A. Course Description

Credits: 4

Prerequisites: NURS 641 Primary Care Nursing II: Adult and Older Adult Health OR NURS 641P Adult and Older Adult Clinical Practicum

Lab Hours/ Weeks: Corequisites: NURS 642P - Children and Family Health Clinical Practicum

Lecture Hours/ Week :

MnTC Goals: None

This course focuses on the primary care of infants, children, and adolescents experiencing developmental, acute and chronic health concerns within the family context. Student will gain knowledge of the etiology, differential diagnoses, clinical findings, and management of common conditions affecting these age groups. Content includes age-appropriate health promotion activities. This course is a requirement for students in the FNP program.


C. Outline of Major Content Areas:

See Course Description for major content areas.

D. Learning Outcomes (General)

1. Analyze needs related to health promotion for infants, children and adolescents.
2. Assess appropriate utilization of complementary therapies in conjunction with traditional medical protocols for clients across the lifespan.
3. Evaluate laboratory and diagnostic studies related to common health problems of infants, children, and adolescents.
4. Provide holistic primary care for infants, children, and adolescents based on knowledge of etiology, clinical findings, differential diagnosis, and nursing theory.
5. Utilize evidence based principles in the management of common health problems of infants, children, and adolescents.

E. Learning Outcomes (MN Transfer Curriculum)

This contains no goal areas.

G. Special Information

None