



School of Nursing and Health Professions Syllabus



Term: Credit: 3 CR **Instructor:**

Course Code: HLT 115 ONLINE **Office Hours:**

Title of Course: Dynamic of Healthcare in Society **Office Location:**

Days & Times: **Email:**

Location: **Phone:**

Prerequisites/ Corequisites:

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is an orientation to health care and delivery from an interdisciplinary perspective, with a focus on process skills to include critical thinking, ethical reasoning, effective communication, and self-directed learning abilities. Professional competencies will be stressed as applied to general issues and topics common to all health care providers. Emphasis will be placed on the role of the allied health practitioner as both a provider and consumer of health care services.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

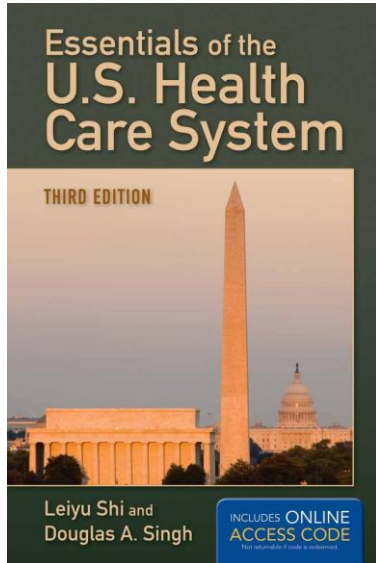
Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Identify the basic components of the health care delivery system, including public, private, government, and non-profit.
2. Compare and contrast the composition and functions of a health care team and explore the general roles and responsibilities of the individual members of the health care team.
3. Identify the value and effect of advancements in technology throughout healthcare.
4. Understand the role of healthcare financing, the basic concept of insurance, and the various reimbursement methods.
5. Discuss the outpatient services, the primary care, and the construction and operations of a hospital.
6. Analyze the main types of managed care organizations and integrated and long-term health care.
7. Understand what an underserved population is, healthcare policies, the impact of emerging issues, and the future of healthcare delivery.

TEXTBOOK REQUIRED:

Shi, Leiyu and Douglas Singh, Essentials of the U.S. Health Care System,

6th Edition, Jones and Bartlett Publishers ISBN: 9781284235104



EVALUATION METHODS:

Learning Activities	Points
Discussions	220
Assignments	520
Project Assignments	260
Total	1000

Points (Hudson Online)	Percentage (%)	Letter Grade
940-1000	94% - 100%	A
900-939	90% - 93%	A-
870-899	87% - 89%	B+
830-869	83% - 86%	B
800-829	80% - 82%	B-
770-799	77% - 79%	C+
700-769	70% - 76%	C
600-699	60% - 69%	D
0-599	0% - 59%	F

WEEKLY OUTLINE:

Unit	Topic	Learning Outcomes (L.O)
1	Major Characteristics of the U.S. Healthcare Delivery	SLO 1
2	Historical Overview of the U.S. Healthcare Delivery	SLO 2
3	Technology and Healthcare	SLO 3
4	Financing and Reimbursement Methods	SLO 4
5	Outpatient Services and Primary Care	SLO 5
6	Managed Care and Long-Term Care	SLO 6
7	Underserved Populations and The Future of Healthcare Delivery	SLO 7

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