In The Name Of GOD
Lorestan University of Medical Sciences
Nursing &Midwifery Faculty

Course Name: English For Nursing Students Credit course: 2
Professor: Dr Valizadeh
Students: The Third semester of Nursing Students
Time: 1st semester 97-98
A brief review on course: Every profession has a specialized language that allows for quick, efficient communication between members of the same profession. Medical Terminology is used by hospital and research centre employees for facilitating communication in reading and writing in this course, you will learn the main parts of medical terms, roots, prefixes, suffixes, and an overview of anatomical terms for improving your ability of comprehension and translation of medical and nursing texts .

Main Goal: Developing your English and communication skills to enable you to meet the academic demands of nursing studies

Objectives: at the end of the course you should be able to:

1. Define medical terminology and its usage
2. Recognize and understand the meaning of word-parts (Roots, suffixes, prefixes)
3. Explain how combining vowels are used in Forming medical words
4. Construct medical terms of word parts
5. Define the meaning of commonly used medical terms
6. Constructs & formulate terms from basic elements
7. Pronounce words according to the Pronunciation guide
8. Recognize and use Suffixes pertaining to disease /change in body, medical specialties medical specialist , noun, adjective, plural and… suffixes employed in medical terminology
9. Recognize and use Prefixes for Numbers, colors, Negative, Direction, Size and Comparison , time or position employed in medical terminology
10. Do the exercises pertaining to medical terms Construction of word parts or exercises pertaining to Formulation of medical terms to basic elements
11. Identify and define the main medical terms pertaining to Digestive tract, Respiratory, cardiovascular and lymphatic, Nervous, Urinary and Endocrine,….. systems
12. Translate and summarize material from publications into Persian

Teaching Methods: Lecture, Group discussion, Answer & Question
Teaching Media: Computer**,** Video projector, power point software, White Board, Marker
Time: Sundays 14-16 **Class No: 1**
Evaluation:

Evaluation Methods	Score	date	time
Discussions& Active presence in the class	10%	Each session of class	
Assignments	20%	Each session of class	
Midterm exam	30%		
Final exam	40%		

Students' Expectations:
1. Being on Time 2. Turn Off cell phones
3. Being Active in the class 4. DO & Present the assignments

References*:*

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2.Manoochehri H. **English for nursing and medical sciences***.2008 ,1st ed, Andishe Rafie Co, Tehran ,Iran*
3. Cohen BJ. ***Medical Terminology an illustrated Guide*** *2011. JB Lippincott Williams &Wilkins Co, 6th ed, Philadefia, USA*
4. Birmingham JJ. ***Medical Terminology, A self Learning Text.****2002, 2nd ed, Mosby Co. ,USA*
5. Nursing Journals

Time table

Topic	Professor	Date	Time	Session
Introduction , medical terminology, combining vowels, word analysis , Pronunciation guide	Dr Valizadeh		14-16	1st
Suffix, Suffixes pertaining to noun, adjective, plural	″		″	2nd
Suffixes pertaining to disease /change in body, medical specialties medical specialist & Exercise	″		″	3rd
Prefix, Prefixes for Numbers, colors, Negative, Direction,	″		″	4th
Prefixes for Size and Comparison , time or position & Exercise	″		″	5th
exercises pertaining to Construction or Formulation of medical terms t ,Translation	″		″	6th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to cardiovascular and lymphatic system	″		″	7th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining blood and immunity System	″		″	8th
Midterm Exam				
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to Respiratory System	″		″	9th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to digestive System	″		″	10th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to urinary and endocrine Systems	″		″	11th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to nervous System	″		″	12th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to the skeleton, bones, joints	″		″	13th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to integumentary System	″		″	14th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to senses, ear and hearing	″		″	15th
Roots, suffixes and exercises and translation pertaining to eye and vision	″		″	16th