

Course Description

This one-day course is designed to provide nurses with the tools, confidence and knowledge to successfully complete the Medical-Surgical Nursing Exam. This is a condensed version of the 2-Day Medical-Surgical Exam Review. The exam content outlines and blueprints from the ANCC and MSNCB were used to develop this program. Topics covered from the exam content outlines will include review of body systems, cardiac, pulmonary, gastrointestinal and diabetes. Pathophysiology of disease processes, including signs and symptoms and treatment modalities, will be presented. The nursing process and nursing practice roles in the management of patient care will be discussed through case scenarios and sample questions. Aspects of the practice domains will be addressed, and strategies for test-taking will also be covered.

Program Learning Outcomes

This program prepares the learner to:

- Report a change in practice and/or knowledge at a 97% rate.

Agenda

Sign-in begins at 7:30 am. The day includes a one-hour lunch (on your own), as well as a morning and afternoon break of 15 minutes each. The order of lectures presented and break times may vary according to speaker preference.

8:00 am to 4:30 pm

ANCC vs. MSNCB

Initial and Recertification Criteria | Costs | Exam Blueprints

Cardiovascular Disorders

Medications | Acute Coronary Syndromes | Heart Failure | Hypertension

Pulmonary Disorders

Medications | Aspiration | COPD and Asthma | Pneumothorax | ABGs

Neurologic Disorders

Stroke

Musculoskeletal Disorders

Fractures and Immobilization Devices | Rhabdomyolysis

Lunch 11:45 am to 12:45 pm

Behavioral Disorders

Developmental Stages | Delirium | Substance Abuse Disorders | Domestic/Intimate Partner Violence | Suicide Risk

Professional Role

Nursing Theories

Immunological Considerations

Vaccinations

Hematological Disorders

Sickle-Cell Disease | DVT | Blood Products

Endocrine Disorders

Thyroid Disorders | DKA | Hypoglycemia

Renal & GU Disorders

Fluids and Electrolytes | Renal Injury and Failure

Gastrointestinal and Multisystem Disorders

GI Bleed | Acute Abdomen | Sepsis

Test-Taking Strategies

Accreditation

RN/LPN/LVN/Other: 7 Contact Hours

Includes 1 Pharmacology Contact Hour

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