

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2018

Nursing studies 152 (NUR 152)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Health Sciences](#)

Module credits 12.00

Programmes [BNurs](#)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 practicals per week, 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department 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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