



---

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

---

## Nursing studies 151 (NUR 151)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

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

**Module content** Fundamentals of nursing science  
Introduction and concept clarification: nursing, nursing science, health and illness. Approaches to nursing and perspectives on human beings and their world. The art and science of nursing. Philosophical foundations of nursing. Overview of the history of nursing. Aspects of professional practice. The scientific approach to nursing. Human needs as the basis for nursing practice. The wellness-illness continuum. NB: Only selected BCur students may register for this module.

**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

**Department** Nursing Science

**Period of presentation** Quarter 1

---

The information published here is subject to change and may be amended after the publication of this information. The [General Regulations \(G Regulations\)](#) apply to all faculties of the University of Pretoria. It is expected of each student to familiarise himself or herself well with these regulations as well as with the information contained in the [General Rules](#) section. Ignorance concerning these regulations and rules will not be accepted as an excuse for any transgression.