Spokane Community College

Course Title: PHIL 207/Ethics and Policy in Healthcare II
Prefix and Course Number: NURS 207/PHIL 207

Course Learning Outcomes:
By the end of this course, a student should be able to:

— Compare and contrast values, ethics and legal decision making frameworks and policies used to support the well-being of people within the context of healthcare professions
— Evaluate the use of Ethical principles in the development of healthcare legislation and policy
— Analyze how Ethical principles shape current nurse practice and patient care acts

Course Outline:

I. Introduction to Ethical Principles and Theory
   A. The principle of beneficence and consequentialism
   B. The principle of maleficence and consequentialism
   C. The principle of autonomy and deontology
   D. The principle of justice and eudemonism
   E. Responsibility and the professional patient relationship

II. Ethics and Healthcare Practice
   A. How ethical principles shape the development of healthcare legislation and policy
   B. How ethical principles shape the affordable care act
   C. How ethical principles shape Medicare and Medicaid
   D. How ethical principles shape the Nurse Practice Act and Associate Regulations.