AHLT 1501 - Medical Terminology

Fall 2026 Syllabus, Section 03, CRN 42837,

Credit hours: 3

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Ph.D., Health Sciences (In Progress), Youngstown State University.

Master of Public Health, (MPH), NEOMED in Consortium with Youngstown State University,2007.

Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in allied health, Youngstown State University, 1997.

Associate in applied sciences (AAS) Medical Assisting Technology, CMA, AAMA, 1996.

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Course Description

1501. Medical Terminology. This course will provide a basic understanding of the origin and components of medical terms needed to reach the goal of learning the language of health care. Included in the content will be definitions, pronunciation, spelling and proper abbreviations. Inherent in comprehending medical terminology would be the review of anatomical structures and systems involved in the functioning of the human body; as well as, diagnoses, surgeries, diagnostic tests and pharmaceutical terms needed to understand patient medical care. This is an online course. Prereq.: None. 3 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
Required			

Programmed Learning Approach to Medical Terminology, Third Edition, Judith L Nath, ISBN-13: 978-1-4963-6099-1

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Tentative Course Schedule

Week of	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
8/24	Intro to Course		• Introduce yourself and respond to 3 classmates • Read the syllabus and review due dates. • The textbook is required. Due Date: Saturday 08/29
8/31	Chapter 1	Basic Term Parts and Medical Records	• Quiz 1(10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 09/05
9/7	Chapter 2	Integumentary System	• Quiz 2 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 09/12

9/14	Chapter 3	Musculoskeletal system	• Quiz 3 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 09/19
9/21	Chapter 4	Nervous System and Psychiatry	• Quiz 4 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 09/26
9/28	Chapter 5	The Eye	• Quiz 5 (10 pts) • Exam 1 Chapters 1-5 (50 pts) Due Date: Saturday 10/03
10/5	Chapter 6	The Ear	• Quiz 6 (10 pts) • Assignment Pronunciation Assignment 1 (25 pts) Due Date: Saturday 10/10
10/12	Chapter 7	Endocrine System	• Quiz 7 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 10/17
10/19	Chapter 8	Blood and Lymphatic System	• Quiz 8 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 10/24
10/26	Chapter 9	Cardiovascular System	• Quiz 9 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 10/31
11/2	Chapter 10	Respiratory System	• Quiz 10 (10 pts) • Exam 2 Chapters 6-10 (25 pts) • Assignment Pronunciation Assignment 2 Due Date: Saturday 11/07
11/9	Chapter 11	Digestive System	• Quiz 11 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 11/14
11/16	Chapter 12	Urinary System	• Quiz 12 (10 pts) • Assignment Research Article Assignment (1 article 50 pts) Due Date: Saturday 11/21 NO CLASS 11/25 and 11/26 Thanksgiving
11/23	Chapter 13	Male Reproductive System	• Quiz 13 (10 pts) Due Date: Tuesday 12/01
11/30	Chapter 14	Female Reproductive System and Obstetrics	• Quiz 4 (10 pts) Due Date: Saturday 12/05
12/7		FINAL EXAM	Available 12/07 – Due 12/09

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