Course syllabus for

**Nursing of the elderly - Clinical education 1, 6 credits**

Omvårdnad av äldre - verksamhetsförlagd utbildning 1, 6 hp

This course syllabus is valid from autumn 2008.
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**Specific entry requirements**

- Fluent spoken English, Danish, Norwegian or Swedish. - Passed 90 ECTS credits or 1.5 year of the Nursing programme. - Basic computer knowledge (e.g. Microsoft Word and Internet research skills).

**Objectives**

The goals of the course are that the student after completing the course should be able to: - care for the elderly person by using the nursing process all stages out of basic ethical principles and evidence based knowledge. - reflect on various professional issues such as attitudes, ethics, gender, ethnicity, age, health economics and the health care system in Swedish nursing and compare that to the nurse profession in the home country.

**Content**

The course is comprised of clinical education within geriatric and gerontological nursing. It comprises
32 study hours per week in a hospital that has an agreement with the nursing programme. The remaining 8 hours per week are allocated for literature studies and Internet research.

Teaching methods

The clinical education is supervised by a nurse. The student is recommended to write a logbook with clinical reflections to be used as a base for discussion with the supervisor. The supervisor and/or the clinical lecturer from the nursing programme will evaluate the students progress during their clinical education.

Examination

- Evaluation of clinical placement. Attendance is compulsory for all days of clinical education. The supervisor and clinical lecturer together decide how the student should compensate for any absences.

Other directives

The course will be evaluated in accordance with the guidelines established by the Board of Education.

Literature and other teaching aids

**Eliopoulos, C**

**Gerontological nursing**


Library search

**Medical-surgical nursing : assessment and management of clinical problems**

*Lewis, S; Heitkemper, M; Dirksen, S; O’Brien, P; Bucher, L*


Library search