



Atlantic Technical College
Practical Nursing
Program Syllabus
Medical/Surgical Nursing 1
Course 3
2019-2020



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OCPs	Course Names	Hours
B	PRN0290 Medical/Surgical Nursing 1	300

Technical College Policy/Adult Student Attendance:

- Please refer to the Student Handbook for postsecondary students.
<http://www.atlantictechcollege.edu/atc-student-handbook/>
- Please refer to the Broward County Practical Nursing Handbook for PN attendance policy.
<https://broward.desire2learn.com/>

Required Book(s) and/or Online Access:

- Linton, Adrienne D. (2020) 7th Edition
 Introduction to Medical-Surgical Nursing.
 Philadelphia: Elsevier
- Linton, Adrienne D. (2020) 7th Edition
 Introduction to Medical-Surgical Nursing Study Guide
 Philadelphia: Elsevier
- Evolve on-line resources (Case Studies, Practice Tests, SimChart & HESI Tests)
- Silvestri, Linda Anne (2019). Saunders
 Comprehensive Review for the NCLEX-PN®
 Examination (7th. Ed). St. Louis: Elsevier
- Watkins, Cynthia (2018), Pharmacology Clear &
 Simple (3rd Ed.). Philadelphia: F.A. Davis
- Deglin, Judith H. & Vallerand, April H & Sanoski,
 Cynthia A. (2017) Davis Drug for Nurses (16th ed).
 Philadelphia, Pa. F. A. Davis

Required Materials/Supplies:

- Bandage Scissors
- Watch w/2nd Hand (non-metal- no broad face)
- Blood Pressure Cuff
- USB Drive/16GB
- Stethoscope
- Disposable Pen Light with gauge
- Student Medical Kit 5
- Box of 5X7 index Cards
- Computer headset
- Sharpie

*All required books and most materials/supplies can be purchased from the ATC bookstore.
 Stop by during operational hours for pricing and purchasing information.*

Grading System:

Grading Criteria for Course 3: Theory and Clinical.
 The student is required to pass **each theory course/component** with a 70% or higher in order to progress to course 4.
 Grades are not rounded, only the whole number is counted (i.e. 69.9% is 69%, not 70%).

Additional Program Specific Grading Information:

Please see PN handbook posted on
<https://broward.desire2learn.com/>.

HESI Fundamentals End of Block Exam is administered in this course.	
Online Course Grading Policy: Program is not offered online at Atlantic Technical College.	
View Your Grades: Grades can be viewed online by following the directions below: 1. Go to https://browardfocus.com (access FOCUS using Chrome, Firefox or Safari) 2. Student ID which is on your student schedule. 3. Passcode: Student's date of birth formatted as YYYYMMDD. <i>Four digits for the year, two digits for the month and two digits for the day.</i>	
Classroom/Lab Rules: Please see classroom/clinical/lab rules posted on Desire2Learn at: https://broward.desire2learn.com/	
Industry Certification & State Credential Exam Cost: Practical Nursing NCLEX exam, upon passing this industry credential the student will become Licensed Practical Nurse. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200.00 PearsonVue Testing Fee • \$85.00 - \$98.00 Live Scan (background) Fee – dependent upon facility • \$110.00 State of Florida Medical Quality Assurance Services Fee Estimated Total \$400.00 (<i>prices are subject to change</i>) <i>You may qualify for certification reimbursement of your exam cost(s) upon passing. Credential fees are subject to change.</i>	Outstanding Student Recognition Information: A gold seal will be applied to a Program Completion Certificate or an Applied Technology Diploma if the student has earned a 3.5 GPA or higher in their Career and Technical Education (CTE) classes.

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Course Number: PRN0290 Course Name: Medical/Surgical Nursing 1 Occupational Completion Point: B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intended Outcomes: (From FL DOE Curriculum Framework) Demonstrate how to care for the surgical patient with a Cardiovascular, Respiratory, Lymphatic, Musculoskeletal, Endocrine or Integumentary disease/disorder (which can be accomplished through a combination of simulation, laboratory and clinical settings in accordance with F.S.464.019) Students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify signs and symptoms of disease/disorders of the body systems. • Identify diagnostic tests used in the treatment of diseases/disorders of the body systems. • Identify medications used in the treatment of diseases/disorders of the body systems. • Identify nutritional needs of patients with diseases/disorders of the body systems. • Identify the symptoms of acute/chronic psychological distress. • Care for a patient with a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Surgical/Lymphatic/Immune Disorders ○ Integumentary/Sensory/Musculoskeletal Disorders ○ Endocrine Disorder ○ Respiratory Disorder ○ Cardiovascular/Circulatory Disorders 	