

**J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary**

Course Prefix and Number: RTH 199

Credits: 1

Course Title: NCC Exam Prep (Supervised Study)

Course Description (including lecture hours, lab hours, total contacts)

Requires the student to independently obtain information on the basic non-critical care skills that they are performing. Study guides are required to be completed by the student and during weekly conference times the information is to be shared with the rest of the students in the class. Lecture 1 hour per week.

General Course Purpose

This course helps to develop critical thinking skills necessary to perform respiratory therapy procedures on the non-critical care patient. It also allows the students to share their clinical experiences with each other.

Course Prerequisites/Corequisites (*Entry-level competencies **required** for enrollment*)

Successful completion of the Respiratory Therapy courses offered during the first semester of the AAS degree program.

Course Objectives (Each item should complete the following sentence.)

Upon completing the course:

- The student will be able to review the clinical experiences and ask questions about the areas of which they are unsure.
- The student will develop the critical thinking skills necessary to perform non-critical care skills.

Major Topics to be Included

- Discussion and review of the skill areas performed in the clinical
- Critical thinking exercises
- Case study presentations

Effective Date of Course Content Summary (Month, Date Year): September 25, 2008