

*Arkansas State University-Newport's mission is to provide an accessible, affordable, quality education that transforms the lives of our students, enriches our communities, and strengthens the regional economy.*

## **PN1406: Nursing Practicum I**

ACTS Equivalency: N/A

**Catalog Description:** Nursing Practicum I integrates and enhances knowledge gained in Nursing Process I. This course includes fundamentals of nursing, medication administration, mental health, and medical-surgical content focusing on adult and geriatric clients. As the student advances through the clinical experience, progression from basic skills to more complex skills will occur.

**Course Type:** Practicum

**Credit Hours:** 6

**Instructor Name:**

**Office:**

**Office Phone:**

**Email:**

**Office Hours:**

### **Department Information**

Course Department:

Academic Department:

Academic Coordinator:

Associate Dean/Director:

Associate Dean/Director Contact Number:

Email:

Associate Dean/Director Email:

### **Materials: Required and Optional**

Required Text:

Roach's *Introductory Clinical Pharmacology* 11<sup>th</sup> ed. ISBN 9781496343567

Nursing Central App Unbound Medical

Rosdahl C., Bunker, & Kowalski, M. *Textbook of Basic Nursing* 11<sup>th</sup> ed. Wolters Kluwer LLC.

Prep U 11<sup>th</sup> ed. Roach's *Introductory Clinical Pharmacology*

Saunders Comprehensive Review for the NCLEX-PN Examination by Sivestri 7<sup>th</sup> ed.

ASU Newport PN Nursing Skills Bas (see campus bookstore)

ATI Comprehensive PN Package (ATI Billing)

Optional Texts:

Rosdahl, C., Bunker, & Kowalski, M., *Workbook of Basic Nursing* Wolters Kluwer

Required Material:

Blue or Black ink pens

Device and access to internet daily

School issued name badge with holder (lanyards are NOT allowed)

Stethoscope

Last name of Faculty, Semester

2 inch White 3 ring binder  
 Dividers  
 Watch with Second Hand  
 Pen Light  
 Bandage Scissors

Optional Materials:

## INSTITUTIONAL POLICIES

### Institutional Learning Outcomes

Upon graduating from ASU-Newport with any Associate Degree, a student will be proficient in the following:

**ILO1: Communication**

*Goal: Students will express ideas, knowledge, and concepts in a clear and concise manner.*

- a) Written
- b) Verbal
- c) Interpersonal

**ILO2: Reasoning**

*Goal: Students will apply reasoning skills in a variety of environments, which demonstrate problem-solving and applied knowledge.*

- a) Explore
- b) Locate
- c) Interpret
- d) Evaluate
- e) Apply

**ILO3: Responsibility**

*Goal: Students will participate in service activities that instill in them a sense of social responsibility.*

- a) Civic
- b) Academic
- c) Financial

### Institutional Grading Scale

Grading Scale:

- A: 93-100
- B: 85-92
- C: 78-84
- D: 70-77
- F: 0-69
- S: Satisfactory
- U: Unsatisfactory

### Americans with Disabilities Act Compliance

In order to obtain appropriate disability related accommodations and services to which they are entitled, students with documented disabilities should voluntarily and confidentially provide the Office of Educational Access (870-512-7838 or [CEA@asun.edu](mailto:CEA@asun.edu)) with appropriate medical documentation regarding the nature and extent of their disability, make their needs known to this Office and follow established procedures for acquiring needed services and accommodations in the classroom or online.

### Information Technology Services

If you experience any problems or issues with Canvas, MyCampus, or other equipment, please contact ITS at 870-512-7783 or <http://its.asun.edu>. Canvas also has a 24/7 live chat. This is a valuable resource for those late-night tests or assignments that just do not seem to work properly.

ASU-Newport provides a number of different services to assist students in areas that directly impact their academic success. The following direct websites will help you get in touch with those services that may be needed during your time as an ASUN student:

Academic Support Center: <http://academicsupport.asun.edu>

Financial Aid: <http://financialaid.asun.edu>

Career Pathways: <http://pathways.asun.edu>

University Police: <http://cpd.asun.edu>

Information Technology Services: 512-7783 or [its@asun.edu](mailto:its@asun.edu)

Last name of Faculty, Semester

Center for Educational Access: <https://www.asun.edu/cea>

Admissions: <http://admissions.asun.edu>

**Academic Dishonesty** *(as stated in the Student Handbook)*

ASU-Newport enthusiastically promotes academic integrity and professional ethics among all members of the ASU-Newport academic community. Violations of this policy are considered serious misconduct and may result in disciplinary action and severe penalties. Cheating in any form-including plagiarism, turning in assignments prepared by others, unauthorized possession of exams - may result in the student being dropped from the class with an “F” and/or being suspended from the College. Students who feel they have been unfairly accused of cheating may appeal to the Associate Dean of General Education.

**Printing**

\*Each student is allowed 200 sheets of copy paper per semester for printing. Additional printing requires a \$5.00 printing fee which covers an additional ream of copy paper. The fee can be paid by either visiting or calling the Business Office.

**Campus Safety Information**

What to know and do to be prepared for emergencies at ASUN:

- Opt-in to receive ASUN’s School Messenger notifications regarding weather closings, emergencies, and other important notifications. All currently enrolled students will receive an email within the first two weeks of the semester prompting them to Opt-in to the messaging system.
- Know the safe evacuation route from each of your classrooms. Emergency evacuation routes are posted in on-campus classrooms.
- Listen for and follow instructions from your instructor or other designated authorities.
- For additional emergency information see the ASUN Emergency Response Guide in the Portal under “More” then select “Department of Safety”.
- Know the emergency phone number for ASUN Campus Police or dial 911.
- Report suspicious activities and objects found on campus.
- Keep your permanent address and emergency contact information current in My Campus.

**Inclement Weather**

In the event of inclement weather, class cancelation is left to the discretion of the Chancellor. You will be notified of class cancelation on the university website, through news media, and through our school messaging system.

**Children in the Classroom:**

ASUN classroom policy requires that the learning environment should be free of distraction in order to provide the highest learning opportunity for all students. In this light, students should not bring children to the classroom. If you must bring a child on campus, please have your child properly supervised in the public gathering areas.

**NOTE TO STUDENTS:**

All course activity open and due dates are articulated in Central Standard Time (CST) regardless of the student’s residential location. If you reside in a time zone other than CST, please ensure you utilize the appropriate conversion for all course activities.

**COURSE POLICIES**

**Course Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

Course Learning Outcomes	Assessment
Apply theoretical content to the nursing care of the client in a clinical setting	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations
Use caring and healing techniques that promote a therapeutic nurse-client relationship	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations
Perform nursing intervention that reflect caring behavior's in response to bio=physical, cultural, and spiritual care needs	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations
Perform nursing interventions that reflect caring behavior's in response to bio-physical, cultural, and spiritual care needs	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations
Demonstrate beginning critical thinking and decision making skills based on standards of practice, theory, and research	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations
Utilize evidence-Based information derived from course related research findings in the application of basic nursing care	Clinical Exams Quizzes Case Studies Simulation Clinical Evaluations

**\*The MSA for this course will specifically measure/assess ILO**

**MSAL** The MSA (Master Summative Assessment) for this course is the **Final Clinical Evaluation Form**. It will be worth 200 points and covers all course learning outcomes. I will also cover ILO (Institutional Learning Outcomes) 1c and 2e

**Academic Calendar**

<http://www.asun.edu/catalogs>

**Finals Schedule**

<http://www.asun.edu/catalogs>

**Disclaimer**

This syllabus and all documents associated with the syllabus are considered a contract between the student and the instructor. Students are expected to carefully read and review the syllabus and all associated documents in order to be familiar with course expectations and policies. This syllabus is subject to change at the discretion of the instructor, who will inform students of any changes. Students are responsible for keeping up with any changes.