

Syllabus

Basic B.Sc. Nursing



Indian Nursing Council

Combined Council Building, Kotla Road,
Temple Lane, New Delhi-110002

Duration

Course Duration	=	4 Years
Weeks available per year	=	52 weeks
Vacation	=	8 weeks
Gazetted holidays	=	3 weeks
Examination (Including preparatory)	=	4 weeks
Available weeks	=	37 weeks
Hours per week	=	40
Practical	=	30 hours per week
Theory	=	10 hours per week
Internship practical	=	48 hours per week
Hours available per academic year	=	1480 (37 weeks x 40hours)

Course of instruction

First Year

Subject	Theory (In hrs) (class and lab)	Practical (In hrs) (clinical)	(In hrs)
1. *English	60		
2. Anatomy	60		
3. Physiology	60		
4. Nutrition	60		
5. Biochemistry	30		
6. Nursing Foundations	265+200	450	
7. Psychology	60		
8. Microbiology	60		
9. Introduction to Computers	45		
10. ** Hindi /Regional language	30		
11. Library work /Self Study			50
12. Co-curricular activities			50
Total Hours	930	450	100
Total hours =1480 hrs			

** Optional

Second Year

Subject	Theory (In hrs) (Class and Lab)	Practical (In hrs) (clinical)	In Hours
1. Sociology	60		
2. Pharmacology	45		
3. Pathology &	30		
4. Genetics	15		
5. Medical-Surgical Nursing (Adult including geriatrics)-I	210	720	
6. Community Health Nursing-I	90	135	
7. Communication and Educational Technology	60+30		
8. Library work /Self Study			50
9. Co-curricular activities			35
Total Hours	540	855	85
Total hours =1480 hrs			

Third Year

Subject	Theory (In hrs) (Class and Lab)	Practical (In hrs) (clinical)	In Hours
1. Medical-Surgical Nursing (Adult including geriatrics)-II	120	270	
2. Child Health Nursing	90	270	
3. Mental Health Nursing	90	270	
4. Midwifery and Obstetrical nursing	90	180	
5. Library work/Self study			50
6. Co-curricular activities			50
Total Hours	390	990	100
Total hours =1480 hrs			

Fourth Year

Subject	Theory (In hrs) (Class and Lab)	Practical (In hrs) (clinical)	
1. Midwifery and Obstetrical nursing		180	
2. Community Health Nursing-II	90	135	
3. Nursing Research & Statistics	45	*	
4. Management of Nursing Services and education	60+30		
Total Hours	225	315	
Total hours = 540 Hrs			

- Project work to be carried out during internship

Practical = 30 hours per week First Year

Intern-Ship (Integrated Practice)

Subject	Theory	Practical (In hrs)	In Week
1. Midwifery and Obstetrical nursing		240	5
2. Community Health Nursing-II		195	4
3. Medical Surgical Nursing (Adult and geriatric)		430	9
4. Child Health		145	3
5. Mental Health		95	2
6. Research Project		45	1
Total Hours		1150	24
Total: 1690 hours			

Note:

1. Internship means 8 hours of integrated clinical duties in which 2 weeks of evening and night shift duties are included.
2. Internship should be carried out as 8 hours per day @ 48 hours per week
3. Students during internship will be supervised by nursing teachers.
4. Fourth year final examination to be held only after completing internship.

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Scheme of Examination

5 per week **First Year**

In Week	Subject	Assessment			
		Hours	Internal	External	Total
	Theory				
5	1. Anatomy & Physiology	3	25	75	100
4	2. Nutrition and Biochemistry	3	25	75	100
	3. Nursing Foundations	3	25	75	100
9	4. Psychology	3	25	75	100
3	5. Microbiology	3	25	75	100
2	6. English	3	25	75	100
1	7. Introduction to Computer		25	75	100
24	Practical and Viva Voce				
	1. Nursing Foundations		100	100	200

Second Year

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		Hours	Internal	External	Total
	Theory				
	8. Sociology	3	25	75	100
	9. Medical-Surgical Nursing- I	3	25	75	100
	10. Pharmacology, pathology, genetics	3	25	75	100
	11. Community Health Nursing-I	3	25	75	100
	12. Communication and Educational Technology	3	25	75	100
	Practical & Viva Voce				
	2. Medical- Surgical Nursing- I		100	100	200

Third year

	Subject	Assessment			
		Hours	Internal	External	Total
	Theory				
	13. Medical-Surgical Nursing-II	3	25	75	100
	14. Child Health Nursing	3	25	75	100
	15. Mental Health Nursing	3	25	75	100
	Practical & Viva Voce				
	3. Medical- Surgical Nursing- II		50	50	100
	4. Child Health Nursing		50	50	100
	5. Mental Health Nursing		50	50	100

Fourth year

Subject	Assessment			
	Hours	Internal	External	Total
Theory				
16. Midwifery and Obstetrical nursing	3	25	75	100
17. Community Health Nursing-II	3	25	75	100
18. Nursing Research & Statistics	3	25	75	100
19. Management of Nursing Services and education	3	25	75	100
Practical & Viva Voce				
6. Midwifery and Obstetrical nursing	3	50	50	100
7. Community Health Nursing	3	50	50	100

Note:

1. Anatomy and Physiology-Question paper will consist of Section A Anatomy of 37 marks and B Physiology should be of 38 marks
2. Nutrition and Biochemistry and -Question paper will consist of Section A Nutrition of 45 marks and Section B of Biochemistry of 30 marks
3. Pharmacology, genetics, pathology: Section A of Pharmacology with 38 marks, Section B of Pathology of 25 and Genetics with 12 marks
4. Nursing Research & Statistics- Nursing Research should be of 50 marks and Statistics of 25 marks
5. Minimum pass marks shall be 40% for English only
6. Theory and Practical exams for Introduction to computer to be conducted as College exam and marks to be sent to the University for inclusion in the marks sheet.
7. Minimum pass marks shall be 50 % in each of the Theory and practical papers separately.
8. A candidate must have minimum of 80% attendance (irrespective of the kind of absence) in theory and practical in each subject for appearing for examination.
9. A candidate must have 100% attendance in each of the practical areas before award of degree
10. A candidate has to pass in theory and practical exam separately in each of the paper.
11. If a candidate fails in either theory or practical paper he/she has to re-appear for both the papers (Theory and practical).
12. The Candidate shall have cleared all the previous examination before appearing for final year examination.

No institution shall submit average internal marks of the test students more than 75% if 40 students are admitted in a course the average score of the 40 students shall not exceed 75% of total internal marks.

The maximum period to complete the course successfully should not exceed 8 years

Maximum number of candidates for practical examination should not exceed 20 per day.

All practical examinations must be held in the respective clinical areas.

One internal and One external examiners should jointly conduct practical examination for each student

An examiner should be a lecturer or above in a college of nursing with M.Sc (N) in concerned subject and minimum of 3 years of teaching experience. To be an examiner for nursing foundations course faculty having M.Sc (N) with any specialty shall be considered.