical wards, ophthalmology and ENT units, basic health care outpatient clinics, surgical units, enhanced monitoring units, intensive care units, paramedical settings, accident and emergency, and acute and rehabilitation units in mental health care

Prerequisites

Successful completion of the following courses/modules: Medicine 1, Dosage Calculation, Acute Care 5 ECTS credits

Modes of delivery

Clinical practice, written report

Assessment

Pass/fail

Good Nursing Care in Different Life Stages 30 ECTS

Module objectives

In this module, students explore the topic of good nursing care in different life stages. By the end of this module, you should have the necessary theoretical knowledge and skills in family nursing care to interact with and care for different types of patients/customers and their families. The courses of this module are integrated around the life span approach, and you will learn to examine the life circumstances of individuals and families from this perspective. On successful completion of this module, you will be able to design, deliver and appraise good nursing care of children, young people and families and support the well-being of families with young children. In addition, you will be able to examine the characteristics specific to the nursing care of the elderly and respond with appropriate care in different settings, drawing from evidence-based knowledge. The module includes Swedish language studies which will enable you to interact with Swedish-speaking customers of different ages.

Competencies: learning skills, ethical competence, workplace competence, innovation competence and international competence.
08NELVA1 Competence in Family Nursing 8 ECTS

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Learning outcomes

The student is able to:

- understand a work culture in Finland
- use the most common work related phrases and vocabulary
- understand the meaning of the meeting and negotiation skills at work
- write the most common work related texts.

Content

Deepening the Finnish grammar. Writing different kinds of texts at work. Learning and practicing meeting and negotiation skills at work.

Mode of completion

Active participation in contact lessons, oral and written exercises, exam.

Evaluation

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Evaluation criteria

Student is able to:

LEVEL 5

- understand and explain the features of Finnish work culture
- use actively and quite extensively work related vocabulary
- understand extensively the meaning of the meeting and negotiation skills at work.

LEVEL 3

- understand Finnish work culture
- use actively work related phrases and vocabulary
- understand the meaning of meeting and negotiation skills at work.

LEVEL 1

- understand main features of Finnish work culture
- use some work related phrases and vocabulary
- understand some meanings of the meeting and negotiation skills at work.

Study material

A material package provided by the lecturer

08ELVA1B Professional Finnish language 3 ECTS

08NELVA1A Family Nursing Care 2 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- apply family nursing methods and describe the principles of personal resource-oriented guidance and care
identify the different stages of the family life span and apply the knowledge base of life span psychology and developmental psychology in nursing practice
evaluate phenomena related to multiculturalism in families

Contents
Family nursing methods, the stages of family development, the life span of a human being, developmental psychology, support for parenthood, relationship support, multicultural families as customers

Modes of delivery
Home exam
Seminar

Assessment
T1-K5

Course assessment criteria
Students will be able to

LEVEL 5
• apply and provide reasoning for a range of family nursing methods and describe with breadth the principles of personal resource-oriented guidance and care
• provide a comprehensive and reasoned account of the different stages of the family life span and apply a range of knowledge of life span psychology and developmental psychology in nursing practice
• evaluate phenomena related to multiculturalism in families in a critical and reasoned manner

LEVEL 3
• apply primary methods of family nursing care and describe key principles of resource-oriented guidance and care
• identify an extensive range of the stages of family development and apply knowledge of life span psychology and developmental psychology in nursing practice
• evaluate common phenomena related to multiculturalism in families in a reasoned manner

LEVEL 1
• apply some methods of family nursing care and describe some of the principles of personal resource-oriented guidance and care
• identify some of the stages of family development and apply some aspects of life span psychology and developmental psychology in nursing practice
• evaluate some phenomena related to multiculturalism in families

Learning materials
Compulsory source material for the home exam:

In addition, find one Swedish-language research article on the topic of family nursing.
Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- use current research data in conjunction with the course contents
- apply knowledge of child and adolescent development in nursing practice
- investigate, with accuracy, changes in a child's condition: monitor the child's condition, interpret the observations and provide care in cooperation with the child's family and other professionals
- deliver safe pharmacological and fluid therapy
- apply evidence-based knowledge in the recognition and treatment of a child's pain
- act in accordance with laws regarding the legal status of minors as patients
- recognise child abuse and interact with the child and his or her family
- provide guidance and support to families caring for a sick child, drawing from evidence-based knowledge

Contents

Child and adolescent growth and development, key nursing interventions for children and adolescents, special aspects of children's pharmacological and fluid therapies, pain recognition and management, nursing care for critically ill children and their families, financial support services for families caring for severely ill children

Prerequisites

Principles of good nursing care
Good chronic care

Modes of delivery

- lecture
- learning assignments
- skills workshop
- simulation
- exam

Assessment

T1-K5

Professional development (learning skills)

- guidance in choices related to the degree programme
- support for professional development

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to

LEVEL 5

- use a range of current research data in conjunction with the course contents
- adapt children's nursing interventions to children's development stages and the individual needs of families
- draw accurate and justified conclusions about a child's condition and apply different nursing interventions in order to deliver holistic care
- design and justify a range of safe pharmacological and fluid therapies for children
- apply and justify methods of recognising and treating pain in children
• comply with legislation related to minors as patients and present financial support methods related to a child's illness
• define child abuse and apply nursing interventions in the care of an abused child and his or her family
• apply, with justification, evidence-based knowledge in maintaining and supporting the personal resources of severely ill children and their families

LEVEL 3

• use key areas of current research data in conjunction with the course contents
• identify children's development stages and families' needs and choose appropriate nursing interventions
• draw accurate conclusions about a child's condition and apply common nursing interventions
• design and justify safe pharmacological and fluid therapies for children
• apply key areas of evidence-based knowledge in recognising pain in children and choosing appropriate interventions
• comply with legislation related to minors as patients and present some areas of financial support methods related to a child's illness
• name the forms of abuse and propose appropriate actions
• apply evidence-based knowledge in maintaining and supporting the personal resources of severely ill children and their families

LEVEL 1

• use some current research data in conjunction with the course contents
• identify some of children's development stages and families' needs and choose appropriate nursing interventions
• draw accurate conclusions about a child's condition and apply some interventions
• design safe pharmacological and fluid therapies for children
• apply, with a narrow range, evidence-based knowledge in recognising pain in children and choosing appropriate interventions
• comply with legislation related to minors as patients and present at least one financial support method related to a child's illness
• list the signs of child abuse and propose some actions
• use current knowledge in maintaining and supporting the personal resources of severely ill children and their families

Learning materials

Current articles

08NELVA3 Competence in Elderly People's Care 5 ECTS

Learning outcomes

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Students will be able to

- explain the main effects of ageing on a person's health and everyday functional ability and the key challenges of gerontological and geriatric nursing and at-home nursing care
- assess, support and promote the functional capacity (physical, mental, cognitive and social) of elderly customers and their families in different environments, utilising a wide range of functional capacity support tools (e.g. gerontechnology, artistic and cultural activities)
- evaluate the characteristics of geriatric pharmacotherapy and main types of drugs, and apply knowledge in delivering safe pharmacotherapy for ageing patients
- respond to special ageing-related issues (accidents, chronic illness, nutrition, loneliness, depression, suicide, mental and physical abuse, addictions, sexuality) drawing from evidence-based knowledge
- evaluate characteristics specific to encountering death with older people from different cultures, patients with severe dementia and ageing disabled people, and the associated end-of-life care
- design a multidisciplinary rehabilitation process for an elderly patient and utilise the rehabilitation service system

Contents

The life stage and living environment of elderly people, the effects of ageing on a person's health and everyday functional capacity, evaluation, support and promotion through diverse methods of the health and functional capacity of elderly patients and their families, special aspects of geriatric pharmacotherapy, the service and rehabilitation system of elderly people, the qualitative development of health-promoting services designed for the elderly, nursing challenges in the health promotion of elderly customers (accidents, nutrition, loneliness and togetherness, addictions, sexuality, depression, suicide, mental and physical abuse), the Act on Care Services for the Elderly, the rehabilitation process, carers support

Modes of delivery

Active learning

Assignments

Investigative learning: a written output and seminar presentation

Assessment

T1 - K5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to

LEVEL 5

- provide a reasoned account of the effects and key challenges of ageing-related changes in the context of gerontological and geriatric nursing and at-home nursing care
- provide a reasoned appraisal of the different assessment and support methods in the holistic promotion of older people's functional capacity and health in different environments
- provide a reasoned account of the special aspects of geriatric pharmacotherapy and apply, with justification, knowledge in the development of safe pharmacotherapy for ageing patients
- design justified solutions to ageing-related issues (accidents, chronic illness, nutrition, loneliness, depression, suicide, mental and physical abuse, addictions, sexuality) drawing from evidence-based knowledge
- evaluate and justify approaches to encountering death with older people from different cultures, patients with severe dementia and ageing disabled people and the associated end-of-life care
- design justified solutions for the multidisciplinary rehabilitation process of an elderly patient and utilise the rehabilitation service system

LEVEL 3

- explain the effects and key challenges of ageing-related changes in the context of gerontological nursing and at-home nursing care
- evaluate different assessment and support methods in the holistic promotion of older people's functional capacity and health in different environments
- evaluate the special aspects of geriatric pharmacotherapy and contribute to the development of safe pharmacotherapy for ageing patients

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• design solutions for ageing-related issues (accidents, nutrition, loneliness, depression, suicide, mental and physical abuse, addictions, sexuality) drawing from evidence-based knowledge
• evaluate approaches to encountering death with older people from different cultures, patients with dementia and ageing disabled people, and the associated end-of-life care
• design solutions for the multidisciplinary rehabilitation process of an elderly patient and explain the rehabilitation service system

LEVEL 1
• comment on the effects and key challenges of ageing-related changes in the context of gerontological nursing and at-home nursing care
• evaluate different assessment and support methods in the holistic promotion of older people's functional capacity and health in different environments
• evaluate the special aspects of geriatric pharmacotherapy and propose actions for the development of safe pharmacotherapy for ageing patients
• name solutions for ageing-related issues (accidents, nutrition, loneliness, depression, suicide, mental and physical abuse, addictions, sexuality) drawing from evidence-based knowledge
• evaluate approaches to encountering death with older people from different cultures and patients with severe dementia, and the associated end-of-life care
• design basic solutions for the multidisciplinary rehabilitation process of an elderly patient and describe the rehabilitation service system

Learning materials
Voutilainen P, Tiikkanen P (eds.) 2009. Gerontologinen hoitotyö, WSOY.

Databases, current Finnish and English-language articles. National guidelines

08NELVA4 Clinical Practice 4 15 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to:
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| CRM competence in nursing practice | • apply different approaches of family nursing in the care of patients/customers of different ages and their families  
• provide care to children of different ages and support their development based on developmental level and age  
• apply different approaches of gerontological nursing in the care of elderly patients/customers and their families |
| Health promotion skills and competence | • assess the mental resources of customers of different ages and their families, and health issues and threats  
• support the health, mental resources and functional capacity of patients of different ages and their families based on evidence  
• apply the principles of rehabilitative nursing in the care of customers of different ages, their families and communities  
• support, under supervision, the growth and development of parent/infant interaction |
| Clinical competence | • monitor children's vital functions and condition and understand the meaning of changes observed  
• identify and treat pain with children of different ages  
• design, deliver and appraise nursing care for children, adolescents / elderly people / families  
• safely administer pharmacotherapy to children / elderly people |
| Decision-making competence | • evaluate decisions in nursing care using evidence-based knowledge in cooperation with the patient and his/her family  
• document the care in compliance with the data protection and security requirements applicable to patient documents and medical histories  
• act in accordance with laws regarding the legal status of minors as patients  
• act in accordance with the Child Welfare Act in decision-making |
| Guidance and instructional competencies | • provide guidance to patients/customers of different ages and their families in self-management and health promotion/maintenance, using different one-to-one and group guidance methods  
• develop skills related to the medical guidance of patients/customers of different ages and their families in order to promote their health and commitment to care |
| Ethical competence | • evaluate their practice from the point of view of ethical nursing guidelines  
• treat and interact with customers and their families with fairness, equality and respect |
**Workplace skills and competence**
- analyse their practice as a primary nurse
- describe nursing expertise as a part of a multidisciplinary team
- act, under supervision, as part of an expert network delivering care to customers and families

**Innovation competence**
- combine different problem-solving and work methods in situations requiring development
- design solutions to the individual issues of customers of different ages
- design health promotion solutions for people of different ages as part of a multidisciplinary rehabilitation process

**International competence**
- evaluate their interaction with customers, patients and families coming from different cultural backgrounds
- develop cooperation in a multicultural workplace community

**Clinical practice settings**
Supervised clinical practice is carried out in different types of health care settings, e.g.:  
- children and youth care units  
- elderly care units  
- medical and surgical wards, pulmonary diseases inpatient wards, neurological wards  
- acute and rehabilitation units in mental health and substance abuse nursing care

**Modes of delivery**
Clinical practice, written report, simulation

**Assessment**
Pass/Fail

**Development of Welfare Services 15 ECTS**

**Module objectives**
In this module, students are introduced to tools of well-being services development. On successful completion of this module, you will be able to describe the contents and methods of well-being services development and the entrepreneurial approach. You will be able to apply research and development methodology towards the renewal and regeneration of well-being services in professional practice. You will also be able to apply the principles of ethical and sustainable development in well-being services development.

Competencies: customer-oriented approach, leadership and entrepreneurship, workplace skills and competence, evidence-based practice and decision-making, the operational environment in social and health care, the quality and safety of social and health services, ethical competence and research & development competence

**08NJOHTA1A Professional Identity 5, 1 ECTS**

**08NJOHTA1B Leadership, Supervision and The Workplace Organisation 4 ECTS**

**Learning outcomes**
Students will be able to
- explain the role of normative and information-based guidance in the delivery of social and health care services,
- analyse the management styles and methods of their immediate supervisors
• critically evaluate their own roles in the workplace operation,
• appraise the applicability of quality management tools in workplace development.

Contents

The social and health care operational environment, management and leadership in workplace organisations, as an employee in a workplace organisation, the development of work practices and the workplace community, service design, sustainable working

Prerequisites

The course is available to students who have at least 100 credits in their transcript or at least 3 years of work experience in social and health care at the time of registration.

Modes of delivery

Active learning
Group work
Written assignment/s
Online learning
Exam

Assessment

T1-K 5

Course assessment criteria

Students will be able to:

LEVEL 5

• provide a reasoned account of the role of normative and information-based guidance in the delivery of social and health care services
• make reasoned choices of appropriate quality management tools for operational development
• give a comprehensive and reasoned appraisal of the management styles and methods of their immediate supervisors in workplace operations
• provide a reasoned and critical assessment of their own roles in the workplace operation and development

LEVEL 3

• explain the role of normative and information-based guidance in the delivery of social and health care services
• select appropriate quality tools for operational development
• evaluate main aspects of the management styles and methods of their immediate supervisors in workplace operations
• provide a reasoned assessment of their own roles in the workplace operation and development

LEVEL 1

• recognise the role of normative and information-based guidance in the delivery of social and health care services
• name appropriate quality tools for operational development
• evaluate some aspects of the management styles and methods of their immediate supervisors in workplace operations
• provide a reasoned assessment of their own roles in the workplace operation

Learning materials

Learning materials include current electronic publications, articles and research reports.

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08NTUKE Research and Methodology Competence 5 ects

08NTUKE1 Expert Communication 0,5 ECTS

08NTUKE2 Research and Methodology Competence 4,5 ECTS

Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- apply a scientific approach in a development activity
- draw up a viable final project plan
- comply with the principles of reliability and ethics in research and development
- write scientific, well argumented text that meets the grammatical requirements of factual text
- appraise text, including source criticism, and cite sources according to instructions

Contents

Ethical questions and reliability, development work, literature review, qualitative research, Lahti UAS final project guidelines, collecting and processing research data, investigative writing

Modes of delivery

Information lectures, online learning and learning assignments.

Assessment

Pass / Fail

Level 5

Students will be able to

- apply, in depth and with expertise, a scientific approach in a development activity
- draw up a viable final project plan designed to renew real-life practice
- systematically comply with the principles of reliability and ethics in research and development

Level 3

Students will be able to

- apply a scientific approach in a development activity with a diverse range
- draw up a viable and well argumented final project plan
- comply with the principles of reliability and ethics in research and development

Level 1

Students will be able to

- apply a scientific approach in a development activity
- draw up a viable final project plan
- recognise the principles of reliability and ethics in research and development

Prerequisites

- Expert communication
- A sufficient amount of professional studies completed

**Learning materials**


Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- describe the basics of inner, self-oriented and external entrepreneurship
- evaluate entrepreneurship as a life strategy
- explain characteristics specific to entrepreneurship in social and health care
- draw up a business plan and appraise the plan and its potential for success - describe the basic process of productization of well-being services.

Contents

Entrepreneurship in social and health care, the business plan, business idea and its meaning, financial planning, marketing and branding, productization and service development

Mode of delivery and assessment

Alternative modes of delivery:

1. In-class course

2. Online course: Compulsory information session for all participants at the start of the course. Completed and assessed in the same way as the in-class course but in an online environment.

Course assignments: Learning assignments, a business plan, business visit and reporting, a service development assignment in cooperation with a business, a reflective journal.

3. Participation in a student cooperative company: Active participation in a practice company, student's own business or the student cooperative company.

4. Participation in a project aimed at entrepreneurial development.

Assessment

T1 - K5

Learning materials

Materials posted on Reppu and other materials as agreed, e.g. at the start of the course.
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### Workplace competence
- act as members of the workplace community in a constructive manner and act as team leaders
- communicate and interact in a professional manner in a workplace setting
- utilise ICT in their practice
- build personal workplace contacts and engage in networks
- deliver care in accordance with the operating model of the workplace, work in multidisciplinary teams and utilise the competencies of different professional groups in patient care

### International competence
- demonstrate language proficiency required in professional practice and development in their chosen field
- promote multicultural cooperation and develop the workplace to promote tolerance
- take into account the effects and opportunities of internationalisation in their field

### Clinical practice settings
Supervised clinical practice is carried out in different types of health care settings, e.g.:
- medical and surgical wards and outpatient clinics, pulmonary diseases inpatient wards, neurological wards, in practice nursing and at-home nursing care in a range of acute care units, such as surgical departments, accident and emergency, intensive care units, paramedical care, monitoring units
- acute and rehabilitation units in mental health and substance abuse nursing care

### Mode of delivery
Clinical practice, written report

### Assessment
Pass/Fail

### 08NAHAR6 Clinical Practice 6 15 ECTS

### Learning outcomes
Students will be able to

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| CRM competence in nursing practice | • design, implement and evaluate a customer's/patient's good care  
|                                      | • critically examine the health care service system and different care processes (paths) of patients/customers |
| Health promotion skills and competence | • evaluate and identify essential health issues and threats of individual customers/patients and families  
|                                       | • deliver care in accordance with the principles of rehabilitative nursing  
|                                       | • support and activate individuals, families and groups in maintaining and promoting their health, personal resources and functional abilities  
|                                       | • support the commitment of patients/customers and families towards health promotion and maintenance |
| Clinical competence                  | • deliver nursing interventions in a safe manner  
|                                       | • carry out accurate dosage calculation and deliver safe pharmacotherapy |
| Guidance and instructional competencies | • evaluate and deliver individual essential guidance needs of customers/patients and families  
|                                       | • develop guidance materials needed in the care of the patient/customer  
|                                       | • develop orientation materials for new employees or students |
| Ethical competence                   | • practice in accordance with the ethical principles of nursing  
|                                       | • take responsibility for their actions and their consequences and act in a responsible manner according to jointly agreed practices and guidelines  
|                                       | • manage socially impactful activities, drawing from personal competence and ethical values  
|                                       | • apply the principles of sustainability  
|                                       | • acknowledge different operators in their work  
|                                       | • make decisions related to care on the basis of ethical principles and evidence-based knowledge, taking into account the involvement of the patient/customer and family in the decision-making |
### Innovation competence

- engage in creative problem-solving and the innovative development of work methods and services
- apply a progressive and innovative work approach and demonstrate proactiveness in the development of personal skills and knowledge and the workplace organisation
- plan and work systematically
- source current evidence-based information from different databases related to health care and multidisciplinary fields and apply the data in the individual care of patients/customers and families

### Workplace skills and competence

- contribute and participate as a member of a workplace organisation and promote its welfare
- communicate and interact in a professional manner in a workplace setting
- utilise and develop ICT solutions in their practice
- build personal workplace contacts and engage in networks
- produce clear verbal and written communications on key aspects of patient/customer health care
- deliver care in accordance with the operating model of the workplace (primary nursing, module-based practice), and work in multidisciplinary teams and utilise the competencies of different professional groups in patient care

### International competence

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### Mode of delivery

Clinical practice, written report

### Assessment

Pass/Fail

### FINAL PROJECT 15 ECTS

08NOPN1 Final Project Expertise Competence 1, 5 ECTS credits (planning of the final project)

08NOPN2 Final Project Expertise Competence 2, 5 ECTS credits (execution of the final project)

08NOPN3 Final Project Expertise Competence 3, 5 ECTS credits (publication of the final project; the maturity test)

### Learning outcomes

Students will be able to

- critically evaluate workplace development needs and use appropriate development methods in the development of their field
• plan, execute, evaluate and publish a final project and produce a report in accordance with the principles of investigative writing of their field
• apply and utilise the outputs of the final project (knowledge, service, product) in the operational development of a workplace

Contents
Idea and planning stage 5 ECTS credits
Implementation stage, 5 ECTS
Evaluation and publication stage, 5 ECTS
Formulating an idea for the final project, planning, implementation, evaluation, publication and utilization in a workplace/project, applying research and development competence, applying information literacy competence, applying oral and written reporting

Mode of delivery
Working independently or in pairs
Project supervision group
Seminar work and presentations (planning and publication seminars)
Writing the thesis report
Maturity test, assessment: Pass/Fail
Other publishing activity as agreed

Assessment
1-5, Lahti University of Applied Sciences, Thesis Evaluation Criteria, see separate instructions

Learning materials
Lahti University of Applied Sciences Thesis Instructions
Materials on the thesis topic, knowledge base, existing research, and the research and development method

COMPLEMENTARY STUDIES 30 ECTS
08NYYMU COMPLEMENTARY PROFESSIONAL STUDIES 15 ECTS
08NTÄOP Complementary Professional Studies 15 ECTS
08NAVAP ELECTIVE STUDIES 15 ECTS