

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

## **General Surgery 3**

2021-3-I0101D017-I0101D052M

#### **Aims**

Early recognition of critical situations. Nursing in specific clinical situations like shock, respiratory failure, cardiac failure, sepsis. Nursing to patients undergoing to a surgical intervention, concerning the management of the anesthesia. Pharmacology: knowledge of the drugs used in a critical care situation like myorelaxants, volatile anesthetic gases, analgesics. Knowledge of mechanical ventilation, anesthesia and life-support systems. Students will be able to describe the clinical picture of the main diseases that may alter the homeostatic balance and suggest the therapeutic approach; indicate the pathophysiological mechanisms that determine them; identify signs and symptoms related to the considered diseases for the influence on nursing process.

## **Contents**

The course aims to provide students with the ability to identify and manage medical-surgical emergencies related to nursing in a critical context and operating room. The student will be able to program nursing plans to people in the intensive care unit and in an emergency situation.

#### **Detailed program**

GENERAL SURGERY 3 - Acute abdomen: classification, anatomy, semiotics. Acute abdomen: clinical, diagnosis, therapy. Causes of digestive hemorrhage and treatment. Evidence: diagnosis, diagnosis and therapy. Polytrauma: classification, clinical diagnosis, management. Head trauma: classification, clinical diagnosis, management. Burns: anatomy, classification, complications, therapy, evolution of the different degrees of burns. Learning Objectives: knowledge of the basics of anesthesiology and resuscitation with attention to nursing interventions; knowledge of the basics of anesthetic management in both elective and emergency-urgency situations, with specific reference to the operating room and focused on nursing.

## **Prerequisites**

Positive evaluation in the following exams: Fundamentals of Nursing and Midwifery Sciences; Nursing Clinical Methodology; Biomedical Sciences 1; Biomedical Sciences 2; Human Physiology; Clinical Specialty Nursing; Surgical Specialty Nursing.

## **Teaching form**

Lectures, exercises. Group work.

## Textbook and teaching resource

Chiaranda M. (2016) Urgenze ed Emergenze – Istituzioni, IV ed., Piccin; Linee Guida Italian Resuscitation Council e European Resuscitation Council, 2015; Galvagni M., Perini C. (2010) L'infermiere in sala operatoria, McGraw-Hill Education. Chiaranda M., Urgenze ed Emergenze - Istituzioni. 3° edizione. Piccin (2011). Linee Guida Italian Resuscitation Council e European Resuscitation Council 2015.

### Semester

3 Year - 2 Semester

#### Assessment method

Multiple choice questions: for an exhaustive verification of the program.

#### Office hours

On appoitment