University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

First aid 171 (NHS 171)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Health Sciences
Module credits	5.00
Programmes	BOH
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2.5 days of lectures
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Community Dentistry
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

The practical-orientated first-aid training will empower the oral hygiene student with a working knowledge of day-to-day emergencies, both in the workplace and at home. At this entry-level training the student will partake in the practical aspects of bleeding and wound management, cardio pulmonary resuscitation, care for unconscious patients and choking to name a few. The module content will assist the oral hygiene student in managing medical emergencies in the dental surgery.

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