

# Course Syllabus: Leadership Roles College of Robert D. & Carol Gunn College of Health Sciences & Human Services NURS 3721/ NURS 3723 Summer 2021

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## Course Description

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This course emphasizes leadership and management theories in communication and conflict resolution, budgeting, human resource management, quality improvement, risk management, change, delegation, decision making, and management ethics. Clinical experiences focus on management of issues and interactive observation of leaders and managers in a variety of settings.

AACN Essentials: For further information regarding the AACN Essentials identified for each course objective, refer to: The Essentials of Baccalaureate Education for Professional Nursing Practice

Clinical Objectives		
Upon completion of this course the student should be able to:	AACN	DEC
1. Lead safety and quality improvement activities as part of the interdisciplinary team using teamwork and collaboration	II,III,IV,V,VI,VII,IX.	IA,IB,IC,IIA,IIB,IIC,IID,IIE,IIF,IIG, IIH, IIIA,IIIB,IIIC,IVA,IVB,IVC,IVD,IV F.
2. Monitor institutional, professional and health policy to adhere to standards of practice within ethical and legal precepts.	II,III,IV,V,VI,VIII.	IA,IB,IC,ID,IIB,IIC,IID,IIIA,IIIB,IV A,IVD,IVF.
3. Utilize clinical judgment and evidence-based practice to support communication and professionalism, and enhance patient-centered care, patient education, and health	II, III,IV,V,VI,VII,VIII,IX.	IA,IB,IC,IIB,IIC,IID,IIE,IIIB,IVA,I VB,IVC,IVD.

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1. Integrate concepts from leadership and management, resource management, and communication theories in the provision of patient-centered care.	II,III,IV,V,VI,VIII.	IA,IB,IC,IIB,IIC,IID,IIE,IIIB,IVA,I VB,IVC,IVD.	
2. Practice within a framework of professionalism, and ethical and legal precepts applicable to the nurse as leader, delegator, advocate, and coordinator and manager of health care organizations.	II,III,IV,V,VI,VII,VIII,IX.	IB,IC,IID,IIE,IVA,IVB,IVD.	

## Textbook & Instructional Materials

Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing 7th edition St Louis,

Missouri: Elsevier Mosby

Harvard Business Review (2017). HBR guide to emotional intelligence. Boston,

MA: Harvard Business Review Press.

#### Student Handbook

Refer to: Student Handbook 2020-21

# Academic Misconduct Policy & Procedures

Academic Dishonesty: Cheating, collusion, and plagiarism (the act of using source material of other persons, either published or unpublished, without following the accepted techniques of crediting, or the submission for credit of work not the individual's to whom credit is given). Additional guidelines on procedures in these matters may be found in the Office of Student Conduct.

# **Grading**

Table 1: Points allocated to each assignment

Assignments	Course %
Discussion Boards X 3	20%
Scholarly Papers X 3	20%
Group Presentation	15%
Nursing Organization Review	5%
Individual PPT Presentation	10%
Nursing Staffing Model Activity	10%
Professional Development Plan	10%
Reflection Journal Entries X 3	10%
Total Points	100

Table 2: Total points for final grade. There will be no rounding of grades.

Grade	Points
Α	90 to 100
В	80 to 89
С	79 to 74
D	65 to 73
F	64 and below

# **Projects Required**

Clinical Learning Activity performance is part of the requirements for this course. Students must pass both clinical learning content and didactic content. Failure in either one will constitute failure in the course. A course average of at least 74% is required to pass this course. Faculty reserves the right to make changes at any time to this syllabus. Students are to be accountable for all communications sent by faculty on Desire 2 Learn; therefore, you **must** check the site for announcements, assignments, and messages. Faculty prefers students use D2L as a means to make a specific request or to ask for content clarification. I forward your D2L emails to my MSU email. If you are unable to access D2L, you may contact faculty via campus email. Virtual and phone appointments are available upon request.

#### **Discussion Board**

You must post a substantive response to each of the required questions. A substantive response is constructive and adds value to the weekly discussions. Substantive responses should be at least 150 words in length. Rarely should each require more than 200 words. Your responses need to reflect critical thought and demonstrate an understanding of the relevant concepts. All factual knowledge must be supported with appropriate citation of source. Response to the discussion board questions must be posted by 10:59 PM on or before the due date on the Discussion Board section in the appropriate Discussion Question thread as stated in the course outline. Late postings of initial posts will receive a 10 percent deduction for each day late and will not be accepted if posted more than 2 days late. It is the responsibility of the student to post the assignment on the correct thread by 10:50 PM on or prior to the due date. Participation in the classroom discussion is required. In addition to posting your responses to the discussion questions you must post a substantive comment to at least two of your classmate's posts. This post may be made anytime during the week but must be made prior to the close of the week before the due date and time. Peer posts made after the due date and close of the week will not be accepted for credit.

#### **Late Work**

Assignments submitted more than two days late will not be accepted. Assignments submitted late which are within two days of the due date will receive a ten point deduction for each day they are late.

# **Important Dates**

Last Day to drop with a grade of "W:"

Refer to: <u>Drops, Withdrawals & Void</u>

# Desire-to-Learn (D2L)

Extensive use of the MSU D2L program is a part of this course. Each student is expected to be familiar with this program as it provides a primary source of communication regarding assignments, examination materials, and general course information. You can log into D2L through the MSU Homepage. If you experience difficulties, please contact the technicians listed for the program or contact your instructor.

# Online Computer Requirements

Taking an online class requires you to have access to a computer (with Internet access) to complete and upload your assignments. It is your responsibility to have (or have access to) a working computer in this class. Assignments and tests are due by the due date, and personal computer technical difficulties will not be considered reason for the instructor to allow students extra time to submit assignments, tests, or discussion postings. Computers are available on campus in various areas of the buildings as well as the Academic Success Center. Your computer being down is not an excuse for missing a deadline!! There are many places to access your class! Our

online classes can be accessed from any computer in the world which is connected to the internet. Contact your instructor immediately upon having computer trouble If you have technical difficulties in the course, there is also a student helpdesk available to you. The college cannot work directly on student computers due to both liability and resource limitations however they are able to help you get connected to our online services. For help, log into D2L.

#### **Instructor Class Policies**

Instructor Drop. An instructor may drop a student any time during the semester for excessive absences, for consistently failing to meet class assignments, for an indifferent attitude or for lack of engagement in the online learning environment. For example, failure to participate in online discussions as schedule and on time is considered being absent. Prior to dropping a student from the class, the instructor must give the student a verbal or written warning. An instructor's drop of a student takes precedence over the student-initiated course drop at a later date. The instructor will assign a grade of WF or F the 6<sup>th</sup> week of a 10 week summer term. After this time, the grade will be an F. The date the Office of the Registrar receives the instructor drop form is the official drop date. RN Transition students must complete all nursing courses within a two year period of time beginning with the first nursing course. RN Transition students must maintain enrollment in at least two courses per semester. If a student does not maintain enrollment for one semester they will be placed on inactive status. If a student were to withdraw for a second time from the same and or any nursing course and or received a second D or F in the same and or any nursing course, even if the student has repeated a course and received a grade of C or above the student will be dismissed from the program.

# Change of Schedule

A student dropping a course (but not withdrawing from the University) within the first 12 class days of a regular semester or the first four class days of a summer semester is eligible for a 100% refund of applicable tuition and fees. Dates are published in the **Schedule of Classes** each semester.

# Refund and Repayment Policy

A student who withdraws or is administratively withdrawn from Midwestern State University (MSU) may be eligible to receive a refund for all or a portion of the tuition, fees and room/board charges that were paid to MSU for the semester. HOWEVER, if the student received financial aid (federal/state/institutional grants, loans and/or scholarships), all or a portion of the refund may be returned to the financial aid programs. As described below, two formulas (federal and state) exists in determining the amount of the refund. (Examples of each refund calculation will be made available upon request).

# Disability Support Services

Midwestern State University is committed to providing equal access for qualified students with disabilities to all university courses and programs, and by law all

students with disabilities are guaranteed a learning environment that provides reasonable accommodation of their disability. This guarantee is provided through Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act. The ADA reads: "No qualified individual with a disability shall, by reason of such disability, be excluded from participation in or be denied the benefits of the services, programs, or activities of a public entity, or be subject to discrimination by any such entity." The Director of Disability Support Services serves as the ADA Coordinator and may be contacted at (940) 397-4140, TDD (940) 397-4515, or 3410 Taft Blvd., Clark Student Center 168.

## College Policies

Campus Carry Rules/Policies

Refer to: Campus Carry Rules and Policies

Smoking/Tobacco Policy

College policy strictly prohibits the use of tobacco products in any building owned or operated by WATC. Adult students may smoke only in the outside designated-smoking areas at each location.

Alcohol and Drug Policy

To comply with the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act of 1989 and subsequent amendments, students and employees of Midwestern State are informed that strictly enforced policies are in place which prohibits the unlawful possession, use or distribution of any illicit drugs, including alcohol, on university property or as part of any university-sponsored activity. Students and employees are also subject to all applicable legal sanctions under local, state and federal law for any offenses involving illicit drugs on University property or at University-sponsored activities.

#### **Grade Appeal Process**

Students who wish to appeal a grade should consult the Midwestern State University Undergraduate Catalog

### **Notice**

Changes in the course syllabus, procedure, assignments, and schedule may be made at the discretion of the instructor.

# **Course Schedule**

	Course Scriedule	
Week or	Weekly Objectives	Assignment
Module	(To be completed as independent study, building upon prior	Due Date
	knowledge. Self-determined competence)	Graded submissions
Week 1	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	Discussion Post #1
	Textbook:	Due Friday by 10:59 pm
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing,	
	7th edition:	
	1. Chapter 1 "Leading, Managing, and Following" pgs. 2-19	
	2. Chapter 5 "Gaining Personal Insight: The Beginning of	
	Being a Leader" pgs. 77-88	
	Videos:	
	1. Key Skills and Competencies of a Nurse Leaders:	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aSsZU 0g7m0	
	2. Nursing Leadership Styles. Which is your style?:	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N79rpvb4dHk	
	3. What's Love got to do with it? Leadership in a New Era of	
	Healthcare:	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ut0vgq3zbiY	
	Journal Articles:	
	Cummings, G.G., MacGregor, T., Davey, M., Lee, H., Wong,	
	C.A., Lo, E., Muise, M., & Stafford, E. (2010). Leadership	
	styles and outcome patterns for the nursing workforce and	
	work environment: A systematic review. International	
	Journal of Nursing Studies, 47, 363-385.	
	Downey, M., Parslow, S., & Smart, M. (2011). The hidden	
	treasure in nursing leadership: Informal leaders. Nursing	
	Management, 19, 517-521.	
	Murphy, L.G. (2012). Authentic leadership: Becoming and	
	remaining an authentic nurse leader. Journal of Nursing	
Maal: 2	Administration, 42, 507-512	Cabalauh, Danau #1
Week 2	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	Scholarly Paper #1
	Textbook:	Due Sunday by 10:59 pm
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7 <sup>th</sup>	
	edition:	
	1. Chapter 3 "Legal and Ethical Issues" pgs. 32-61	
	Journal Articles:	
	Cooper, R. W., Frank, G. L., Hansen, M. M., & Gouty, C. A.	
	(2004). Key ethical issues encountered in healthcare	
	organizations: the perceptions of staff nurses and nurse	
	leaders. JONA: The Journal of Nursing Administration, 34(3),	
	149-156.	
	Jonhstone, M. J., Da Costa, C., & Turale, S. (2004). Registered	
	and enrolled nurses' experiences of ethical issues in nursing	
	practice. Australian Journal of Advanced Nursing, The, 22(1),	
	24.	
	Storch, J., Makaroff, K. S., Pauly, B., & Newton, L. (2013).	
	Take me to my leader: the importance of ethical leadership	
	among formal nurse leaders. Nursing ethics, 20(2), 150-157.	
	Mihyun Park, M. S. N. (2009). Ethical issues in nursing	

	clinical nursing, 30(3-4), 385-396.	
	Website:	
	https://qsen.org/competencies/pre-licensure-ksas/	
Week 5	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	Individual PPT
Week 5	Textbook:	presentation Due by
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday 10:59 pm
	edition:	Sunday 10.55 pm
	1. Chapter 23	
	Journal Articles:	
	National Patient Safety Goals PDF	
	2. National Patient Safety Foundation. Free from harm:	
	Accelerating patient safety improvement fifteen	
	years after To Err Is Human.	
Week 6	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	Scholarly Paper #2 Due by
	Textbook:	Sunday 10:59 pm
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7 <sup>th</sup>	
	edition:	
	1. Chapter 24 "Translating Research into Practice" pgs. 428-	
	450	
	Journal Articles:	
	Stetler, C. B., Brunell, M., Giuliano, K. K., Morsi, D., Prince, L.,	
	& Newell-Stokes, V. (1998). Evidence-based practice and the	
	role of nursing leadership. JONA: The Journal of Nursing	
	Administration, 28(7/8), 45-53.	
	Bianchi, M., Bagnasco, A., Bressan, V., Barisone, M.,	
	Timmins, F., Rossi, S., & Sasso, L. (2018). A review of the	
	role of nurse leadership in promoting and sustaining	
	evidence-based practice. Journal of Nursing	
	Management, 26(8), 918-932.	
	Friesen, M. A., Brady, J. M., Milligan, R., & Christensen, P. (2017). Findings from a pilot study: Bringing evidence-based	
	practice to the bedside. <i>Worldviews on Evidence-Based</i>	
	Nursing, 14(1), 22-34.	
	Cullen, L., Hanrahan, K., Farrington, M., Anderson, R.,	
	Dimmer, E., Miner, R., & Rod, E. (2020). Evidence-Based	
	Practice Change Champion Program Improves Quality	
	Care. The Journal of Nursing Administration   JONA, 50(3),	
	128-134.	
	Videos:	
	What is Evidence Based Practice?	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lgHv4kFZn3s	
	What Is Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing?	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2pJvBNszxIU	
	Levels of Evidence	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OaOzXEWIXY4	
Week 7	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	<b>Nursing Staffing Model</b>
	Textbook:	Activity Due by Sunday
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7 <sup>th</sup>	10:59 pm
	edition:	

1. Chapter 13 "Staffing and Scheduling" pgs. 215-236 Videos:

Beyond Nurse Staffing Ratios, Creating A New Reality <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jr2VyKFbhcg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jr2VyKFbhcg</a>
Safe Staffing Ratios Protect Patients <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r0bAiKiRkKQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r0bAiKiRkKQ</a>
Nurse Staffing and Patient Acuity <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fAk8g7Ah221">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fAk8g7Ah221</a>

#### **Journal Articles:**

- 1. Carlisle, B., Perera, A., Stutzman, S. E., Brown-Cleere, S., Parwaiz, A., & Olson, D. M. (2020). Efficacy of using available data to examine nurse staffing ratios and quality of care metrics. *Journal of Neuroscience Nursing*, *52*(2), 78-83.

  2. Hill, B. (2020). Changes to nurse-to-patient ratios in intensive care during the pandemic. *British Journal of Nursing*, *29*(21), 1238-1240.
- 3. Shah, M. K., Gandrakota, N., Cimiotti, J. P., Ghose, N., Moore, M., & Ali, M. K. (2021). Prevalence of and Factors Associated With Nurse Burnout in the US. *JAMA network open*, *4*(2), e2036469-e2036469.

#### Week 8 ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:

#### Textbook:

Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7th edition:

1. Chapter 4 "Cultural Diversity and Inclusion in Health Care" pgs. 62-76

#### Videos:

1. Cultural Competence:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QKDMxLZHhPA

- 2. Becoming a Culturally Competent Nurse https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r62Zp99U67Y
- 3. The Importance of Cultural Competence in Healthcare: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9wfgJ4oWouE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9wfgJ4oWouE</a>

#### Journal Articles:

Marcelin, J. R., Siraj, D. S., Victor, R., Kotadia, S., & Maldonado, Y. A. (2019). The impact of unconscious bias in healthcare: how to recognize and mitigate it. The Journal of infectious diseases, 220(Supplement\_2), S62-S73. Weech-Maldonado, R., Dreachslin, J. L., Epané, J. P., Gail, J., Gupta, S., & Wainio, J. A. (2018). Hospital cultural competency as a systematic organizational intervention: Key findings from the national center for healthcare leadership diversity demonstration project. Health care management review, 43(1), 30-41.

McCalman, J., Jongen, C., & Bainbridge, R. (2017). Organisational systems' approaches to improving cultural competence in healthcare: a systematic scoping review of the literature. International journal for equity in health, 16(1), 1-19.

Booysen, L. A., & Gill, P. (2020). Creating a Culture of

Group Presentation Groups C, and D will present this week. Groups A, and B will respond.

Journal Entries #3 and #4 Due by Sunday 10:59 pm

Discussion Post #3 Initial Post due by Friday 10:59 pm and 2 peer responses are due by Sunday 10:59 pm

	Responsibility in Delegation Decisions" pgs. 298-319 3. Chapter 28 "Developing the Role of Leader" pgs. 495-509  Journal Articles:	
	Journal Articles: Demirhan, B. S. (2020). The Effect of Leadership Behaviours	
	of Nurse Managers on Nurses' Work  Motivation. <i>International Journal of Caring Sciences</i> , 13(1), 381-391.	
	Kirkham, L. (2020). Understanding leadership for newly qualified nurses. <i>Nursing Standard</i> , 35(12).	
	Robbins, B., & Davidhizar, R. (2020). Transformational leadership in health care today. <i>The Health Care</i>	
	Manager, 39(3), 117-121.	
	Lucas, B. (2019). Developing the personal qualities required for effective nurse leadership. <i>Nursing Standard</i> , <i>34</i> (12), 45-	
	50. Videos:	
	How to do a research interview	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9thYjAKww	
	Semi-structured interviews guide I semi-structured interview protocol	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8z8XV1S7548	
	Tips for Conducting an Effective Interview	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M_70RSHvqPM	
	How to Interview "Almost" Anyone	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WDOQBPYEaNs	
Week 10	ASSIGNED READINGS AND RESOURCES:	Professional
	Textbook:	Development Plan
	Yoder-Wise, P.S. (2019) Leading and managing in nursing, 7 <sup>th</sup>	Due By Thursday 10:59
	edition:	pm
	1. Chapter 27 "Managing Your Career" pgs. 476-494	***
	Videos:	*** Note course closes at
	A Professional Development Plan to Level-up Your Life	Midnight and you will not
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xf0gYcEhols	have access- No Late
	I Varrius Alvasia Oni Variu Causau Davialamus aut Cirola	C.
	You're Always On: Your Career Development Cycle https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=22LGzSisSLY	Submissions***