



## Para- Medical Program

<b>Specialization</b>	<b>Nursing</b>
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>020802264</b>
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Nursing Care of Children (clinical)</b>
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Theoretical Hours</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Practical hours</b>	<b>6</b>

**Course description:**

This course is the clinical component of Nursing care of children course. It allows the application of nursing skills, knowledge, and critical thinking necessary for safe effective nursing care of pediatric populations.

**Course objectives:**

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

1. Record the normal assessment finding of the newborn, minor and major variations utilizing the appropriate assessment format.
2. Participate in planning nursing care for child and adolescent according to their health needs.
3. Participate in implementing nursing care provided for child and adolescent according to their health needs.
4. Participate in evaluating nursing care for child and adolescent according to their health needs.
5. Participate with other health professionals in providing follow up and nursing care for children with chronic diseases.
6. Assist other health team members in conducting special procedures

**Course outline:**

Unit Name	Unit Content
<b>Utilize nursing process steps in providing nursing care for children at different health care settings.</b>	1. Health assessment of newborns, children and adolescents. 2. Documentation of the health assessment of the newborns, infants, children and adolescents 3. Communication with children and their families. 4. Performance of different nursing skills _ Diagnostic procedures _ Vital signs assessment _ Specimen collection _ Medication administration: (Oral, Parental, Topical, Installation) _ O2 administration (hood, mask). 5. Incubator care 6. Pre/Post-operative care of children undergoing surgeries. 7. Assist in conducting special procedures (dispensing medication, L.P, Bone marrow, Liver biopsy ...etc).

**Teaching/learning strategies:**

Demonstration and Re-demonstration (Nursing lab and/or clinical setting), Case presentation, Role-Playing, Clinical tutoring, Role Modeling, Individualized learning, Conferences

**Exams and method of evaluation:**

According to the study instructions

**References:**

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4. Price, D. &Gwin, J. (2012). Pediatric Nursing An introductory text. (11<sup>th</sup> Ed.) Saunders