HCT 108  Health Occupations I

Course Information

Credits  4
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Description
Students will demonstrate basic knowledge about various career opportunities in the health care profession. They will be able to identify the specific roles and responsibilities of the different health care professionals and demonstrate professional behavior and work ethic appropriate to the health care setting.

Textbooks

Student Learning Outcomes:
Gain knowledge of health related occupations, responsibilities and standards expected the health care field.

A. Relate principles from an expanding body of knowledge of the biological and behavioral sciences to the healthcare profession.
B. Obtain baseline knowledge of health-related occupations
C. Demonstrate basic math concepts that relate to the field of health care.
D. Demonstrate professional health care standards in patient care within an integrate team setting

Competencies
Student who successfully complete the course will be able to:

1. Describe physical systems and their function in relation to potential illnesses and care needs for geriatric residents.
2. Identify health care occupations, responsibilities and workplaces with which they are affiliated.
3. Demonstrate skills of medical measurements and calculations needed in Health care.
4. Identify and demonstrate legal, professional and ethical factors in health care occupations
Guidelines for Success

Assessment Plan
Assessment is an integral part of the educational process at Washburn Tech and accurate feedback is an important tool in continuously improving the institution’s technical programs. Students can expect to participate in assessment activities prior to entry into programs, within specific courses and following program completion for specific fields of study.

Grading Rationale
Student progress is evaluated by means that include exams/quizzes (50%), written assignments (17%), class attendance, participation and professionalism (33%).

Grading Scale
90-100% A
80 - 89% B
70 - 79% C
60 - 69% D
0 -59% F

Attendance
Effective learning cannot take place unless you are in class. Students are expected to attend every class period and will have daily professionalism points deducted if they are tardy or if they do not attend. Classroom days requires 90% attendance. As in any profession, students are expected to contact the instructor 30 minutes prior to class if they are unable to attend due to sudden illness or a family emergency. If students need to miss class for other reasons, they should discuss the event with the instructor and at the instructors’ discretion, make arrangements to make up the work ahead of time.

Disability
The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Office is responsible for assisting in arranging accommodations and for identifying resources at Washburn Institute of Technology for persons with disabilities. Qualified students with disabilities MUST self-identify by completing an application. In addition students must provide appropriate medical documentation to the ADA coordinator to be eligible for accommodations. New requests for accommodations should be submitted at least two months or more prior to the date the accommodations are needed. However, please contact the ADA office as soon as a need may arise. Depending on the accommodation request, four to eight weeks lead time may be needed for timely and effective provision of accommodations.

The ADA Office coordinates and assists in arranging accommodations it deems appropriate for eligible students on a case-by-case basis. If you are a student with a disability that may substantially limit your ability to participate in any of our classes and you believe that you will need accommodations, it is your responsibility to contact:

ADA Coordinator
Phone: 785-228-6356
Email: gloria.christian@washburn.edu

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