COLLIN COLLEGE

DIVISION OF HEALTH SCIENCES

RESPIRATORY CARE COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Number: RSPT 1201

Course Title: Introduction to Respiratory Care

Course Description: An introduction to the field of respiratory care. Lab required. Major Requirement: AAS – Respiratory Care.

Course Credit Hours: 2
Lecture Hour: 1
Lab Hours: 2

Prerequisite: Admission to the Respiratory Care Program

Corequisites: RSPT 1272 ~~RSPT 1307~~ and RSPT 1410

Student Learning Outcomes:

- **State Mandated Outcomes:** Upon successful completion of this course, students will:
  1. Outline the history of the respiratory care profession.
     (SCANS: F1, F2, F4, F5, F7, F8, F9, F11, F12, F13, F14, F15, F16, C3, C5, C10, C15)
  2. Outline the organization and function of hospital departments.
     (SCANS: F1, F2, F4, F5, F7, F8, F9, F11, F12, F13, F14, F15, F16, C3, C5, C10, C15)
  3. Describe issues in medical malpractice and ethics.
     (SCANS: F1, F2, F4, F5, F7, F8, F11, F12, F16, C7, C13)
  4. Identify the respiratory therapists' role in performing basic vital signs, body mechanics, and cardiopulmonary assessment.
     (SCANS: F5, F7, F9, F10, F12, F14, F15, C5, C7, C10, C11, C12)
  5. Describe infection control techniques.
     (SCANS: F1, F2, F7, F11)

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