AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY
COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Care and Management of Geriatric Patients						
Course Code		İHH639		Couse Level	Third Cycle (Doctorate Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	125 *(Hours)*	Theory	2	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		Geriatric nursing course provides to the students to understand the importance of the roles and responsibilities of geriatric nursing services in all areas of health care services to gain the knowledge and skills.						
Course Content		Problems that encountered in the elderly and nursing care						
Work Placement		N/A						
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods			Explanation (Presentation), Discussion					
Name of Lecturer(s)								

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Final Examination	1	75
Seminar	1	25

Recommended or Required Reading

1	Geriatrics and Gerontology, Ed: S. Arıoğul. MN Medikal ve Nobel, Ankara, 2006.
2	Kronik Hastalıklar ve Bakım,Durna Z. Nobel Tip Kitabevi, İstanbul, 2012.
3	Turkish Journal of Geriatrics
4	Geriatric Patient and Nursing Care / Ümmü Y. Fındık, Özgül Erol. Fındık, Ümmü Y. Ankara: Alter Publishing, 2010.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Definition of geriatrics; Characteristics of elderly population in Turkey and in the World
2	Theoretical	Elderly health services in Turkey and in the World
3	Theoretical	Geriatrics nursing
4	Theoretical	Mechanism of aging
5	Theoretical	Physiological changes in old age
6	Theoretical	Psychosocial dimension of aging
7	Theoretical	Abuse in the elderly and ethic issues
8	Theoretical	seminar
9	Theoretical	Elderly and sleep
10	Theoretical	Elderly and pain
11	Theoretical	nutrition and fluid balance in the elderly
12	Theoretical	Rational drug us for elderly people
13	Theoretical	Homecare of elderly people
14	Theoretical	Common health problems in old age and care giving process
15	Theoretical	Common health problems in old age and care giving process
16	Theoretical	final exam

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	2	2	56
Seminar	14	2	2	56
Final Examination	1	11	2	13
			Total Workload (Hours)	125
			[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = **ECTS**	5

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	To describe the concepts related with geriatric nursing
2	To make comprehensive geriatric assessment
3	To plan nursing care of elderly people
4	To be able to care nursing of the elderly individual
5	To be able to evaluate the nursing care applied to elderly people

Programme Outcomes *(Public Health Nursing Doctorate)*

1	To be able to develop and deepen in the level of expertise with original thinking and / or research in recent and advanced information in the field of communıty health nursing as based on the field of public health nursing postgraduate qualification, and to create the original definitions bring innovation to the area, to evaluate and use new information in a systematic approach
2	Theories devoloping quality of care towards individual,family and society ,using conceptual framework and to make of evidence based nursing practice
3	To approach a systematic way to new ideas in community health nursing and gaining advanced skills in academic reasearch methods in the field.
4	Developing an innovative scientific method bringing innovation to science or practising an already established model in different field. Studying, understanding, designing, adapting and implementing an original subject and be able to contribute to science by publishing
5	Conducting a critical analysis, interpretation and evaluation of new and sophisticated ideas,to achieve original result by using expert knowledge
6	Developing new ideas and methods by using creative and critical thinking skills and leading.
7	At least one foreign language,advanced written,verbal and visual communicating and discussing. ("European Language Portfolio Global Scale", Level C1)
8	Scientific , social and cultural developments follow to contribute to the development of the information society.
9	setting priorities in problem solving ,establishing a functional interaction by using the process of etnical decision –making
10	To be able to has knowledge and skills in high-level about statistics the methods used in the field of community healt researches, and select, implement and interpret the correct statistica methods in her research, evaluate a scientific article in terms of research methods and statistics.,
11	Field of communıty health establishing effective communication showing one's competency in the area/, defending original opinions to discuss of subject in the area with experts in the domestic/ international environments