A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3
Lecture Hours/Week: *.*
Lab Hours/Week: *.*
OJT Hours/Week: *.*
Prerequisites: None
Corequisites: None
MnTC Goals: None

Considers the role and use of nursing research in nursing practice. An introduction to the research process is provided and interpreted for its utilization in nursing practice. Prerequisites: Admitted to major.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 10/20/1997 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Nursing Research Interpretation & Utilization
2. Research Process
3. Role of Nursing Research in Nursing Practices

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. analyze research findings for their applicability to nursing practice.
2. relate the role of nursing research in the development of nursing knowledge and nursing practice
3. analyze the components of the research process
4. critically reflect upon the value and implications of research to humankind and society.
5. develop an attitude of responsible inquiry toward nursing research as a component of the professional nursing role.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted