YORK UNIVERSITY
KINESIOLOGY AND HEALTH SCIENCE
PRACTICUM COURSE

Course: PKIN 0750: Emergency Care

Term: Winter 2017

Prerequisite: none

Course Instructor: Tamara Wood
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Course Description: An introduction to the care given to a suddenly injured or ill person in order to sustain life and prevent further injury. Upon successful completion, students will be certified in C.P.R. “C”, AED and Standard First Aid.

Students will develop the awareness, knowledge and skills to recognize, react and respond to a variety of first aid emergencies as a competent First Aider. This will also provide the student with the awareness and knowledge to prevent accidents and emergencies.

The course will be taught through lectures, demonstrations and discussion. This is a practical course and students will be required to actively participate in each session. Through practice, observation and feedback students will develop the required skills. Students will work with the instructor and their peers to increase their knowledge and skill.

Course Learning Objectives:

Students will gain knowledge and skills that will allow them to recognize the signs and symptoms of potential victims. They will have the skills to provide treatment to a variety of victim types and the knowledge of when and how to contact Advance Emergency Personnel.

Students will learn how to conduct a primary and secondary victim assessment.

The students will be able to

- Demonstrate the CPR sequence for adult, child and infant victims
- Demonstrate choking procedures for adults, children, infants who are conscious and unconscious
- Perform a rescue using an AED unit
- Develop a variety of techniques to assist injured victims with wounds, breaks and sprains
- Develop rescue skills to aid those suffering from medical emergencies
- Demonstrate lifesaving skills for victims suffering respiratory and circulatory emergencies
- Identify methods to keep themselves safe and use resources that are available on hand

Course Texts: Lifesaving Society First Aid Manual - available in the bookstore

Evaluation:

| Written exam | 40% | March 27th and 29th |
| CPR quiz     | 10% | February 6th and 8th |
| CPR demonstration | 20% | February 6th and 8th |
| Situation performance evaluation | 20% | March 27th and 29th |
| Secondary Assessment Testing | 10% | March 20th and 22nd |
Grading: Practicum courses grading scale is A, B, C, F or Pass/Fail

Students may choose to exercise the Pass/Fail option. It is the student’s responsibility to notify the instructor that they wish to exercise the Pass/Fail option in the last week of the course.

**NOTE:** If you Opt for the Pass/Fail you do **not** qualify for the Kinesiology and Health Science Honour Roll and Tait Mckenzie Honour Society.

For full information on this option see Alternative Grading Option in the Kinesiology section of the Undergraduate Calendar.

Assignment Submission: All assignments / exams must be handed in at the start of class on the due date. Late Assignments may be handed in to the KINE office to be placed in my mailbox in 341 Bethune College.

Lateness Penalty: All assignments must be submitted by the due date(s). Otherwise penalties will be incurred; ½ letter grade per day late will be applied.

Additional Information: Participation: This course allows you to be certified at the Standard First Aid level. WSIB mandates that in order to be certified in First Aid all students in Ontario must attend 100% of the course. If you miss one class you will **not** be certified.

The Kinesiology department mandates that to receive credit for a practicum course students must attend and actively participate in a minimum of 80% of the class for the course. Students who miss more than two classes will not pass this course.

**Important Course Information for Students:**

All students are expected to familiarize themselves with the following information, available on the Senate Committee on Academic Standards, Curriculum & Pedagogy webpage (see Reports, Initiatives, Documents) -

http://www.yorku.ca/secretariat/senate_ete_main_pages/ASCP.htm
http://secretariat.info.yorku.ca/files/CourseInformationForStudentsAugust2012.pdf

- Senate Policy on Academic Honesty and the Academic Integrity Website
- Ethics Review Process for research involving human participants
- Course requirement accommodation for students with disabilities, including physical, medical, systemic, learning and psychiatric disabilities
- Student Conduct Standards
- Religious Observance Accommodation