



**University of Thi-Qar
College of Nursing
Undergraduate Program
Foundation of Nursing**

- 1. Course Title:** Foundations of Nursing / Laboratory
- 2. Course Number:** (106)
- 3. Credit Hours :**(4) Credit
- 4. Course Calendar :**(4) Hours weekly of (15) weeks
- 5. Placement:** First academic year / Second semester
- 6. Course Description:**

This course explores the major concepts and related theories underlining the nursing profession. It enables students to identify nursing as a scientific knowledge bases and skillful practice that are used to help individuals, families and society with maintaining and improving their health, holistic care, and case based learning will be emphasized.

7. Course objectives:

At the end of the course the student will be able to:

1. Realize the health concept as it relates to the whole person.
2. Training for the nursing process.
3. Training for the principles underlying effective recording and reporting, Admission, Discharge, Transfer and Referrals /documenting of nursing interventions.
4. Training for the therapeutic communication.
5. Training for the principles of adult education in teaching clients.

8. Course outline:

Part I: Development of self- concept

1.1: Self-care as prerequisite to client care.

Part II: Personal hygiene and grooming

Part III: Daily care Unit (Bed Making, Bathing)

Part IV: Communication

4.1: Nurse-client communication

4.2: Communication with health care team

Part V: Therapeutic Communication

Part VI: Review of Nursing Process

6.1: Assessment

6.2: Nursing diagnosis

Part VII: 7.1: Planning and Expected out come.

7.2:Implementation

7.3:Evaluation

Part VIII: Midterm Examination

Part IX: Documentation and reporting

9.1: Applying documentation and reporting

Part X: Admission of Clients

10.1: Applying admission of client

Part XI: Discharge of clients

11.1: Applying discharge of client

Part XII: Transfer and referrals of client

12.1: Applying transfer and referrals of client

Part XIII: Client Teaching

13.1: Uses Teaching –learning process

Part XIV: Applying Teaching Methods

Part XV: Midterm Examination