# HLTH1000 - Introduction to Healthcare

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| Credits: | 3 (3/0/0) |
| Description: | This course provides a high-level, experiential overview of the basic aspects of various healthcare-related fields of study. Topics include communication, awareness and sensitivity, successful behaviors in a healthcare setting, healthcare ethics, safety and standard precautions, legal issues in healthcare, diversity in a healthcare setting, handling patient records, and career exploration. |
| Prerequisites: | |
| Corequisites: | |
| Pre/Corequisites*: | |
| Competencies: | 1. Explore various communication skills and team dynamics as they pertain to the healthcare setting.<br>2. Describe how awareness and sensitivity to client/patient needs is critical to the healthcare setting.<br>3. Discuss intrapersonal and interpersonal behaviors that lead to success in healthcare fields.<br>4. Evaluate the various aspects of healthcare ethics, including but not limited to basic principles, professional relationships, the dimensions of values, and various sociopolitical, socioeconomic and religious components.<br>5. Explain potential legal issues in a healthcare setting, including but not limited to confidentiality, sexual harassment, wrongful discharge, negligence, malpractice, and violence in the workplace.<br>6. Explain diversity in the healthcare setting by describing one's own belief system and simultaneously exploring the belief systems and practices of diverse cultures and backgrounds.<br>7. Participate in experiential learning experiences in various healthcare career settings. |
| MnTC goal areas: | None |

*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.*

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