

# FIELD EXPERIENCE SPECIFICATION

Faculty School of Nursing Department Maternal-Child Nursing and Midwifery

Curriculum Bachelor of Nursing Science Program, New Program in Year 2022

#### Section 1 General Information

BNE 394 ปฏิบัติการพยาบาลมารดา ทารกและผดุงครรภ์ 1 3(0-9-5)

Maternity Nursing and Midwifery practicum I

Co-requisite -

Prerequisite BNE341 Maternity Nursing and Midwifery I

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Section 11

**☑** Professional course

☐ Free elective course

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# Section 2 Course Objective

# 1. Objectives of the course

The course aims to provide nursing students with the opportunity to practice and apply maternity nursing and midwifery for individuals and groups in hospital settings. By the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1) Practice in caring for the normal mother and neonate during antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum periods
- 2) Apply the nursing process to provide holistic nursing care, health promotion of the mother and neonate
- 3) Conduct normal birth delivery, maternal and neonate attachment and bonding, family health promotion, family planning, and breastfeeding,
- 4) Assess the mother's medication use, and provide necessary information regarding appropriate and safe medication use concerning laws, the code of ethics, and professional conduct.

This practicum fosters critical thinking, as well as compassion and professional responsibility, preparing students for effective communication with the interdisciplinary team in maternity nursing and midwifery practice.

# 2. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

- 1) Apply theoretical knowledge of nursing, midwifery, and related sciences for caring for pregnant women during antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum, including newborns, and use a holistic approach (CLOs1.3 aligned with PLOs 1)
- 2) Demonstrate effective communication behavior with the nursing team, interdisciplinary team, client, and client's family. (CLOs2.2 aligned with PLOs 5)
- 3) Utilize the nursing process and evidence-based practice in nursing care and midwifery through a holistic approach. (CLOs2.4 aligned with PLOs 2)
- 4) Express behavior that is ethical, legal, and ethical in the nursing profession in caring for pregnant women during antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum, including newborns. (CLOs3.3 aligned with PLOs 8)
- 5) Express compassion and public-mindedness in caring for pregnant women during antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum, including newborns (CLOs4.2 aligned with PLOs8)

#### Section 3 Learning Outcome Development

Revise the course based on the previous course evaluation as follows: The delivery room experiences a high volume of births during certain periods, resulting in students not gaining sufficient experience. The training period and training setting must be adjusted.

Therefore, the delivery room at Thanyaburi Hospital was expanded to Nopparat Rajathanee Hospital.

PLO	Course Learning	Methods of organizing	Evaluation	Evaluation tools
	Outcome (CLOs)	learning experience	methods	
1	1. Knowledge			
	- Apply theoretical	- The instructors should	- Students could	- Case study
	knowledge of	link the essence of care	answer the	analysis
	nursing, midwifery,	into the practicum, the	questions and	assessment using
	and related	health system that has	understand how	the nursing
	sciences for caring	changed over the past	to care for the	process Form
	for pregnant	few years, to providing	client, and they	
	women during	maternal and child	have the content	
	antepartum,	health during pregnancy,	knowledge to	
	intrapartum, and	childbirth, and the	provide care	
	postpartum,	postpartum period	during pregnancy,	
	including newborns,	- Students could	childbirth, and	
	and use a holistic	summarize the	the postpartum	
	approach (CLOs1.3	knowledge from	period.	
	aligned with PLOs 1)	experience		
5	2. Skills			
	- Demonstrate	- The student could	- The student	- Midwifery skills
	effective	reflect on the owner	could be link up	assessment in
	communication	practicum, such as	and reflect their	hospitals Form
	behavior with the	strengths, weaknesses,	knowledge and	- Classroom
	nursing team,	and guidelines to	understanding by	behavior
	interdisciplinary	develop themselves	reflection about	observation
	team, client, and	- Case study discussion	the client	Form
	client's family.	by linking up the main	-The students	
	(CLOs2.2 aligned	point and evidence-	could increase	
	with PLOs 5)	based or other cases for	their intellectual	

PLO	Course Learning	Methods of organizing	Evaluation	Evaluation tools
	Outcome (CLOs)	learning experience	methods	
		analysis, and developing	skill each day	
		a method of caring	- Assessed by	
		- Group participation	friends	
		and analyzing the case	- Assess the	
		with knowledge and	practice skill of	
		experience. And finding	Leopold's	
		the problem and	maneuver and	
		planning for holistic care	suitable	
		- The instructor suggests	suggestion	
		text textbook and a	- Assess the	
		website that are	practice skills of	
		essential for the	nursing care	
		knowledge and useful	during birth and	
		for their practicum	child and after	
		- Each student has a	birth in 2 hours	
		case assignment by one	- Assess the	
		case/day, and design to	effectiveness of	
		nursing care plan for	health education	
2	- Utilize the nursing	each case	and patient	
	process and	- The student caring	satisfaction.	
	evidence-based	with the nursing process	- Accurate	
	practice in nursing	conforms to the	calculation	
	care and midwifery	patient's problem	- Assess practice	
	through a holistic	- Group discussion	skill all area	
	approach. (CLOs2.4	about practicum in each	- Language and	
	aligned with PLOs 2)	area, such as during	technology	
		pregnancy, childbirth,	information to	
		postpartum period, and	teach health	
		the newborn, to	education	

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	Outcome (CLOs)	learning experience	methods	
		develop skills for good	- Assess the	
		practice	practice skill of	
		- Students could	Leopold's	
		calculate the	maneuver and	
		intravenous fluid flow	suitable	
		rate and doses of	suggestion	
		medicines	- Assess the	
		- Students learned to	practice skills of	
		calculate the date of	nursing care	
		birth, gestational age,	during birth and	
		and birth period	child and after	
		- Students measured	birth in 2 hours	
		the body composition	- Assess the	
		of babies	effectiveness of	
		- Students teach health	health education	
		education for antenatal	and patient	
		or postnatal care	satisfaction	
8	3. Ethics			
	- Express behavior	- Assignment without	-Represent	- Observation
	that is ethical, legal,	discrimination in religion	understanding	form for nursing
	and ethical in the	and nationality, also	during	professional
	nursing profession	with care for the honor	participation in a	ethics, morality,
	in caring for	of a person	group	law, and code of
	pregnant women	- Raise the student's	- analyze from	conduct
	during antepartum,	awareness of caring with	nursing care plan	
	intrapartum, and	integrity, and if any	about the ethical	
	postpartum,	errors are made, they	issues	
	including newborns.	have to consult the		
	(CLOs3.3 aligned	instructor		

PLO	Course Learning	Methods of organizing	Evaluation	Evaluation tools
	Outcome (CLOs)	learning experience	methods	
	with PLOs 8)	- To analyze case		
		assignments about the		
		ethical issues, at least 1-		
		2 cases/week		
8	4) Personal	- The instructors should	- Student	- Assessment of
	attributes	be a good model in	expression	compassionate
	- Express	relationship with the	- Student manner	behavior Form
	compassion and	nursing team and the	& speech	
	public-mindedness	patients for the students	- Patient	
	in caring for	to understand	satisfaction	
	pregnant women	interaction with the	- The nurse team	
	during antepartum,	team and pregnant,	assesses the	
	intrapartum, and	parturient, and	student	
	postpartum,	puerperium		
	including newborns	- The student follows		
	(CLOs4.2 aligned	the case with good		
	with PLOs8)	communication		
		- The student practices		
		to present a case or		
		report data of a case		
		assignment to in in-		
		charge nurse		

# Alignment between Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs) and Learning Outcomes Domains

Course Learning Outcomes	Knowledge	Skills		Ethics	Personal attributes
	1.3	2.2	2.4	3.3	4.2
CLO 1	√				
Apply theoretical knowledge of nursing,					
midwifery, and related sciences for caring					
for pregnant women during antepartum,					
intrapartum, and postpartum, including					
newborns, and use a holistic approach					
(CLOs1.3 aligned with PLOs 1)					
CLOs 2		1			
Demonstrate effective communication					
behavior with the nursing team,					
interdisciplinary team, client, and client's					
family. (CLOs2.2 aligned with PLOs 5)					
CLOs 3			1		
Utilize the nursing process and evidence-					
based practice in nursing care and					
midwifery through a holistic approach.					
(CLOs2.4 aligned with PLOs 2)					
CLOs 4				1	
Express behavior that is ethical, legal, and					
ethical in the nursing profession in caring					
for pregnant women during antepartum,					
intrapartum, and postpartum, including					
newborns. (CLOs3.3 aligned with PLOs 8)					
CLOs 5					<b>V</b>
Express compassion and public-					

mindedness in caring for pregnant women			
during antepartum, intrapartum, and			
postpartum, including newborns (CLOs4.2			
aligned with PLOs8)			

# Section 4 Working Process

## 1. Course Description

ฝึกปฏิบัติการการพยาบาลมารดาและทารกในระยะตั้งครรภ์ ระยะคลอดและหลังคลอดในรายปกติ โดยการใช้กระบวนการพยาบาลในการดูแลแบบองค์รวม การสร้างเสริมสุขภาพและการสร้างสัมพันธภาพ ของมารดาและทารกแรกเกิดตั้งแต่อยู ในครรภ์ การทำคลอดในรายปกติ การสร้างเสริมสุขภาพครอบครัว และการวางแผนครอบครัว การส่งเสริมการเลี้ยงลูกด้วยนมแม่ การประเมินปัญหาเกี่ยวกับการใช้ยา การให้ ข้อมูลที่จำเป็นต่อการใช้ยาอย่างเหมาะสมและปลอดภัย โดยคำนึงถึงหลักกฎหมาย จริยธรรม และ จรรยาบรรณวิชาชีพ

The course is designed to provide clinical nursing experience utilizing the bio-psychosocial approach in caring for normal pregnant women during antenatal, intrapartum, and postpartum periods, maternal and child attachment and bonding. Caring for the newborn is under normal conditions. To apply the nursing process to assess, plan, and implement quality care for women during their reproductive cycle. It also considers Child-rearing in the first month of life, family health promotion, and family planning. The major emphases of the clinical areas are pregnancy and puerperium.

## 2. Student's Activities

- 2.1The student was assigned to care for individual midwifery cases, caring for 1-2 cases/day as follows:
  - At the antenatal care department, at least 2 cases/ day,
- At the delivery department, 2-3 attend to period case and 1-2 deliver cases/ 5 days,
  - At the postpartum, 1 case continues 2-3 days
  - 2.2 Pre-post conference daily
    - 2.3 Case discussion at the practical area diary
  - 2.4 Individual Case study report 1 case
  - 2.5 Present case conference 1-2 persons/case

# 2.6 Provide individual health education and group sessions in each area

# 3. Assignment

Paper assignment	Date of submission
1. Nursing care plan assignment: Process	Daily, in the morning
nursing care plan 2 cases/ week	
2. Labor's report 1-2 cases/ week in	Daily, in the morning
attendant and labor room	
3. Case study report 1 case/department	1 day after finishing the field experience
	course
4. Health educational plan 1 copy/	2 days before the start health education
department	program

# 2. Learning activities and nursing practice

- Instructors check the nursing care plan, case study, and advice for developing the nursing care plan
- Instructors make nursing rounds and advise the students to improve their nursing practice
- Instructors provide nursing conference and feedback and/or advice for developing or revising the nursing care plan
  - Instructors observe student practice and teaching on an interesting topic
- Instructors suggest/or teach clinical thinking and nursing adjudge in various clinical situations

# 5. Role and function, and responsibilities of preceptors in the clinical setting

- Preceptors orient the student about the setting, clinical practice guidelines, rules, and discipline.
  - Preceptors advise the student to improve nursing practice.
  - Preceptors attend and participate with Instructors for the student nursing practice.
  - Preceptors participate with Instructors for evaluation.

#### 6. Role and function of instructors

- Provide course orientation

- To teach, advise, counsel, and provide feedback for improvement/develop nursing skills
- Cooperate with the hospital staffs and to assign interesting cases base on course objectives

#### 7. Student preparation/ orientation/assistance

- Orientation: course description, learning outcomes, student activities, medical form, rules, and discipline
- Teach, counseling, advise /or feedback, evaluate, and comment to develop the student
- Collaborate with the personnel in the hospital about course descriptive learning outcomes
  - Conference with the instructional team to prepare TQF 4 and study guide
- Provide essential laboratory review to ensure/empower the students before practice

#### 8. Facilities and support required from the clinical setting

- Library: Textbook, Nursing Journal
- Human model and materials for practice in the laboratory room
- Room: Study room, conference rooms, or counseling room
- IT support: Computer, LCD projector, or other presentation
- The bus: for transporting nursing students to Nopparat Rajathanee Hospital and Thanyaburi Hospital,

#### Section 5 Lesson Planning and Preparation

# 5.1 Identify the clinical setting for the practice

- 1.1 Thanyaburi Hospital
  - 1.1.1 Antenatal care department
  - 1.1.2 Delivery department
  - 1.1.3 Postpartum department
- 1.2 Nopparat Rajathanee Hospital
  - 1.2.1 Delivery department

#### 1.2.2 Postpartum department

#### 5.2 Student preparation / Orientation

- 2.1 Course orientation
- 2.2 Evaluate the student's knowledge by pre-post test
- 2.3 Summarize the core concepts of midwifery nursing care
- 2.4 Review practice in the laboratory room

# 5.3 Instructor/supervisor preparation

Orientation about course management: goal, objective, learning outcomes, learning activities, evaluation form, clinical teaching, lab practice, and case analysis practice.

# 5.4 Preceptors preparation

Cooperate with the hospital staff and assign preceptors based on course objectives.

#### 5.5 Risk management

#### 5.5.1 Risk Prevention

- Orientation risk issue for prevention, such as falls the but transport
- Students did observation and counseling closely for all nursing procedures
- Instructor student ratio not more than 1:8 according to the standards (1:4 in the delivery department)
- The instructor reports an adverse event to the head nurse or the nursing staff immediately
- The instructor, head nurse, and nurse in charge analyze the course and impact of risk and solve the problem together, and arrange risk prevention for the future

## 5.5.2 Risk management

In any risk incidents involving the students, clients, or others resulting from the student performing or nursing procedures. The student must immediately report the incident to the instructor and/or document the incident for future review and improvement. The instructor should coordinate with the practice setting and/or relevant authorities to address the incident appropriately. The incident must be reported to the course coordinator, group leader, program head, and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs. As applicable, collaboratively identify the solutions and implement preventive measures to avoid recurrent incidents in the future.

# 5.6. Student appeal

Rangsit University offers structured channels for students to express concerns or file complaints with oversight provided by the Educational Service Center. In addition to the university's official mechanisms, students may address course-related issues directly with their instructors to help prevent potential conflicts. Students are also encouraged to submit grievances through alternative routes, including their department heads, Deputy Dean, or Dean. These submissions may be made via email or through social media platforms such as Line or Facebook, depending on the student's preference and convenience. For accountability and follow-up, identification is required when submitting a grievance. All concerns are handled with confidentiality and professionalism and may be brought to the attention of the curriculum management committee or other relevant faculty committees for review and resolution. Importantly, the grievance process is designed to ensure that students are not adversely affected in any way as a result of raising their concerns.

#### Section 6 Student Evaluation

#### 6.1 Evaluation Criteria

Learning	Evaluation method	Evaluation Tools	Evaluation
outcome			proportion
Knowledge	1. Case study (individual)	-Case study analysis	10%
(CLOs1.3)		evaluation Form	
		(Rubric)	
	2. Nursing care plan report	-Nursing care plan	5%
		report assessment	
		Form (Rubric)	
	3. Post-clinical practice	- 40-item MCQ test	Pass/Fail
	examination	(requirement score	
		must be more than	
		60%)	
Skills	1. Apply the nursing process to	- Maternity and	30%
(CLOs2.2,	provide nursing care	Midwifery skills	
2.4)		assessment in	

Learning	Evaluation method	Evaluation Tools	Evaluation
outcome			proportion
		hospitals Form	
		- Nursing process	30%
		evaluation Form	
	- Provide Health education	- Health education for	5%
		the mother evaluation	
		Form	
	- Present and discuss the case	- Presentation and	10%
	study	discussion case study	
		evaluation Form	
Ethics	- Express behavior that is	- Observation form for	5%
(CLOs3.3)	ethical, legal, and ethical in the	nursing professional	
	nursing profession	ethics, morality, law,	
		and code of conduct.	
Personal	- Express compassion and	- Assessment of	5%
attributes	public-mindedness in caring	compassionate	
(CLOs4.2)		behavior Form	

# 6.2 Evaluation Process

- 6.2.1 Evaluate the nursing performance of students by the evaluation checklist forms of faculty
- 6.2.2 Evaluate the case study report using by evaluation checklist forms of the faculty
- 6.2.3 Students are required to complete 100% of the total training hours. In the event of any absence from practical training, students must submit a leave request promptly to the advising instructor, clinical instructor, and course coordinator.
- 6.2.4 Performance evaluation will be conducted using a standardized evaluation form. Students will receive formative assessments throughout their training to support self-improvement prior to the final evaluation. To pass the course, students must achieve a minimum of 60% in all evaluated components.

6.2.5 Any form of academic dishonesty, including cheating or plagiarism, will result in an immediate score of zero for the assignment concerned, along with a formal warning. Repeated offenses may result in more serious academic penalties. Furthermore, if a student receives less than 80% in the evaluation of ethics and professional conduct, their overall academic performance will not be accepted, regardless of other scores.

6.2.6 Upon completion of the practicum, students will take an examination consisting of 40 multiple-choice questions covering the core content in maternity nursing and midwifery. If a student fails to achieve the criteria of 60%, they will be required to reexamination. Student performance will be evaluated using a structured scoring rubric to determine final course outcomes.

# Grading criteria

Grade	Score	Score	Score	Description
	(%)	(10%)	(5%)	
А	80-100	8-10	4.0-5.0	Excellent
В+	75-79	7.5-7.9	3.75-3.95	Very good
В	70-74	7.0-7.4	3.50-3.70	Good
C+	65-69	6.5-6.9	3.25-3.45	Fairly good
С	60-64	6.0-6.4	3.00-3.20	Fair
D+	55-59	5.5-5.9	2.75-2.95	Poor
D	50-54	5.0-5.4	2.50-2.70	Minimum Passing
F	0-49	0-4.9	0-2.45	Failure

# 6.3 Responsibility of the preceptor in evaluation

6.3.1 The preceptor had already been trained for the preceptor course.

# 6.4 Responsibility of the instructor in evaluation

- 6.4.1 Gather the evaluation record and determine the grade level of each student based on the evaluation criteria
  - 6.4.2 Student's grade will be reviewed as follows
    - reviewed with the teaching team
    - reviewed with the administration committee

- reviewed with the Nursing Standard Control Committee
- 6.4.3 Summary of course evaluation for improving the course in the next academic year

#### 6.5 Conclusion of the different evaluations

The course coordinator and faculty instructors will discuss learning outcomes and processes to improve RQF4, study guide, and plan for practice in the next academic year.

#### Section 7: Evaluation and Improvement Plan

- 1. Effective evaluation strategies by students
- Students reflect on learning-teaching activities, the strong and weak points of the course in

classroom tutorial

- Unit evaluation and course evaluation by the student at the end of the course.
- 2. Teaching evaluation strategies
- Evaluation of learning-teaching activity by team-teaching, colleagues, and administrators
- Observation on student participation, discussion, role play, demonstration and return demonstration,
- Focus group and feedback between students and faculties
- 3. Teaching Improvement
- Improve in learning-teaching activities based on students' reflection and evaluation of the course.
- The teaching team, head of the nursing group, and the curriculum committee arrange a conference to improve the course
- Conducting a research study on students' needs and satisfaction in learning-teaching activity in the fundamentals of nursing I course.
- 4. Verification of the student's achievement
- Team-teaching review the minimum, average, and maximum scores of the examination and the written report.

- The student's scores and grading will be verified by team-teaching, the head of the nursing group, and the committee members.
- 5. Re-evaluation and plan for the effectiveness of the course improvement
- Use the evidence from the course evaluation and unit evaluation to improve the learning and teaching activities of the course annually

# **Appendix**

- Case study analysis evaluation Form (Rubric)
- Nursing care plan report assessment Form (Rubric)
- Maternity and Midwifery skills assessment in hospitals Form
- Nursing Process Evaluation Form
- Health education for the mother evaluation Form
- Presentation and discussion case study evaluation Form
- Observation form for nursing professional ethics, morality, law, and code of conduct.
- Assessment of compassionate behavior Form