



College of Nursing Programmatic Student Learning Outcomes

College of Nursing is built on a foundation of liberal arts and sciences integrated throughout the nursing courses. Course progression is designed to integrate pre-requisite learning with new concepts to further develop critical thinking, clinical judgment and nursing knowledge and skills.

Patient-Centered Care

Demonstrates a holistic, individualized approach to nursing care that considers lifestyle, cultural, psychosocial, and personal preferences to empower patients and families to make informed decisions.

Evidence-Based Practice

Demonstrates a commitment to life-long learning and application of evidence-based research to practice.

Safety and Quality

Provides quality and safe patient-centered care based on current practices that incorporates quality improvement measures into daily nursing practice.

Health Information

Utilizes health information systems and patient care technologies to facilitate evidence-based clinical decision-making; organize knowledge and data; enhance patient safety and quality of care and to ensure regulatory compliance related to informatics and technology.

Communication

Demonstrates effective and therapeutic interactions with patients/families/communities and all members of the healthcare team that incorporate communication practices to minimize risk to the patient during handoff and transfer situations.

Professionalism

Demonstrates the professional standards of moral, ethical and legal behavior when working with diverse populations in complex and changing environments based on applied knowledge and skills of organizational and systems leadership to improve patient-care outcomes in diverse populations and health-care environments.

