

**MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**COLLEGE OF NURSING**  
**Master Resource Outline**  
**NRSNG 622 Advanced Clinical II (NP, Family/Individual)**  
**Primary Care for Midlife Families**

**Credits:** 6 (3 lecture; 3 clinical lab)

**Semester offered:** Fall

**Prerequisite:** NRSNG 620, NRSNG 621

**Degree:** DNP

**DNP Essentials:** I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII

**Graduate Program Objectives:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

**Course Description:** This graduate nursing course focuses on comprehensive assessment, intervention and preventive care for midlife families in primary health care settings. Recognizing and valuing the holistic nature of individuals within families, this course will include content on the physiological, pathophysiological, psychological, developmental, sociocultural, and spiritual primary health care needs of midlife families.

**Course Objectives:**

1. Employ effective communication and collaboration skills in providing preventive care, treatment, and advocacy for midlife families with emphasis on needs in the rural primary care setting.
2. Assess and interpret individual and family responses to primary health care issues, guided by evidence based practice and interdisciplinary perspectives.
3. Formulate healthcare strategies, guided by identified concepts and perspectives, for treatment, health promotion, and preventive primary care of midlife families.
4. Disseminate findings from evidence based interventions for disease prevention and treatment of primary health care needs of midlife families.
5. Evaluate the effectiveness of nursing strategies used to provide primary for midlife families.
6. Incorporate knowledge about culture and ethnicity into the development, implementation and evaluation of nursing strategies.

**Practice experience in the curriculum**

Practice immersion experiences afford the opportunity to integrate and synthesize the essentials and specialty requirements necessary to demonstrate competency in an area of specialized nursing practice.

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