



Diploma in Critical Care Nursing (DCCN)

ASSIGNMENTS 2024



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Dear Students,

There is only one assignment in total and this assignment is compulsory. Please note that you are required to score 50 % marks in the assignment. The assignment carries a weightage of 30 % marks towards the final evaluation in theory component and submission of related assignment is a pre-requisite for appearing in theory Term End Examination for respective course. The subject area of assignment and its last date of submission is mentioned below:

Last Date of Submission	Course Code	Blocks Involved	Assignment Code
30 th July 2024	BNS – 031	1 – 3	BNS – 031/TMA-1
30 th July 2024	BNS – 031	4 – 6	BNS – 031/TMA-2

Please take note of the following points before writing your assignments:

- Use only foolscap size paper for writing your responses. Only handwritten assignments will be accepted. Typed or printed copies of assignments will not be accepted.
- Tie all the pages after numbering them carefully.
- Write the question number with each answer.
- **All the questions are compulsory.**
- Every assignment will be evaluated out of full mark of 100. Weight age is indicated in parenthesis against each question.

Suggestion for writing an assignment:

Read the assignment carefully. Scan through whole material of the course, answer may be linked within the blocks /units. Draw a rough outline of your answer in your own words. Support your answer from your clinical / community experience. Make a logical order. Then write your answer neatly and submit. Give illustrations and tables wherever necessary .**You may keep a xerox copy of the assignments for future reference. Do not copy from print material.**

Answer each assignment in separate sheets. On the first page of the assignment response sheets, write the **Course Code, Course Title, Assignment Code, Name of your Programme Study Center (PSC) and date of submission. Your Enrollment No., Name and full address** should be mentioned in the top right corner of the first page. The first page of your assignments response sheet should look like the format given below:

Course Code	:	Roll No:
Course title	:	Name :
Assignment Code	:	Address:
PSC	:
Date of Submission:

Please submit the assignment to the Programme In Charge of the Programme Study Centre Allotted to you.

**Concept and Principles in Critical Care Nursing
Assignment (Block 1-3) (Tutor Marked)**

**Programme Code: DCCN
Course Code: BNS-031
Assignment Code: BNS –031 /TMA-1/2024
Date of Submission: 30th July 2024
Maximum Marks: 100**

Note: This Assignment has three parts – Part A, B and C

Part A consists of two long answer questions. Each question carries 15 marks
Part B consists of seven short answer questions. Each question carries 10 marks

Part – A

1. a) Discuss the phases of tissue healing.
b) Describe the management of wound.
c) Enlist the personal factors as determinants of healing **(5+5+5=15)**

2. a) Explain the methods of Physical Examination.
b) Explain the Ethical Considerations for collecting information from patients' family **(8+7=15)**

Part – B

3. a) Enumerate the alterations in Comfort.
b) Discuss the Nursing Interventions for promoting Rest and Sleep. **(4+6=10)**

4. Discuss the Nursing Management of patient with Hypoxia based on nursing process. **(10)**

5. Discuss the types, nature of pain and causes of Pain development. **(10)**

6. a) Explain Pulmonary Artery catheter insertion and Pulmonary Artery pressure measurements.
b) Discuss the complications of pulmonary Artery catheter **(6+4=10)**

7. a) Discuss the Direct and Indirect Coping Strategies In Stress.
b) Describe the importance of Education and training in Coping with Stress. **(5+5=10)**

8. a) Describe the phases of Inter – personal Relationship (IPR).
b) Enlist the techniques to improve IPR. **(5+5=10)**

9. a) List the points to be remembered when placing catheter in Total Parental Nutrition
b) Discuss the Nursing care plan of a patient on Total Parental Nutrition. **(5+5=10)**

**Concept and Principles in Critical Care Nursing
Assignment (Block 4-6) (Tutor Marked)**

**Programme Code: DCCN
Course Code: BNS-031
Assignment Code: BNS –031 /TMA-2/2024
Date of Submission: 30th July 2024
Maximum Marks: 100**

Note: This Assignment has three parts – Part A, B and C

Part A consists of two long answer questions. Each question carries 15 marks
Part B consists of seven short answer questions. Each question carries 10 marks

Part – A

1. a) Define Research Tool.
b) Describe the Standardized tools with relevant examples studied by you.
c) Discuss any five characteristics of a good research tool. **(1+7+7=15)**

2. a) Explain the meaning and purposes of clinical teaching.
b) Describe the process of clinical teaching.
c) Discuss the case study and nursing rounds method in detail with examples. **(5+5+5=15)**

Part – B

3. a) Describe the roles and responsibilities of a supervisor.
b) Enlist the steps for effective supervision. **(6+4=10)**

4. a) Explain the purposes of Job description.
b) Describe the job responsibilities of a Critical Care Nurse. **(3+7=10)**

5. a) Explain the various ethical principles relevant to the functions of critical care unit.
b) Discuss various ethical dilemma in critical care nursing. **(6+4=10)**

6. Discuss Ward rounds and Nursing rounds as a Clinical Teaching Method. **(10)**

7. a) Enlist rules and regulations of biomedical waste management.
b) Discuss the waste disposal principles to be followed for biomedical waste management **(5+5=10)**

8. Discuss the application and utilization of computers in Nursing. **(10)**

9. a) Discuss the modes of transport for critically ill patients.
b) Explain the equipment and personnel required for transport of critically ill patients **(5+5=10)**