

# **Syllabus**

#### NUR 233 Pharmacology III

## **General Information**

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## **Course Information**

Credit Hours 2 Lecture Contact Hours 2 Lab Contact Hours 0 Other Contact Hours 0 Catalog Description This course will enable the student to apply pharmacological concepts to manage patients with multisystem health problems across the lifespan incorporating clinical judgment and interprofessional collaboration Prerequisites NUR 121, NUR 122, and NUR 123 Co-requisites

BIO 230, NUR 231, and NUR 232

#### Grading Scheme

Letter

## First Year Experience/Capstone Designation

This course DOES NOT satisfy the outcomes applicable for status as a FYE or Capstone.

#### **SUNY General Education**

This course is designated as satisfying a requirement in the following SUNY Gen Ed category None

## FLCC Values

Institutional Learning Outcomes Addressed by the Course

Inquiry

Interconnectedness

#### **Course Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Examine the role of the professional nurse when administering pharmacological therapies to manage patients with complex health problems across the lifespan.
- 2. Utilize clinical judgment skills to prioritize patient needs when administering pharmacological therapies to achieve optimal outcomes

#### Program Affiliation

This course is not required as a core course in a program

### **Outline of Topics Covered**

Medication will align with theoretical content presented in NUR 2XU Health Concepts III

- Thrombolytics
- Common OB Meds Uterotonics/ Tocolytics, Cervical ripening agents, glucocorticoids, Rhogam
- Newborn medications
- Cardiac glycosides
- Contraceptives
- Osmotic agents
- **Multiple Sclerosis medications** 
  - $_{\circ}$  Beta-interferon
    - o Monoclonal antibodies
- Anticonvulsants
  - o Hydantoins
- Iminostilbene
  Anti TB drugs
- Antiparkinsonian drugs
  - <sub>o</sub> Dopaminergics
  - o Dopamine agonists
- Antidysrhythmics
- antianginals
- Anticholinergics
- Muscle relaxants
- Vasopressors/Inotropics
- Vasodilators
- Transplant rejection
- Hormone replacement medications
- Volume expanders
- **Emergency medications**