

LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BRIEF SYLLABUS

SPECIAL NOTE:

This brief syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. A full syllabus will be distributed to students at the first class session.

TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS USED IN THE COURSE (if any):

Please check with the LCC bookstore <http://www.labette.edu/bookstore> for the required texts for this class.

COURSE NUMBER: NURS 126

COURSE TITLE: BRIDGE COURSE FOR LPN'S

SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 1

DEPARTMENT: Nursing

DIVISION: Health Science

PREREQUISITE: Valid LPN license from Kansas, completion of all Level I general education courses, and acceptance into the Level II of the LCC Nursing Program.

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is required for all LPN advanced placement in LCC's Nursing Program. Course and clinical experience validates current knowledge and skills, plus provides new theory necessary to practice holistic nursing care as a registered nurse student. It is also required for any LCC PN graduate who has not been enrolled in an LCC nursing course in the previous two semesters.

COURSE OUTCOMES AND COMPETENCIES:

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

1. Discuss the philosophy, objectives and conceptual framework of the nursing curriculum, and departmental and college policies of Labette Community College's Nursing Program

- Participate in a group discussion of the philosophy, objectives, and conceptual framework of the LCC Nursing Program.

2. Identify key concepts in the legal and ethical aspects of the practice of nursing

- Participate in a discussion of the Kansas Nurse Practice Act.

3. Explain the differences in the scopes of practice of practical and registered nurses.

- Review the statutes and regulations governing nursing practice as a licensed practical nurse and a professional nurse in the state of Kansas.
- Identify the key differences in the scopes of practice of practical and professional nurses.

4. Self-identify maternal-child content needing review, to facilitate success in NURS 203
Family Nursing II.

- Complete Family Nursing I study guides.