

PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF NURSING
LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER

N320 Nursing Competencies II
Learning Agreement

MODULE All skills identified are required to be completed in order to pass the course.
OBJECTIVES: Content will be presented according to the syllabus schedule.

The student will

1. Assume responsibility and accountability for learning the psychomotor steps as well as the theory associated with the skills in each module. This means the student will attend all labs and complete the self-study guides prior to practicing the skills in each module. Failure to be prepared for lab will result in dismissal for the day until the work is complete and a score of zero will be recorded. The student will still be held accountable for the content of the module and satisfactory skill performance.
2. Demonstrate competency in skill performance.
3. Use a holistic approach to nursing care in the laboratory setting. This includes treating the mannequins as clients.
4. Complete all laboratory skills. Students will be allowed to practice as many times as necessary to successfully complete each skill
5. Complete each skill according to the scheduled sequence before advancing to the next. Make-up time for excused absences will be arranged within one week with the faculty member.
6. Gather the lab equipment needed prior to beginning the practice session and clean up the equipment and work spaces before leaving the lab.
7. Wear appropriate lab attire whenever practicing lab skills in the learning center labs. (lab coats or scrub tops and closed toe shoes)

LIST OF MODULES:

1. Medication Administration: PO, IM and SQ Injections, IV administration
2. Care of the Client Receiving Intravenous Therapy
3. Venipuncture
4. Urinary Catheterization
5. TPN
6. Central Venous Access
7. Nasogastric Insertion; Tube Feedings
8. Insulin Administration
9. Administration of Blood and Blood Products
10. Tracheostomy Care; Airway Suctioning
11. Chest Tube Drainage
12. Basic Cardiac Rhythm Identification

I have read and understand my responsibilities for the laboratory component of this course. I agree to come to the lab prepared to practice the assigned skill.




Signature: Mu Applebe

Date 9/9/08

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LAB MODULE VERIFICATION

Name: Kim Applebee

Semester: Fall 2008

Lab Skill	Study Guide Completed	Skill Demonstrated	Comments
✓ Medication administration - PO	9/16 CP	CP	SIM
✓ Medication administration - SQ/IM	9/23 CP	CP	
✓ Administration of insulin	9/23 CP	CP	
SQ and IM injections on partner	Consent form	CP	
✓ Medication administration - IV	10/7 CP	CP	
✓ IV fluid therapy	10/7 CP	CP	
* Venipuncture	10/7 CP	CP	
✓ Urinary catheterization	10/28 CP	CP	
✓ Large bore nasogastric tube	NOV 1 1 2008		
✓ Blood administration	11/4 CP	CP	
✓ Tracheostomy care	NOV 1 8 2008		
✓ Airway suctioning	NOV 1 8 2008		
Small bore nasogastric tube - enteral feeding	NOV 1 1 2008	Class discussion	
* Central venous access devices	10/21 CP	Class discussion	
TPN	10/21 CP	Class discussion	
Chest tube drainage	NOV 2 6 2008	Class discussion	
Basic rhythm recognition	DEC 0 2 2008	Class discussion	DEC 0 2 2008

Student signature (end of semester): Kim Applebee Date: 12/10/08

Faculty signature (at end of semester): C. Penderhal RNMSN Date: 12/10/08