

Course Description	This course consolidates health assessment and drug therapy competencies in a practice education experience. You will review theory concurrently with clinical to apply clinical decision-making process to your practice.
Learning Outcomes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review Regulatory Requirements of the RN Prescriber Role. 2. Integrate Knowledge of Assessment, Pathophysiology, Pharmacotherapeutics into Clinical Decision Making 3. Demonstrate Clinical Reasoning and Rational Drug Prescribing
Admission Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible for registered nurses' licensure in your jurisdiction. • Completion of NURS 1713 Assessment and Clinical Reasoning • Completion of NURS 1714 Rational Drug Therapy for RN Prescribers
Student Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of Practice Education Hours (pass/fail) • Performance Examination– Pass/Fail (must achieve 70% of criteria on marking guide) • Assignment – Pass/Fail
Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR)	<p>PLAR may be an option for receiving credit.</p> <p>For further information see the PLAR candidate guide (pdf).</p>
Learning Methods	Asynchronous online.
Required Resources	Integrated into the course
Start Date	TBA – Projected Fall 2023
Tuition	<p>\$651.00 (subject to change)</p> <p>Additional Cost: textbooks</p>
Risk Management Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will be required to complete a minimum number of practice education hours. • Specific days will be determined by the availability of the preceptor in the time period noted above. • Students must provide the following information at the time of registration. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Submit all required documents via the Risk Management Collection Form ○ A record of immunizations (see attached information) ○ Current Basic Life Support (BLS) for Health Care Providers (C) (If your BLS for HCP will expire during your scheduled clinical experience you will need to renew this prior to being approved for clinical.) ○ Current FIT Test (If your current FIT will expire during your scheduled clinical experience you will need to renew this prior to being approved for clinical.) ○ HSPnet Consent Form (attached)

To Register

1. Students will access the course registration on the [Saskatchewan Polytechnic website](#). Search for:
 - a. [NURS 1713 Assessment & Clinical Reasoning](#),
 - b. [NURS 1714 Rational Drug Therapy for RN Prescribers](#),
 - c. [NURS 1715 Clinical Decision Making for RN Prescribers](#).
2. Follow the instructions located on the right-hand side “[How to Register for a Course](#)”
3. For support and additional information on how to access courses after individuals are registered, please refer to the website [Online Learning Support \(saskpolytech.ca\)](#)
4. All course content is within the Brightspace course and will be accessed through [mySaskPolytech](#).

For More Information

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