



How to Use Tutoring Services

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WHEN TO SEE THE NURSING TUTORS

- 1 At the start of the semester to help you get on track.
- 2 During the semester when you don't think you fully understand what you are learning.
- 3 Before exams to help review topics that seem fuzzy and to practice questions.
- 4 As you are learning different kinds of math and would like some help.
- 5 If you need help with care plans or concept maps.
- 6 Anytime during the semester to review testing, studying, or specific topics.

We see students who are having problems and also students who want to prevent having problems.

Why Should I Go See the Tutor?

We are here to help nursing students with a variety of different things. We see students in general to help with studying, test-taking, and nursing math. We also see students for help in their classes when they are having difficulty understanding a specific topic and even when they are learning to do their care plans. Sometimes we see students to review before exams or finals and we practice questions together. If you are unsure if you should see me for a specific reason, just give us a call and we can figure out the best person for you to see. Keep in mind we also have a writing tutor and a math/science tutor, too.

How do I Schedule an Appointment?

All tutoring sessions are by appointment. Appointments are available during the day, evening and Saturday. We tend to get booked up quickly, especially close to midterm or finals, so planning ahead will be to your advantage. You may schedule a private or group appointment. Here is how to schedule: At your Mercy College home page, click on My Mercy. Go to Sign-ups and Scheduling. At the next screen is a drop down menu. Click on the drop down arrow and click on Nursing Tutor. Then, choose the date and time that work best for you. Please call 419-251-1210 if you are having trouble signing up for an appointment and we can help.

What Should I Expect?

When you make an appointment with us you should have a good idea of where you are having trouble and what you would like to cover. The more we know ahead of time, the more prepared we will be, and the more beneficial you will find the appointment.

We do not see exams ahead of time or know what your instructor will be asking you. We only see the same materials that you have along with materials although we do have some reference materials that may help you understand content. We also have some NCLEX style questions. However, our primary emphasis will be helping you master the nursing content. If you are not able to understand how to read and answer a nursing question, despite an excellent understanding of nursing content, we can help you with that as well.

We will help you with whatever nursing content you choose. You do need to bring all study materials with you so we make the most of each session.