South Central College

HLTH1952 First Aid

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description
This course includes emergency care training for initial treatment of illness and injury. Patient assessment, bleeding control, shock management, soft tissue injury, orthopedic injury, diabetic problems, seizures, poisons, heat exposure, and cold exposure are some of the topics covered in the course. This course is appropriate for anyone who may need to render immediate care. The topics covered do meet the course requirements for OSHA and MSHA first aid training.

Total Credits 1
Total Hours 16

Types of Instruction

Instruction Type Credits/Hours
Lecture

Institutional Core Competencies

Critical and Creative Thinking - Students will be able to demonstrate purposeful thinking with the goal of using a creative process for developing and building upon ideas and/or the goal of using a critical process for the analyzing and evaluating of ideas.

Course Competencies

1. **Manage trauma patient**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Describe patient assessment
   Demonstrate orthopedic immobilization devices
   List types of open wounds
   Describe types of bleeding control
   Demonstrate bandaging techniques
   Describe neurological deficits/signs/symptoms
   Describe shock signs/symptoms/treatment

2. **Manage medical patient**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Describe diabetic signs/symptoms
   Describe treatment for diabetic patients
   Describe seizure signs/symptoms
Describe seizure treatment

3. **Manage victim of environmental exposure**

   Learning Objectives
   - List categories of burns
   - Describe signs/symptoms of burns
   - Describe poison treatments
   - Describe treatment for heat exposure
   - Describe treatment for cold exposure

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