



# COURSE OUTLINE

**Course Name:** Clinical 2

**Course Number:** HRCA 1227

**Number of Credits:** 2.0

**Effective Date:** September 2018

**Course Description:**

This supervised practical experience provides students with an opportunity to apply knowledge and skills from all other courses in the Health Care Assistant/ESL program and work with individuals experiencing cognitive challenges in a multi-level or complex care setting.

**School or Centre:**

Health Sciences

**Year of Study:**

1st Year Post-secondary

**Course History:**

Revised Course

**Name of Replacing Course (if applicable):**

**Course Pre-requisites (if applicable):**

Completion of the following courses in the Health Care Assistant/ESL program: ELSK 0701, HRCA 1103, HRCA 1105, HRCA 1120, HRCA 1122, HRCA 1130, HRCA 1140, HRCA 1135, HRCA 1224, HRCA 1230, HRCA 1240, HRCA 1232

**Course Co-requisites (if applicable):**

ELSK 0702

**PLAR (Prior Learning Assessment & Recognition)**

No  Yes (details below):

**Instructional Strategies:**

Clinical instruction, supervision and evaluation.  
Online activities

**Course Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Provide person-centred care and assistance that recognizes and respects the uniqueness of each individual client.
2. Use an informed problem-solving approach to provide care and assistance for two clients experiencing cognitive and/or mental health challenges. The care provided promotes the physical, psychological, social, cognitive and spiritual well-being of clients and families
3. Provide care and assistance at a beginning level for two clients experiencing cognitive and/or mental health challenges.
4. Interact with other members of the healthcare team in ways that contribute to effective working relationships and the achievement of goals.
5. Communicate clearly and in sensitive ways with clients experiencing cognitive and/or mental health challenges.
6. Provide personal care and assistance in a safe, competent and organized manner.
7. Recognize and respond to own self-development, learning and health enhancement needs
8. Perform the care-giver role in a reflective, responsible, accountable and professional manner

**Program Learning Outcomes:**

Upon completion of the Health Care Assistant/ESL Program, graduates will be able to:

1. Provide person-centred care and assistance that recognizes and respects the uniqueness of each individual client.
2. Use an informed problem-solving approach to provide care and assistance that promotes the physical, psychological, social, cognitive and spiritual well-being of clients and families.
3. Provide care and assistance for clients experiencing complex health challenges.
4. Provide care and assistance for clients experiencing cognitive and/or mental health challenges.
5. Interact with other members of the healthcare team in ways that contribute to effective working relationships and the achievement of goals.
6. Communicate clearly, accurately and in sensitive ways with clients and families within a variety of community and facility contexts.
7. Provide personal care and assistance in a safe, competent and organized manner.
8. Recognize and respond to own self-development, learning and health enhancement needs.
9. Perform the care provider role in a reflective, responsible, accountable and professional manner.



**Course Topics:**

1. Performance of skills
2. Medical asepsis
3. Body mechanics
4. Safety
5. Organization
6. Communication
7. Responsibility
8. Professional behavior

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The policies are located on the VCC web site at:

<http://www.vcc.ca/about/governance--policies/policies/>

To find out how this course transfers, visit the BC Transfer Guide at [www.bctransferguide.ca](http://www.bctransferguide.ca).

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