

HLSC – 113 – Drugs and Diseases

2 CREDITS

SYLLABUS

CATALOG DESCRIPTION

This course includes the study of the pathology and general health management of diseases and injuries across the life span. Topics include etiology, symptoms, and the physical and psychological reactions to diseases and injuries. A study of drug classifications, actions, therapeutic uses, adverse effects, and routes of administration.

Prerequisites: None

Semester Offered: Fall, Spring, and Summer

Common Student Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of San Juan College programs and degrees, the student will demonstrate competency in...

Broad and Specialized Learning

Students will actively and independently acquire, apply, and adapt skills and knowledge with an awareness of global contexts.

CRITICAL THINKING

Students will think analytically and creatively to explore ideas, make connections, draw conclusions and solve problems.

CULTURAL AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Students will act purposefully, reflectively, and ethically in diverse and complex environments.

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Students will exchange ideas and information with clarity in multiple contexts.

INFORMATION LITERACY

Students will be able to recognize when information is needed and have the ability to locate, evaluate, and use it effectively.

INTEGRATING TECHNOLOGIES

Students will demonstrate fluency in the application and use of technologies in multiple contexts.

Student work from this class may be randomly selected and used anonymously for assessment of course, program, and/or institutional learning outcomes. For more information, please refer to the Dean of the appropriate School.

Course Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to...

- 1. Understand the concepts of some of the most common diseases and the drugs that treat them.
- 2. Describe the basic routes of administration of drugs.

3.	Demonstrate knowledge of various health care regulations and how they pertain to dispensing of certain types			
4.	of drugs (ex. Narcotics). Understand the six rights of correct drug administration.			

Required Texts

None

Attendance

Attendance is vital for the student to obtain all needed information and to be successful in this class. Attendance/participation is 10% of your overall grade. It is the responsibility of the student to notify the instructor regarding class/lab absence prior to the scheduled date. For this spring 2017 course the times will be **Tuesday and Thursday 10am -10:50am**. The semester begins January 16th and ends May 11th.

In the event of an absence, the student must communicate with the instructor before the class time. More than two absences and/or more than three tardy/late arrivals will result in counseling with the instructor. The grade for attendance will be determined by the instructor taking into consideration the reason for the absences and/or tardy. If you cannot attend for any reason please contact your instructor: Kerry Markey-Cote at either markeycotek@sanjuancollege.edu or (505) 566-3470.

This course is the foundation for future employment. Announcements are usually delivered during the first 5 minutes of class and should not be missed. Workbook assignments cannot be turned in more than 5 minutes late without a late pass resulting in ½ points. Lecture classroom is located in **the HS Bld #3408.** Unless otherwise indicated.

Academic Work

Assignment Type	#	Points Each	Total Points Possible
Attendance/Participation	30	5	150
Homework	15	10	150
Case Studies	15	10	150
Poster	1	100	100
Powerpoint	1	100	100
Presentation	1	100	100
Paper	1	100	100
Portray	1	150	150
			1000 pts

Academic Honesty

All students should read and become familiar with San Juan College policy on "Academic Honesty". This may be viewed on the San Juan College home page.

CANVAS (Computer Program)

CANVAS is a tool that will be used during the course of the semester. Basic computer skills, i.e. ability to access San Juan College home page and use of CANVAS, are highly recommended. Technical support for accessing and utilizing the tool is available on campus through tutorials, the Help Desk (566-3266) is another tool.

Assignments

Students are to be prepared for class by having all materials read before each lecture, this will be directly reflected in the student's participation in discussion during class. Homework assignments are due at the beginning of the class that the assignment is due. The first 5-10 minutes of each class will be dedicated to review of the previous class and Q&A.

Course Grading

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Α
              90 – 100%
                             = 901-1000pts
В
       =
              80 – 89%
                             = 801-900pts
С
              70 – 79%
                             = 701-800pts
D
       =
              65 – 69%
                             = 601-700pts
              Below 65%
                             = 600pts and below
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Disability Statement

Students with disabilities: If you require special assistance or have learning needs, students are encouraged to speak with the instructor at the beginning of the semester so arrangements can be made to accommodate individual needs. It is the responsibility of the student to communicate with appropriate campus counselors any special or learning needs.

Accommodation statement: Students who need accommodations (i.e. note taker, interpreter, special seating, etc.) need to provide accommodation notices to the instructor at the beginning of the semester. Students can contact the Student with Disabilities on Campus (SDOC) Coordinator in the Counseling Center, located in the Clock Tower building, to make arrangements and provide documentation in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.