

**MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF NURSING
Master Resource Outline**

N508 Clinical Leadership Practicum

Credits: 8 clinical lab

Semesters offered: Fall

Prerequisite: N505, N506, N507

Course Description: This course is an immersion clinical practicum. Students practice CNL competencies in their selected healthcare environment(s) to design, manage, and evaluate care to improve health outcomes for a selected population.

Course Objectives:

1. Assume responsibility for CNL identity and practice.
2. Assume accountability for the lateral integration of the provision of illness/wellness care for a specific group of clients.
3. Evaluate the effectiveness of healthcare for a specific group of clients through an examination of outcomes.
4. Manage resources efficiently to deliver healthcare to a specific group of clients.
5. Serve as an advocate within the healthcare delivery system to protect the rights of clients to affect quality outcomes.
6. Demonstrate evidence-based practice by designing, implementing, and evaluating interventions to improve outcomes in a selected care environment.
7. Facilitates learning for clients and other health care professionals
8. Evaluate achievement of competencies in conjunction with preceptor and faculty.

Recommended Content and Concepts:

Content of clinical seminars involves the integration and synthesis of previous course content with current clinical practice.

Role transition.

Examples of learning activities:

Discussion of issues encountered in practice.

Group problem solving.

Individual projects.

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