New Course Request

School/Division: NURS/DNHP
Academic Subject Code: 
Course Number: Y635
Course Title: DYNAMICS OF FAMILY HEALTHCARE
Recommended Abbreviation: DYN FAM HTHCARE
First Time this course is to be offered: F/08
Credit Hours: Fixed at 3 or Variable from to
Is this course to be graded S-F (only)? Yes No
Is variable title approval being requested? Yes No

Course description (not to exceed 50 words) for Bulletin publication:
Provides students with opportunities to study families within the community context. Consideration is given to theories of family functioning and roles in family health care, using family assessment tools and other nursing intervention strategies.

Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at or Variable from to
Non-Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at or Variable from to
Estimated enrollment: 15 of which 100 percent are expected to be graduate students.
Frequency of scheduling: 1/academic year
Will this course be required for majors? Yes
Justification for new course: required course in newly-approved MSN FNP major
Are the necessary reading materials currently available in the appropriate library? Yes

Please append a complete outline of the proposed course, and indicate instructor (if known), textbooks, and other materials.

If this course overlaps with existing courses, please explain with which courses it overlaps and whether this overlap is necessary, desirable, or unimportant. N/A

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Submitted by: __________________________ Date ____________
Department Chairman/Division Director

Approved by: __________________________ Date ____________
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Date ____________
Chancellor/Vice-President

Date ____________
University Enrollment Services

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Y535 Dynamics of Family Health

Fall 2008

Course Hours: 3 Didactic
Pre-requisite Courses: None
Co-requisite Courses: None

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Course Description: Provide students with opportunities to study families within the community context. Consideration is given to theories of family functioning and roles in family health care, using family assessment tools and other nursing intervention strategies.

Course Objectives: At the completion of this course you will be able to:

1. Analyze theories relevant to family roles, structures, function, and development.
2. Analyze family assessment tools as a basis for nursing intervention.
3. Analyze transcultural and world perspectives of issues affecting the family.
4. Define strategies and methods appropriate for nursing intervention with families at risk.

Teaching strategies: Practice-based learning using lecture, discussion, review of popular media materials, and student presentations.

Content Topics: This course will cover a variety of normal and abnormal life transitions families face across the lifespan. Selected topics include alcoholism, adolescents with diabetes, violence across the lifespan, mental health difficulties including Alzheimer’s disease, suicide risks, and post traumatic stress syndrome, chronic illness and assaults to self-image.
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**NURS Y535**
Dynamics of Family Health Care
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