Course Description
This one-day course is designed to provide nurses with the tools, confidence and knowledge to successfully complete the Medical-Surgical Nursing Exam. This is a condensed version of the 2-Day Medical-Surgical Exam Review. The exam content outlines and blueprints from the ANCC and MSNCB were used to develop this program. Topics covered from the exam content outlines will include review of body systems, cardiac, pulmonary, gastrointestinal and diabetes. Pathophysiology of disease processes, including signs and symptoms and treatment modalities, will be presented. The nursing process and nursing practice roles in the management of patient care will be discussed through case scenarios and sample questions. Aspects of the practice domains will be addressed, and strategies for test-taking will also be covered.

Program Learning Outcomes
This program prepares the learner to:
• Report a change in practice and/or knowledge at a 97% rate.

Agenda
Sign-in begins at 7:30 am. The day includes a one-hour lunch (on your own), as well as a morning and afternoon break of 15 minutes each. The order of lectures presented and break times may vary according to speaker preference.

8:00 am to 4:30 pm
ANCC vs. MSNCB
Initial and Recertification Criteria | Costs | Exam Blueprints
Cardiovascular Disorders
Medications | Acute Coronary Syndromes | Heart Failure | Hypertension
Pulmonary Disorders
Medications | Aspiration | COPD and Asthma | Pneumothorax | ABGs
Neurologic Disorders
Stroke
Musculoskeletal Disorders
Fractures and Immobilization Devices | Rhabdomyolysis
Lunch 11:45 am to 12:45 pm
Behavioral Disorders
Developmental Stages | Delirium | Substance Abuse Disorders | Domestic/Intimate Partner Violence | Suicide Risk
Professional Role
Nursing Theories
Immunological Considerations
Vaccinations
Hematological Disorders
Sickle-Cell Disease | DVT | Blood Products
Endocrine Disorders
Thyroid Disorders | DKA | Hypoglycemia
Renal & GU Disorders
Fluids and Electrolytes | Renal Injury and Failure
Gastrointestinal and Multisystem Disorders
GI Bleed | Acute Abdomen | Sepsis
Test-Taking Strategies
Accreditation

RN/LPN/LVN/Other: 7 Contact Hours
Includes 1 Pharmacology Contact Hour

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