

Shree Guru Gobind Singh Tricentenary University
Faculty of Nursing
Pre PhD- Nursing Curriculum
Recent advance in Nursing Science and theory development including Leadership

Total Marks: 80

Unit	Course Content
I	<p>Recent Advance in Nursing:</p> <p>1.Introduction:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Education and Nursing service: Definition, aims, concepts, philosophies & their education implication. Impact of social, economical, political& technological changes on education. 2. Professional education 3. Current trends and issues in education and service 4. Trends in development of nursing education in India 5. Recent advances in Nursing <hr/> <p>2.Nursing Practice</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Framework, Scope and trends. 2. Alternative modalities of care, alternative systems of complementary therapies. 3. Extended and Expanded role of the nurse in promotive, preventive, curative and restorative health care delivery system in community and institutions. 4. Health promotion and primary health care. 5. Independent practice issues – Independent nurse midwifery practitioner. 6. Collaboration issues and models within and outside nursing. 7. Models of prevention. 8. Family nursing, Home nursing 9. Role of nurse –Evidence based nursing practice. 10. Innovations in nursing 11. Infection prevention and standard safety measures 12. Bio-medical waste management. 13. Cardio pulmonary resuscitation end of life care
II	<p>Nursing Leadership In Health Care Delivery System</p> <p>1. Current health issues and policies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Analysis of current health problems – national & global 2. Health care delivery system in India 3. National health policy, population policy and alternative systems of medicine 4. Health policy issues relevant to nursing practice – Development of nursing services in health policy 5. The functions and roles of law in health care delivery – Existing legislations related to nursing. Laws for new and emerging roles (e.g) Nurse practitioner, private practice (nursing homes) 6. Social system and health policy 7. Politics & health policy – Lobbying for development of nursing profession 8. Health economics and health policy (Economics of health care and nursing) 9. Health insurance <hr/> <p>2. Nursing Leadership:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Leadership theories 2. Nursing leadership, decision making & change process 3. Human resource planning and management by nurse leaders

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Profession building in health care system – Advocacy, Lobbying 5. Nursing ethics: Code of ethics, professional conduct for nurses in India. Nursing standards, nursing practice, standards and quality assurance 6. Human relations: Valuing human being 7. Communication skills
	<p>3. Nursing informatics:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Overview of Computers and Nursing 2. Computer Systems- Data processing, the internet, a nursing resource 3. Nursing Informatics and health care policy, privacy, confidentiality and security 4. Nursing informatics theory, clinical information systems 5. Applications- Practice applications, Administrative application (information technology for nursing managers), educational applications and Research applications. 6. Consumer use of informatics 7. The future of informatics
III	<p>Philosophy of Nursing Science and Theoretical Perspectives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to the course, study of philosophy, History of philosophy 2. History and philosophy of nursing science 3. Nursing as a science and a discipline (Evolution and development) 4. Nursing knowledge and development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Historical roots - Domains of nursing - Paradigms in nursing - Knowledge development 5. Paradigms that influence approach to nursing science development. 6. Epistemological and ontological assumptions of diverse approaches to knowledge generation in nursing.
IV	<p>Nursing Theories and Theory Development</p> <p>1. Epistemology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concepts, statements and theories • Strategies for theory development • Evaluation of theories • Metatheory <p>2. Overview of theory in nursing-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of theory • Importance of theory in nursing • Historical overview • Classification of theories in nursing • Issues in theory development in Nursing • Nursing Theory: an examination of the concept development of nursing theory. <p>3. Overview of nursing theories-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The theorists and the theories <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On nursing clients On human being - Environment interactions On interactions On nursing therapeutics Other theories <p>4. Analysis of Nursing theories & evaluation of nursing theories-</p> <p>5. Nursing theory, practice & research</p> <p>7. Inter relationships between science, theory, practice and research in Nursing.</p>


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