

Douglas

College

Date: December 20, 2000

Division: Instructional

New Course

Revision

B: Department/ Health Sciences
Program Area:

Prerequisites: C, D, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z

M. N. O. P. O

October 15, 1998

Date Last Revised

Professional Growth: Nurses Work 3.0

Semester Credits

Subject & Course No.

F: Calendar Description:

This course provides an introduction to the profession of nursing. The philosophy, theoretical foundations and the basic nursing concepts of the program are explored. The history of nursing including a gendered analysis of the profession is explored. The role of the nurse in the health care system is explored.

M: Course Objectives/Learning Outcomes [Ends-in-view]

In this course students have opportunities to:

Course Content Continued

Philosophy

- Phenomenology
- Humanism
- Feminism (in-depth discussion)
 - gender issues (introduction)
 - feminist perspectives on the condensed history of nursing

Critical Social Theory

Foundational concepts

- ways of knowing
- personal meaning
- time/transitions

Culture/context

Informatics

The four foundational concepts are discussed separately and in relation to each other.

B. Prior Learning Assessment and Prerequisite Waiver of Course Department

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