

LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BRIEF SYLLABUS

SPECIAL NOTE:

This brief syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. A full syllabus will be distributed to students at the first class session.

TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS USED IN THE COURSE (if any):

Please check with the LCC bookstore <http://www.labette.edu/bookstore> for the required texts for this class.

COURSE NUMBER: NURS 207

COURSE TITLE: PATHOPHYSIOLOGY

SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 3

DEPARTMENT: Nursing

DIVISION: Health Science

PREREQUISITE: Completions of high school or college Anatomy & Physiology with grade of "C" or better

REVISION DATE: March 2013

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is designed to better prepare students in the transition between learning content covered in basic anatomy and physiology courses and the study of disease processes studied in nursing, respiratory, and radiography courses.

COURSE OUTCOMES AND COMPETENCIES:

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

1. Identify the role of Pathophysiology in the diagnosis and treatment of disease.
 - Define Pathophysiology and the importance of understanding concepts of Pathophysiology in allied health curricula.
2. Correctly utilize medical terminology related to Pathophysiology.
 - Self-review anatomy and physiology content to prepare to understand the concepts of Pathophysiology.
 - Utilize correct medical terminology in discussions of disease conditions.
3. Explain the Pathophysiology of selected disease processes related to all body systems.
 - Identify signs and symptoms specific to selected disease processes.
 - Explain the abnormalities of anatomy and physiology, which are manifested in the disease process.
 - Identify means of assessment and prevention of selected disease processes.