

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2018

Systems of nursing practice 160 (VPT 160)

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| Qualification | Undergraduate |
| Faculty | Faculty of Health Sciences |
| Module credits | 20.00 |
| Programmes | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Medical and Surgical Nursing Science: Critical Care: Trauma and Emergency |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Advanced Midwifery and Neonatal Nursing Science |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Child Nursing Science |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Clinical Nursing Science, Health Assessment, Treatment and Care |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Medical and Surgical Nursing Science: Critical Care Nursing: General |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Medical and Surgical Nursing Science: Critical Care Nursing: Paediatric |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Medical and Surgical Nursing: Operating Theatre Nursing |
| | BCur Clinical Nursing Science Neonatal Nursing Science |
| | BCur Nursing Science (Education and Administration) |
| Prerequisites | No prerequisites. |
| Contact time | 1 lecture per week |
| Language of tuition | Module is presented in English |
| Department | Nursing Science |
| Period of presentation | Year |

Module content

General systems of clinical nursing practice.

First aid, CPR and primary emergency care. Haemodynamic monitoring, the evaluation of oxygenation status, acid-base and electrolyte balance. Principles of mechanical ventilation. Basic interpretation skills in radiographic imaging. Electrocardiography: basic principles and application.

(Previous codes: VPT 100, VGK 101).

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