Course Information

Course Title	Pediatrics
Course Prefix, Num. and Title	VNSG1234: Pediatrics
Division	Allied Health
Department	Vocational Nursing
Course Type	WECM Course
Course Catalog Description	Study of the care of the pediatric patient and family during health and disease. Emphasis on growth and developmental needs utilizing the nursing process.
Pre-Requisites	Successful completion of first semester courses with a grade of 'C' or higher
Co-Requisites	Enter Co-Requisites Here.

Semester Credit Hours

Total Semester Credit Hours (SCH): Lecture Hours: Lab/Other Hours	2:2:0
Equated Pay Hours	2
Lab/Other Hours Breakdown: Lab Hours	0
Lab/Other Hours Breakdown: Clinical Hours	0
Lab/Other Hours Breakdown: Practicum Hours	0
Other Hours Breakdown	0

Approval Signatures

Title	Signature	Date
Prepared by:		
Department Head:		
Division Chair:		
Dean/VPI:		
Approved by CIR:		

Additional Course Information

Topical Outline: Each offering of this course must include the following topics (be sure to include information regarding lab, practicum, and clinical or other non-lecture instruction).

Utilize the nursing process to deliver care to the child from infancy to adolescence for diseases and disorders of the following body systems: integumentary, immune, neurological, sensory, musculoskeletal, respiratory, cardiovascular, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, endocrine, hematologic, lymphatic, and psychological disorders. Student will plan age-appropriate activities and a well-balanced meal for a diverse group of well children.

Course Learning Outcomes:

Learning Outcomes – Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

Identify safety principles related to childcare
Discuss primary nursing care of the pediatric patient and family during health and disease
Apply concepts of growth and development to the care of pediatric patients utilizing the nursing process

Methods of Assessment:

Unit examinations, project

Required text(s), optional text(s) and/or materials to be supplied by the student:

Required textbooks: Safe Maternity and Pediatric Nursing Care by Linnard-Palmer
                                     Study Guide for Safe Maternity and Pediatric Nursing Care
Student supplied materials: laptop with WiFi capability, pen, #2 pencil, highlighter, paper

Suggested Course Maximum:

45

List any specific or physical requirements beyond a typical classroom required to teach the course.

None

Course Requirements/Grading System: Describe any course specific requirements such as research papers or reading assignments and the generalized grading format for the course.

Students are expected to read assignments from textbooks and provided handouts before attending class and utilize correct medical terminology throughout the course. No late assignments are accepted.

Any unit examination taken at a time other than the scheduled time will have 10 points deducted from the grade. The student is responsible for initiating arrangements for late testing; failure to do so will result in a grade of zero (0). Late testing must be completed within one week of the original test date. Students will be given one minute per question to complete examinations and the final.

All testing in this course will be online using Blackboard, Respondus Lockdown Browser, and the student's laptop. Tests will be completed in the classroom under the supervision of a proctor.

The average of the unit examinations are 75% of the course grade and the comprehensive final examination is 25% of the course grade. A student must have a 75 course grade to continue in the Vocational Nursing program.

Grading format:
90-100=A;
89-80=B;
79-75=C;
0-74=F.
No grades are rounded up.

Curriculum Checklist:

☐**Administrative General Education Course** (from ACGM, but not in WCJC Core) – No additional documents needed.

☐**Administrative WCJC Core Course**. Attach the Core Curriculum Review Forms

       ☐Critical Thinking

       ☐Communication

       ☐Empirical & Quantitative Skills

       ☐Teamwork

       ☐Social Responsibility

       ☐Personal Responsibility

☒**WECM Course** -If needed, revise the Program SCANS Matrix and Competencies Checklist