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NURS 3524

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Other: Add information: Change information: _X_ Attach new/changed information. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red. NURS Revision in 3526 course name, and content to address changes in curriculum. Will go from 2 hour theory and 3 hour clinical to 3 hours for theory and 2 hour in clinical. No change in current learning outcomes. Approvals: Signature Date				
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*NURS 3526 Child Health Nursing. Five semester hours, three theory, two clinical. This course focuses on clinical application of the nursing process in providing culturally specific care to children, adolescents and their family systems. Clinical experiences in acute care and community-school based settings provide students with the opportunity to apply primary, secondary and tertiary level of prevention within child health care and family-client systems across the lifespan. Critical thinking, health promotion, family-centered care and cultural diversity are stressed.

Increase the hours in didactic for both maternal child and child health nursing to 3 and decrease clinical to 2. Rationale is these two courses continue to low HESI scores and faculty course evaluations indicate that 2 hours a week to cover the theory portion of the content is not enough. In addition the course content is only covered once in the curriculum. To address this issue transfer the course content and clinical related to the critically ill child and pregnant client into the Emergent care nursing that is in the final semester of the nursing program. Students would then have additional exposure to the care of the child and pregnant client in more than one semester of the nursing program.