

Minor Program Adjustment

Faculty: Health Sciences	Date: November 2016
Program: Bachelor of Science in Nursing	
Undergraduate: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Graduate: <input type="checkbox"/>

Minor Program Adjustments include: New required courses, Deletion of required courses, Other changes to degree requirements or program learning outcomes, New academic requirements or changes to existing requirements.

Motion to CPRC or GSC: That CPRC approve the addition of the new course, HLSC 3712U, to the list of required courses in the program.

Proposal Brief

Summary of the proposed change

We are proposing a new course for the BScN Program, HLSC 3712U Professional Ethics in Nursing to replace HLSC 3710U Ethics. Currently, HLSC 3710U is a required course in the Collaborative BScN and RPN-BScN Bridging program requirements.

Rationale: When HLSC 3710U Ethics is offered in the Fall term, nursing students take it; it is designed with their needs in mind. For example, seminar sessions are led by nursing faculty and modules particular to nursing are integrated. However, when it is offered in the summer, these pieces are not integrated, there are no seminars and it is open to anyone. This means that nursing students who might sign into this course do not get the addition of the content important to nursing and the ability of students to achieve the ethics entry to practice competencies set down by the College of Nurses of Ontario (the regulatory body).

Please note that this is in line with the recent creation of HLSC 3711U Professional Ethics and Communication in Kinesiology for the Kin programs.

Description of the ways in which the proposed change will enhance the program and/or opportunities for students

This change does not change content in the course. It simply clarifies that this is the ethics course for students in the nursing program. HLSC 3710U Ethics will continue to be offered to the BAHSc & BHSc students. HLSC 3712U Professional Ethics for Nursing will be offered to all BScN students (fall).

Process of consultation with other units if the change(s) involves students, staff, and/or faculty from other programs or courses

None required.

Analysis of financial and enrolment implications

None.

Proposed Implementation Date

2017/2018 academic calendar

Transition Plan

The program maps will need to reflect this course number and name change as noted below.

Calendar Copy and/or Program Maps (highlight revisions to existing curriculum)*Below with new course template***APPROVAL DATES**

Curriculum Committee approval	November 2016
Faculty Council approval	December 2016
CPRC Approval	
Submission to Academic Council	

BScN Collaborative 4 year Program Map 2016-2017

Year 1 (2015/16)	
Semester 1	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 1200U - Anatomy & Physiology I	
HLSC 1701U: Academic Writing: Perspectives in Health (formerly HLSC 1300U)	
NURS 1002U - Introduction to Nursing Praxis	CoReqs: NURS 1100U, NURS 1003U
NURS 1003U - Foundations for Nursing Practicum I	CoReq: NURS 1002U
NURS 1100U - Introduction to Health & Healing	CoReq: NURS 1002U
NURS 1420U - Development of Self as a Nurse I	CoReq: HLSC 1701U
Semester 2	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 1201U - Anatomy & Physiology II	HLSC 1200U
NURS 1503U - Foundations for Nursing Practicum II	NURS 1003U, CoReq: NURS 1700U
NURS 1700U - Health and Healing: Older Adult Nursing Theory and Practicum	NURS 1100U, NURS 1002U, NURS 1003U, NURS 1420U, CoReq: NURS 1503U, NURS 2320U
NURS 2320U - Health Assessment	HLSC 1200U, NURS 1003U, CoReq: HLSC 1201U
SOCI 1000U - Introductory Sociology	
Year 2 (2016/17)	
Semester 1	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 2460U - Pathophysiology I	HLSC 1201U
NURS 2420U - Knowing Through Inquiry	NURS 1420U

NURS 2700U - Health and Healing: Child and Family Nursing Theory and Practicum OR* NURS 2701U - Health and Healing: Adult Health Challenges Theory and Practicum	HLSC 1201U, NURS 1503U, NURS 1700U, NURS 2320U
NURS 2810U - Pharmacology for Nurses	HLSC 1201U, NURS 1503U, NURS 1700U, NURS 2320U, CoReq: HLSC 2460U
Semester 2	Prerequisite(s)
BIOL 2830U - Microbiology for Health Sciences	HLSC 1201U
HLSC 2461U - Pathophysiology II	HLSC 1201U
NURS 2700U - Health and Healing: Child and Family Nursing Theory and Practicum OR* NURS 2701U - Health and Healing: Adult Health Challenges Theory and Practicum	HLSC 1201U, NURS 1503U, NURS 1700U, NURS 2320U
HLSC 2820U - Nutrition for Nursing Practice	HLSC 1201U
Year 3 (2017/18)	
Semester 1	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 3710U – Ethics – Change to HLSC 3712U Professional Ethics for Nursing	24 Credit hours
HLSC 3800U - Critical Appraisal of Statistics for Health Science	24 Credit hours
NURS 3700U - Health and Healing: Healthy Communities Nursing Theory and Practicum OR* NURS 3701U - Health and Healing: Mental Health Nursing Theory and Practicum	NURS 2420U, NURS 2700U, NURS 2701U, NURS 2810U
PSYC 1000U - Introductory Psychology	
Semester 2	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 3601U - Interprofessional Health Care Teams	NURS 2420U
HLSC 3910U - Research Methods for Health Care Professionals: Theory and Application	HLSC 3800U
NURS 3700U - Health and Healing: Healthy Communities Nursing Theory and Practicum OR* NURS 3701U - Health and Healing: Mental Health Nursing Theory and Practicum	NURS 2420U, NURS 2700U, NURS 2701U, NURS 2810U
PSYC 2010U - Developmental Psychology	PSYC 1000U
Year 4 (2018/19)	
Semester 1	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 4100U - Nursing Leadership and Innovation	HLSC 3601U, HLSC 3800U, NURS 2420U, NURS 3700U, NURS 3701U
NURS 4700U - Health and Healing: Synthesis Professional Practice	HLSC 2461U, HLSC 3910U, NURS 3700U, NURS 3701U
Open Elective	
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Semester 2	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 4701U - Professional Nursing Integrated Practicum	BIOL 2830U, HLSC 1300U, HLSC 2820U, HLSC 3710U, HLSC 3910U, NURS 2420U, NURS 4100U, NURS 4700U, PSYC 2010U, SOCI 1000U

Open Elective	
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*1/2 of the students in this year take this course in semester 1 and the other ½ in semester 2 and vice versa

RPN-BScN Bridge Program Map 2015-2016

Year 1 (2015/16)	
Fall	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 1701U: Academic Writing: Perspectives in Health (formerly HLSC 1300U)	
NURS 0420U - Professional Nursing - Bridging	
HLSC 0880U - Science Bridge	
Winter	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 2202U - Comprehensive Anatomy and Physiology	HLSC 0880U
HLSC 3601U - Interprofessional Health Care Teams	NURS 0420U
NURS 2820U - Integrated Health Assessment & Pharmacology	HLSC 0880U, NURS 0420U
PSYC 2010U - Developmental Psychology	PSYC 1000U
Open Elective	
Summer	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 2705U - Health and Healing: Life Transitions across the Lifespan, Nursing Theory and Practicum	HLSC 2202U, NURS 2820U
Year 2 (2016/17)	
Fall	Prerequisite(s)
HLSC 2460U - Pathophysiology I	HLSC 2202U
HLSC 3710U – Ethics – Change to HLSC 3712 Professional Ethics for Nursing	24 Credit hours
HLSC 3800U - Critical Appraisal of Statistics for Health Science	24 Credit hours
NURS 2420U - Knowing Through Inquiry	NURS 0420U
Open Elective	
Winter	Prerequisite(s)
BIOL 2830U - Microbiology for Health Sciences	HLSC 2202U
HLSC 2461U - Pathophysiology II	HLSC 2460U
HLSC 2820U - Nutrition for Nursing Practice	HLSC 2202U
HLSC 3910U - Research Methods for Health Care Professionals: Theory and Application	HLSC 3800U
Open Elective	
Summer	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 3700U - Health and Healing: Healthy Communities Nursing Theory and Practicum	NURS 2705U, NURS 2820U

Year 3 (2017/18)	
Fall	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 4100U - Nursing Leadership and Innovation	HLSC 3601U, HLSC 3800U, NURS 2420U, NURS 3700U, NURS 3701U
NURS 4700U - Health and Healing: Synthesis Professional Practice	HLSC 2461U, HLSC 3910U, NURS 3700U, NURS 3701U
Open Elective	
Winter	Prerequisite(s)
NURS 4701U - Professional Nursing Integrated Practicum	BIOL 2830U, HLSC 1300U, HLSC 2820U, HLSC 3710U, HLSC 3910U, NURS 2420U, NURS 4100U, NURS 4700U, PSYC 2010U, SOCI 1000U

NEW COURSE TEMPLATE

For changes to existing courses see Course Change Template

Faculty: Faculty of Health Sciences		
Course title: Professional Ethics in Nursing		
Course number: HLSC 3712U	Cross-listings: n/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Core <input type="checkbox"/> Elective
Credit weight: 3	Contact hours: 1.5 Lecture, 1.5 Lab bi-weekly, 1.5 Tutorial Other	

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

In this course, students will explore the history of ethics with particular emphasis on the theories that apply to ethics in health care. Ethical decision-making will be discussed, and students will gain practical knowledge in the application of ethics to health care by examining special topics in biomedical ethics.

Prerequisites	24 credit hours
Co-requisites	
Credit restrictions	HLSC 3711U and HLSC 3710U
Credit exemptions	

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- On the successful completion of the course, students will be able to:
- Describe and create content about the key philosophers who contributed to ethics.
 - Illustrate ways in which religion, politics/policy, culture, science/technology, and economics influences ethical decisions.
 - Describe the development of ethical theories.
 - Explain the roles of health care professionals in ethical decisions affecting individuals, families, communities.
 - Discuss the importance of narrative ethics in health care.
 - Apply the principles of ethical decision-making to case studies
 - Appraise professional codes of ethics regarding their practical implications and applications.
 - Compare ways of including the principles of self-determination, well-being, and equity into shared decision-making about health care delivery.
 - Critically examine the ethical issues which arise in human research, health promotion, disease prevention, and biomedical advancements.

DELIVERY MODE

Hybrid

TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT METHODS

Exam
Assignments
Academic
Paper
Participation
Tutorials

CONSULTATION AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS, WHERE APPROPRIATE

None required

APPROVAL DATES

Date of submission	November 11, 2016
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