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COLLEGE/SCHOOL/SECTION: College of Nursing and Health Sciences, School of Nursing

Course: Add: ___ Delete: ___
(check all that apply) Change: Number ___ Title X SCH ___ Description X Prerequisite ___
New course will be part of major ___ minor ___ as a required ___
or elective ___ course
New course will introduce ___, reinforce ___, or apply ___ concepts

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, **Measurable** Student Learning Outcomes, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, and lecture/lab hours if applicable. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red and provide a brief justification.

Program: Delete: ___ Add: ___ Change: ___ Attach new/changed Program of Study description and 4-year plan. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

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Change of course description and objectives, to meet requirements for alignment with Texas Board of Nursing Differentiated Competencies for Registered Nurses.

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NURS 3525 Childbearing Newborn Nursing. Five semester hours, three theory, two clinical. (SP)

This course focuses on clinical application of the nursing process in providing culturally specific care to childbearing women, newborn infants, and their family systems during the child rearing period. Clinical experiences in an acute care setting provide students with the opportunity to apply primary, secondary and tertiary prevention within childbearing, childrearing family-client systems and women's health across the lifespan. Critical thinking, health promotion, family-centered care and cultural diversity are stressed. To earn credit, this course must be completed with a grade of "C" or better. (Advanced standing for Registered Nurses). Co-requisites: NURS [3315](#) and [3665](#).

NURS 3525: Childbearing and Women's Health Nursing

Course Description: This course focuses on clinical application of the nursing process in providing culturally specific care to childbearing women, neonates, and their family systems. Clinical experiences provide students with the opportunity to apply culturally specific patient-centered care within childbearing, family-client systems and women's health across the lifespan. Critical decision making, health promotion, family-centered care and cultural diversity are discussed.

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course the student will have been given opportunities to:

1. Apply the nursing process utilizing evidenced-based and culture-specific nursing care to women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (2,4)
2. Utilize critical decision-making in planning and implementing evidence-based care for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families through the nursing process and the teaching/learning process. (3, 4, 6)
3. Utilize evidence-based clinical research findings in providing nursing care for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (3, 4)
4. Incorporate knowledge from arts, humanities, science and other professional disciplines to comprehensively meet the health care needs of women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families in diverse environments. (1, 7, 9)
5. Demonstrate legal and ethical principles that guide professional nursing practice by serving as a patient advocate and providing care for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (6, 8)
6. Collaborate with members of the interdisciplinary health care team to provide safe care for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (4, 6)
7. Provide basic patient-centered nursing care for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families in diverse settings. (2, 4)
8. Demonstrate culturally-specific health promotion interventions for the health needs of women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (2, 5)

9. Participate in community service activities offering health teaching and health promotion for women, childbearing patients, neonates, and their families. (6, 10)

