

# NURS 230 : Clinical Immersion I

**Credits:** 4

**Class Hours:** 1 lecture and 9 lab

**Prerequisites:** "C" or higher in both NURS 203 and NURS 220. Approval of instructor.

**Description:** This course focuses on monitoring a variety of subjective and objective data, identifying obvious patterns and deviations, and developing a prioritized intervention plan for specific populations. In this course, students will implement new nursing skills with supervision, develop their own beginning leadership abilities, and acknowledge delegation as a needed modality to improve client care.

**Semester Offered:** Summer

**Course Student Learning Outcomes (CSLOs):**

1. Collaborate as a member of the multidisciplinary health care team.
2. Use therapeutic communication skills in the development of relationships with clients and families in specific populations.
3. Practice effective oral and written communication with clients, peers, and faculty.
4. Develop a plan of care for clients using clinical judgments based on assessment data, and an understanding of clients' perspective and illness experience in specific settings.
5. Discuss one's personal nursing practice within the legal and ethical framework of nursing.
6. Identify the need for initiation of referrals and explore community resources.
7. Identify potential legal and ethical issues in delivery of health care.
8. Demonstrates leadership abilities and acknowledges delegation as a needed modality to improve client care.
9. Utilize reliable sources of information to support nursing care decisions and accept responsibility for maintaining current evidence-based practice, ongoing professional growth, and lifelong learning.