

NURSING (NUR)

NUR-100 Nursing Assistant I

6.5 credits, Fall/Winter/Spring/Summer

This course provides the student with the skills to perform basic level nursing care. Certified Nursing Assistants are defined by law as people who assist licensed nursing personnel in the provision of nursing care. Prepares the student to perform routine nursing assistant tasks to clients in sub-acute care settings as well as in the community. Includes didactic and skills lab instruction. Major topics covered include: collaboration with health care team, communication & interpersonal skills, person-centered care, infection control and prevention, safety and emergency procedures, assisting with activities of daily living, mental health and social service needs of clients, technical skills, acquiring observation and reporting skills, documentation of care provided and end-of-life care. Upon successful completion of this course, students may apply for the Oregon State Board of Nursing certification exam for nursing assistants (CNA 1). This course is approved by the Oregon State Board of Nursing. Required: Student Petition.

Required: Must be at least 18 years of age; High School Diploma or equivalent; Must be formally accepted by Health Sciences Admissions and attend a mandatory orientation session.

During the orientation, students will start the process for completing all non-academic requirements. Non-academic requirements include: Immunizations (MMR, Varicella, Tdap, Hep B, COVID-19, seasonal Flu); complete a Criminal Background Check; Drug Screen; Tuberculosis test; BLS/CPR for Healthcare Providers certification through American Heart Association (AHA)

Corequisites: NUR-100C

NUR-100C Nursing Assistant I Clinical

0 credits, Fall/Winter/Spring/Summer

Prepares the student to perform routine nursing assistant tasks to clients in hospitals, long-term and skilled care facilities, as well as the community. Includes clinical practicum. Required: Student Petition.

Corequisites: NUR-100