

SAMPLE COURSE OUTLINE

Creation date: Jan 13, 2020

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Course Code, Number, and Title:

HCAS 1140: Personal Care and Assistance I

Course Format:

[Course format may vary by instructor. The typical course format would be:]

Lecture 4.0 h + Lab 1.0 h

Credits: 3

Transfer Credit: For information, visit bctransferguide.ca

Course Description, Prerequisites, Corequisites:

Students acquire personal care and assistance skill within the parameters of the Health Care Assistant role. Students develop the caregiver skills necessary to maintain and promote the comfort, safety and independence of individuals in community and facility contexts. Students are required to integrate theory from other courses as they complete class and supervised laboratory experiences.

Corequisites: HCAS 1100; HCAS 1101; HCAS 1110; HCAS 1120; HCAS 1130

Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Perform personal care skills in an organized manner ensuring the comfort and appropriate independence of the client
- Apply an informed problem-solving process to the provision of care and assistance
- Provide personal care and assistance within the parameters of the Health Care Assistant role
- Provide care and assistance in ways that maintain safety for self and others in a variety of contexts

Instructor(s): TBA

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Textbook and Course Materials:

[Textbook selection may vary by instructor. An example of texts and course materials for this course might be:]

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For textbook information, visit https://mycampusstore.langara.bc.ca/buy_courselisting.asp?selTerm=3|8

Note: *This course may use an electronic (online) instructional resource that is located outside of Canada for mandatory graded class work. You may be required to enter personal information, such as your name and email address, to log in to this resource. This means that your personal information could be stored on servers located outside of Canada and may be accessed by U.S. authorities, subject to federal laws. Where possible, you may log in with an email pseudonym as long as you provide the pseudonym to me so I can identify you when reviewing your class work.*

Assessments and Weighting:

(An example of assessments might be:) %

Midterm = 30%

Assignments = 30%

Quizzes/Tests = 40%

Grading System: Letter grade

Specific grading schemes will be detailed in each course section outline.

Passing Grade = C+

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Topics Covered:

[Topics covered may vary by instructor. An example of topics covered might be:]

Problem-solving when carrying out care-giving procedures

Asepsis and prevention of infection

Promoting personal hygiene

Moving, positioning and transferring a client

Bedmaking

Promoting exercise and activity

Promoting healthy nutrition and fluid intake

Promoting urinary and bowel elimination

As a student at Langara, you are responsible for familiarizing yourself and complying with the following policies:

College Policies:

[E1003 - Student Code of Conduct](#)

[F1004 - Code of Academic Conduct](#)

[E2008 - Academic Standing - Academic Probation and Academic Suspension](#)

[E2006 - Appeal of Final Grade](#)

[F1002 - Concerns about Instruction](#)

[E2011 - Withdrawal from Courses](#)

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Departmental/Course Policies:

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