**King Saud University**

**College of Nursing**

**Medical Surgical department**

**NUR 213-Application of Nursing Skills**

**Course Syllabus**

**1436/1437 H – First Semester**

**Instructor’s information :**

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**Course Description**

This practicum course provide the students with laboratory guided experiences to be met in the basic nursing skills. These skills are presented according to the functional health patterns in order to prepare the student to implement holistic modalities in the clinical setting.

**A. Course identification and general information:**

No. of Credit teaching Hours: 1 + 2

Co-requisites for this course: NUR 212

**Course learning objectives:**

By the end of this course, the students will be able to:

1- Resolve acquired theoretical knowledge on the concepts necessary for the performance of basic nursing skills.

2- Explain the rational of basic concepts underlying nursing care.

3- Demonstrate basic nursing skills under the supervision of the demonstrators in the skills laboratory

4 - Recognize the importance of acquiring knowledge and skills related to the care of clients across life span in varied clinical setting

5- Appraise the significance of nursing concepts related to this course necessary in preparing them for clients with varied problems

6- Demonstrate the correct steps in performing the nursing procedures necessary to attain the purpose of performing specific nursing procedures

**Method of teaching:**

The following instructional strategies are used:

-Evocative lecture discussion

- Demonstration and return demonstration

- Role play

- Interactive classroom discussion

- Multimedia

**Method of student evaluation**

**-each student will be evaluated utilizing the following:**

a- Standardized observation checklist

b- Written examination

c- Submission of written requirements

**Furthermore, the distribution of marks is presented as follows:**

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| Total mark | skills | Lecture |  |
| 20 | - | 10 | Take home posttest /assignment |
| 5 | 5 | 10 | Quiz |
| 5 | 5 | - | Attendance +attitude + Participation |
| 30 | 20 | 10 | Midterm |
| 40 | 30 | 10 | Final exam |
| 100 marks | 60 marks | 40 marks | Total mark |

**Time Table**

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| **Date** | **Topics to be Discussed** | **Evaluative Activity** | **Week**  **No.** |
| **Aug. 26, 2015** | **Introduction** |  | **1** |
| **Aug. 30 - September 2, 2015** | **Infection Control**  **Personal Protective Equipment** |  | **2** |
| **September 6- 9, 2015** | **Vital signs** | **Take Home Test 1** | **3** |
| **September 13 - 16, 2015** | **Lifting and Positioning Patients/**  **Bed making** | **Quiz 1** | **4** |
|  | **BREAK** |  |  |
| **September 30, 2015** | **Oxygen Therapy** |  | **5** |
| **October 4 -7, 2015** | **Wound dressing** |  | **6** |
| **October 11 -14, 2015** | **Medication preparation & administration** | **Take Home Test 2** | **7** |
| **October 18 -21, 2015** | **Revision ( Skills)** | **Midterm (Lecture)** | **8** |
| **October 25 - 28, 2015** | **Midterm Clinical** |  | **9** |
| **November1- 4, 2015** | **Principles of IV Therapy** |  | **10** |
| **November 8 -11, 2015** | **NGT Insertion and Feeding** | **Quiz 2** | **11** |
| **November 15 -18, 2015** | **Catheterization** |  | **12** |
| **November 22 -25, 2015** | **Enema** |  | **13** |
| **November 29 -December 2, 2015** | **Revision (Skills)** | **Final exam (Lecture)** | **14** |
| **December 6 - 9, 2015** |  | **Final exam (skills)** | **15** |

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