

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

## Nursing studies 152 (NUR 152)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Health Sciences](#)

**Module credits** 12.00

**Programmes** [BNurs](#)

**Prerequisites** No prerequisites.

**Contact time** 3 lectures per week, 2 practicals per week

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Academic organisation** Nursing Science

**Period of presentation** Quarter 2

### Module content

Human needs and development in health and illness.

Humans as biological, psychological and spiritual beings within socio-economic and cultural contexts. Basic needs: nutrition, comfort and activity, rest and sleep, elimination, hygiene, oxygen, learning, sensory and interpersonal, pain management, safety, homeostasis, growth and development, medication needs, spiritual needs and the need for a dignified death. Self-image, own identity and self-actualisation. Relevant aspects of human nutrition. Human developmental stages and the unique needs associated with each stage.

NB: Only selected BCur students may register for this module.

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