Alexandria Technical and Community College

OPMT 1570: Ophthalmic Pharmacology

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 2
Lecture Hours/Week: 2
Lab Hours/Week: 0
OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:
This course requires both of these prerequisites
- OPMT 1500 - Ophthalmic Medical Terminology (Number of Years Valid: 5)
- OPMT 1510 - Introduction to Ophthalmology (Number of Years Valid: 5)

Corequisites: None
MnTC Goals: None

This course introduces essential concepts about ophthalmic medications, medication prescriptions, and other common practices relating to eye medications in the clinic.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 11/12/2021 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Identify ophthalmic medications.
2. Discuss sites of action.
3. Describe dosages and side effects.
4. Demonstrate proper instillation of medications.
5. List abbreviations used for eye medications.
6. Write an example of a prescription.
7. Describe instructions given to a patient.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Describe various eye medications
2. Instruct patients for proper use of eye medications.

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

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted