

Nebraska Wesleyan University

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NURS 233 Health Assessment

3 hours

Majors (Adult)

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Majors (Grad)

Master of Science in Nursing (RN to MSN)

Departments/Programs:

Nursing (Adult Undergraduate and Graduate)

An introduction to basic knowledge and skills necessary to obtain a detailed health assessment of individuals across the age continuum. The biological, sociological, and psychological aspects of human beings are addressed. Emphasis is placed on obtaining a systematic health history and physical exam using the techniques of inspection, palpation, percussion, and auscultation. Supervised laboratory and clinical allow the student the opportunity to practice the assessment skills introduced in class. (2 credit hours theory; 1 credit hour clinical)