

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY CHANNEL ISLANDS

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

DATE

FEBRUARY 14, 2006

PROGRAM AREA NURSING

1. Catalog Description of the Course. *[Follow accepted catalog format.]*

Prefix NRS Course# 493 Title SENIOR NURSING INTERNSHIP Units (2)
 2 hours activity per week

- Prerequisites Prerequisite: NURS 491, and consent of Program Director.
 Corequisites

Description Optional career preparation refinement course which provides the student with additional work experience. Local health care partners offer particular work settings where students can immerse themselves in the organizational culture, professional role and client population.

Repeatable for a total of four (4) units. Graded Credit/no credit. NRS 493 is a paid internship with credit and is an optional course.

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gen Ed | Graded
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CR/NC | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Repeatable for up to 4 units |
| Categories
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab Fee Required | <input type="checkbox"/> A - Z | Total Completions Allowed |

2. Mode of Instruction.

	Units	Hours per Unit	Benchmark Enrollment	Graded Component	CS # (filled in by Dean)
Lecture	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Seminar	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Laboratory	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Activity	2	1	12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	_____

3. Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course. (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) *[Use as much space as necessary]*

The American Association of Colleges of Nursing and CSUCI BSN Advisory Committee members polled in a survey state that students require additional clinical experience to build confidence in: organization and prioritization skills, time management, technical skills, multitasking capabilities, delegation to license and unlicensed assistive personnel and interpersonal communication with health care team members and departments. Precepted work experience offers supplementary goal-oriented work experience that allows the clinical agency and the student to determine compatibility for future employment.

The student will be able to:

1. Demonstrate competence as a member of a health care team.
2. Demonstrates additional competence and clinical experience as a practicing nurse and experience the realities of the work setting in professional nursing practice
3. Build an employment history and develop future employment opportunities

4. Is this a General Education Course YES NO
 If Yes, indicate GE category and attach GE Criteria Form:

- A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)**
- A-1 Oral Communication
- A-2 English Writing
- A-3 Critical Thinking
- B (Mathematics, Sciences & Technology)**
- B-1 Physical Sciences
- B-2 Life Sciences – Biology

- B-3 Mathematics – Mathematics and Applications
- B-4 Computers and Information Technology
- C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages & Cultures)**
- C-1 Art
- C-2 Literature Courses
- C-3a Language
- C-3b Multicultural
- D (Social Perspectives)**
- E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)**
- UD Interdisciplinary**

5. Course Content in Outline Form. *[Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]*

- I. Write a resume and interview for the senior internship experience with the appropriate representative from a health care agency.
- II. Negotiate a work schedule during the semester that is compatible with the time requirements of the generic nursing program.
- II. Review fundamental skills and basic nursing interventions as appropriate for administration safe and competent nursing care
- II. Review of the following specific clinical data on medical/surgical patients who have been assigned to the student's care:
 - A. Medical diagnosis and relevant laboratory findings and diagnostic data
 - B. Medications, intravenous fluids, and other therapies to be administered to the patient.
 - C. Nursing diagnosis and a plan for nursing interventions
 - D. Key assessment findings relative to improvement/exacerbations of patient's condition

Does this course overlap a course offered in your academic program? YES NO
 If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?

Does this course overlap a course offered in another academic area? YES NO
 If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?

Signature of Academic Chair of the other academic area is required on the consultation sheet below.

6. Cross-listed Courses (Please fill out separate form for each PREFIX)

List Cross-listed Courses

Signature of Academic Chair(s) of the other academic area(s) is required on the consultation sheet below

Department responsible for staffing:

7. References. *[Provide 3 - 5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]*

No new references are required but rather appropriate review of previous textbooks used throughout the nursing program.

8. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.

Nursing Faculty

9. Frequency.

a. Projected semesters to be offered: Fall Spring Summer

10. New Resources Required. YES NO

If YES, list the resources needed and obtain signatures from the appropriate programs/units on the consultation sheet below.

- a. Computer (data processing), audio visual, broadcasting needs, other equipment)
- b. Library needs
- c. Facility/space needs

11. Will this new course alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program? YES NO
If, YES attach a program modification form for all programs affected.

Barbara Thorpe
Proposer of Course

11/2/05
Date

**California State University Channel Islands
New Course Proposal Consultation Sheet**

1. Course Title: _____

2. Program Area: _____

Recommend Approval

Program Area/Unit	Program/Unit Chair	YES	NO (attach objections)	Date
Art				
Biology				
Business & Economics				
Education				
English				
History				
Liberal Studies				
Mathematics & CS				
Multiple Programs				
Psychology				
Library				
Information Technology				