



SN 709 - Key Concepts in Nursing Theory and Research

Course SN 709 provides theoretical research content and field practices that emphasize the multifaceted role of the school nurse. Selected theories are explored, and the student learns how ideas are developed and used in nursing practice and research. The student participates in field experiences and classroom learning activities that focus on the assessment and management of health care needs in school settings. This course provides the student with the necessary tools and skills for a professional school nurse, and the student will be able to successfully function as a provider, planner, and coordinator of health care in school settings.

- Theories and concepts guiding school nurse practice
- Scope and standards of school nurse practice
- School nurse research and evidence-based practice as a tool to frame school nursing practice
- Specialized procedures and care plans specific to school nurse practice
- Working with diverse and vulnerable populations; children and their families in the school setting
- Student attendance interventions and role of the school nurse