



NURS 1106

Course Number	NURS 1106
Course Name	Pharmacology
Credit Value (Breakdown of theory and lab credits)	3 Theory (3T, 0L)
Catalog Course Description	This course provides an introduction to the principles of pharmacology, including: pharmacokinetics, pharmacodynamics, medication interactions and potential adverse medication reactions. Emphasis is placed on drug classifications and nursing care related to the safe administration of medication to patients across the life span.
Student Learning Outcomes/Objectives /Competencies of the Course	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Apply principles of pharmacology, pharmacokinetics, and pharmacodynamics to medication therapy. 2. Recognize the major classifications of medications, common medications within each classification, their side effects, and contraindications. 3. Discuss nursing implications and concepts of safety when performing medication administration. 4. Understand the legal and ethical implications/aspects of medication administration.
College-Wide Student Learning Outcomes (General Education courses only)	NA
Program Student Learning Outcomes measured	Not assessed.