NURS 201: Microbiology for Nursing

This course provides nursing students with an understanding of the role of microorganisms in human disease.

Specific topics include:

Introduction to Microbiology

Microbial diversity

Control of microbial growth

Environmental Microbiology

Introduction to Epidemiology

Principles of nosocomial infection and control

Diagnosis of infectious disease

Pathology of microbial disease

Principles of human immunology

Organ-based infectious disease

This course is designed to provide a solid foundation in microbiology specifically relevant to the Nursing profession. The fundamental principals of microbiology, host-parasite interactions, organ based diagnostic microbiology, environmental microbiology and control of infectious diseases will be taught. The course will provide the nursing students with an understanding of the importance of microbiology in their profession.

Core Course