## **Course Description Table**

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<b>University Name</b>	Baghdad University	
College Name	Nursing College	
<b>Department Name</b>	Mental health & Psychiatric Nursing	
Class ID	Number (4)	
Laboratory Name		
Course Objective	<ul> <li>At the end of the course the student will be able to.</li> <li>Discuss the trends, foundations, and concepts of mental health nursing.</li> <li>Identify the community based nursing care (mental health promotion and mental illness prevention.)</li> <li>Describe the ethical and legal issues in nursing.</li> <li>Identify the mental health nursing theories.</li> <li>Implement therapeutic communication and interpersonal relationship.</li> <li>Apply the nursing process in providing the nursing care for the client.</li> <li>Identify and assist in providing special treatment modalities.</li> <li>Describe different types of psychiatric disorders.</li> <li>Recognize client behaviors and problems.</li> <li>Assess the mental health statues of client.</li> <li>Chang the students attitudes toward mental health and mental illness nursing</li> <li>Appraise the nurse's role in the community mental</li> </ul>	

	health nursing.				
Course Description	This Course provides students with basic Knowledge and understanding of various theories that explain the behaviors of mentally health and ill persons. It also develops clear and specific approaches to various mental problems that lead students to use the nursing process as a framework for effective care with a holistic view of each client (physical, emotional, spiritual, interpersonal, cultural, socioeconomic, and environmental Aspects).				
Textbook	Haber, J.; Leach, A.,M.; Schudy,S.,M.: Comprehensive psychiatric Nursing, 2nd ., Philadelphia: McGRAW-HILL Company, 1982.				
Multimedia	Project data show, overhead transparencies, & CD films				
materials					
References	<ul> <li>Schultz, Judih &amp; Videbeck Sheila, Manual of Psychiatric Nursing Care Plans, seventh edition, New York, Lippincott Williams Wilkins, 2005</li> <li>Gial W. Start, Psychiatric Nursing, fifth Edition, New York, Mosby, 2002</li> <li>Stuart.G.W, Principles and Practice of Psychiatric Nursing, seventh edition, New York, Mosby, 2001.</li> <li>Jonson, B.S, Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, Fourth edition, Lippincott William and welkins, 1999.</li> <li>Shives, L.R, Basic Concepts of Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 6th edition, New York, Lippincott William and welkins, 2005.</li> <li>Articles related to different topics from nursing journals.</li> </ul>				
Course Assessment	2 units	Quizzes	Seminar	Clinical	Report
-Theoretical grade 20%: -Clinical grades 40%: -Final grade 40%	15%	5%	10%	evaluation 20%	10%
<b>General Notes</b>	The total grade is 100% divided into: 1- Theoretical grade 20%:				
	a. 2 units exam 15%				

	b. Quizzes 5% 2- Clinical grades 40%: a. Evaluation of the practice in the clinical area 20%		
	<ul><li>b. Clinical report around selected case 10%</li><li>c. Seminar 10%</li></ul>		
	3- Final grade 40% a. Theoretical exam 20% b. Clinical exam 20%		
General Notes (continue)	- Notes:  1- The clinical practice starts on Monday & tuesday from each week.  The students divided into subgroups according to the capacity of the clinical wards from (5- 10) students and the rotation take place to cover the whole areas.		

**Course Weekly Plan** 

	I	Course weekly Flair		
Week	Date	Topics Covered	Lab. Experiment Assignment	Notes
1	27/9/2011	-Introduction to Psychiatric Mental Health NSG. course - Evolution of Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing.	-Orientation to the Hospital and StaffPrinciples of the Interview Application of Interview with patient.	Intensive Week
2	4/10/2011	Classification of - psychiatric disorder		
3	11/10/2011	General Concepts: -Psychiatric Nursing, , Psychiatric Patient, Therapeutic Milieu - Mental Health and Mental Illness	- Communication skills. Therapeutic and non- Therapeutic Approach	
4	18/10/2011	-Principles of Psychiatric Nursing	- Definitions of Terms (Symptomatology)	
5 +	25/10/2011	-Theories in Mental Health Nursing - Psychological, and	- Nursing Process; * Assessment. * Nsg. Diagnosis.	
6			(NANDA)  * Outcome Identification. (Objectives)  *Implementation.  * Evaluation	
7	1/11/2011	- Neurobiological Theories	- Evaluation of the student during the Interview	
8	8/11/2011	- First Examination	-Quiz. - Psychopharmacology.	
9	15/11/2011	- Personality Disorders	<ul><li>- Psychopharmacology.</li><li>- Nursing Intervention for each group.</li></ul>	
10	22/11/2011	<ul><li>Nursing Care of Psychotic</li><li>Disorders</li><li>Schizophrenia</li></ul>	Nursing Diagnosis and Intervention for more common problems in Mental Disorders (delusion)	
11	29/11/2011	- Mood Disorder	Nursing Intervention for more common problems in Mental Disorders Nursing Intervention for (suicidal patient	

			attempt)
12	6/12/2011	- Anxiety Disorders:	Nursing Intervention
			for more common
			problems in Mental
			Disorders (aggression
13	13/12/2011	*Obsessive-Compulsive	Nursing Intervention
		Disorder (OCD) and	for more common
		phobias	problems in Mental
			Disorders (obsessive
			compulsive disorder)
14	20/12/2011	- Second Examination	
15	27/12/2011	- Treatment Modalities in	Nursing role in
		Mental Disorders	treatment modalities
		*Psychopharmacology	and identify the
		* Electro-Convulsive	psychotropic drugs
		Therapy (ECT)	used in psychiatric
			patient
16	3/1/2011	- Community Mental Health	Re- evaluation of the
		Nursing	communication skills
		- Mental Health Promotion	and how to use these
		- Prevention of Mental	skills in maintaining
		Disorders	mental health
17	10/1/2011	Final Student Exam	

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