Course Specifications

Suez Canal University  Faculty /Nursing -Ismailia
Course specifications

Program (s) on which the course is given / B.Sc. Nursing
Department offering the course/ Maternity and Gynecologic Nursing Department
Academic year / Level   / 2008/2009  third year- second semester

Date of specification approval
A - Basic Information

Title: Maternity and Gynecologic Nursing       Code:.....
Credit Hours: .....  Lecture: 3 hours / week
Tutorial: ......    Practical: 15 hours / week Total: 270 hours

B - Professional Information

1- Overall aims of course
   The goal of the maternity and gynecologic nursing curriculum is to equip the
   student nurse with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary to provide
   care to the woman throughout her childbearing cycle.

2- Intended learning outcomes of course ;(ILOs)
a- knowledge and understanding:
a 1-Describe the anatomy and physiology of the reproductive system
a2- Describe the process of conception
a3- Describe the physiologic adaptation to pregnancy
a4" Describe the anatomy and physiology of labor and the clinical
   features of each stage of labor
a5- Describe physiologic adaptation of the normal newborn
a6- Describe the physiologic adaptations or the puerperium.
a7- Describe the various FP methods.
a8- Describe common gynecological problems
\textbf{b- Intellectual skills}

bl- Develop ability of interpretation of the assessment data of the mother patient and formulate the related nursing diagnosis which is mandatory for initiating nursing intervention.

\textbf{c- Professional and practical skills}

Cl- Provide pre-conceptual care to couples
Cl- Provide antenatal care to women during normal and abnormal pregnancy
C3- Provide care to women during normal and abnormal labor and childbirth
C4- Provide immediate care to the newborn
CS- Provide puerperal care to women during normal and abnormal puerperal period
C6- Provide FP care
C7- Provide gynecologic care
CS- Perform the fundamental nursing skills
C9- Perform the following obstetric and gynecologic technical skills:
  • Perform pre-conceptual assessment.
  • Perform antenatal patient history and examination
  • Perform examination during labor
  • Monitor labor using the partograph
  • Perform postpartum examination/assessment
  • Perform routine neonatal examination/assessment
  • Perform neonatal resuscitation.
  • Perform assessment for women with gynecologic problem
  • Prepare woman for various gynecologic examination and investigations
  • Provide pre- and postoperative care for women with various gynecologic operations
**d- General and transferable skills**

**d1-Use** appropriate interpersonal communication skills

**d2-Apply** basic principles of health education and counseling (group and individual )

**d3-Apply** principles of advocacy, empowerment, ethics, human rights, and gender issues to care provision

**d4-Use** recording (written), reporting (oral and written), and documentation

**d5-Work** in team to achieve certain goals.

**d6-Behave** honestly with patients, their families, colleagues, and others with whom nurses must interact in their professional life.

**d 7- Respect** the patient dignity confidentiality & autonomy.

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4- *Teaching and learning methods*

4.1- Lecture and discussion.

4.2- Audiovisual aids

4.3- Brainstorming

4.4-Case studies

4.5- Clinical simulations

4.6- Demonstrations

4.7- Field practice
5- Student assessment methods

5.1 Written examination to assess knowledge, intellectual and professional skills

5.2 quizzes to assess knowledge, intellectual and professional skills

5.3 Structured practical examinations to assess competence in practical skills

Assessment schedule
Assessment 1 quiz exams Week 6 and 11
Assessment 2 Structured practical examinations Week 8
Assessment 3 Final exams (written and practical) Week 16

Weighting of assessments

Final-term Examination 40%

Oral and Practical Examination 20%

Semester work 40%

Total 100%

Any formative only assessments

6- List of references

6.1 Course notes
Hand outs prepared by lecturer of the course

6.2 Essential books (test books )

6.3 Recommended books

6.4-Periodicals, websites, etc
www.vahoo.com
www.Altavista.com
www.Pubmed.Com
www.midwivery.com

7- Facilities required for teaching and learning
7.1-Video and Data show.
7.2-Library.
7.3- Lab models

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