

**HITT 1305
Medical Terminology**

Western Texas College

- I. Basic Course Information
 - A. Course Description: Study of medical terms through word origin and structure. Introduction to abbreviations and symbols, surgical and diagnostic procedures, and medical specialties.
 - B. Required Prerequisite: None
- II. Student Learning Outcomes
 - A. identify, pronounce, and spell medical terms;
 - B. use terms in context;
 - C. utilize prefixes, suffices, root words, and plurals to construct medical terms;
 - D. analyze medical terms;
 - E. translate abbreviations;
 - F. interpret symbols.
- III. Testing Requirements
 - A. The final exam must be proctored. (ask your instructor for more details)
- IV. Major Course Requirements

	Proctored	Not Proctored
Lab Worksheets		40%
Exams		20%
Video Project	20%	
Final Exam	20%	
Total	40%	60%

- V. Information on Books
 - A. Frucht; Medical Terminology get connected! 3rd Ed. Pearson ISBN:13 978-0-13-498945-7
 - B. Device for course video project assignment.
- VI. Other Policies, Procedures and important dates. Please refer to the [WTC Catalog](#) for the following:
 - A. Campus Calendar
 - B. Final Exam Schedule
 - C. How to drop a class
 - D. Withdrawal Information
 - E. Student Conduct/Academic Integrity
 - F. Class Attendance
 - G. Student with disabilities
- VII. Course Content

	Chapter Description	Activity
Introduction	Course instructions & discussion	Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 1	Introduction to Medical Terminology	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 8-11 Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 2	Suffixes	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 18-23 Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 3	Prefixes	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 28-31
Chapter 4	Anatomical Terminology	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 44-47 Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 5	Dermatology - Integumentary System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 63-72 Exam: chapters 1,2&3 (moodle)
Chapter 6	Orthopedics - Musculoskeletal System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 93-103 Exam: chapters 4&5 (moodle)
Chapter 7	Cardiology - Cardiovascular System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 124-133
Chapter 8	Hematology - Blood	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 144-153
Chapter 9	Immunology - Immune System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 167-176 Exam: chapters 6&7 (moodle)
Chapter 10	Pulmonology - Respiratory System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 196-205 Class discussion forum
Chapter 11	Gastroenterology - Digestive System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 223-233 Class Discussion Forum Exam: chapters 8,9,10 (moodle)
Chapter 12	Urology & Nephrology - Urinary System and Male Reproductive System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 255-264
Chapter 13	Obstetrics and Gynecology - Female Reproductive System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 283-293

Chapter 14	Neurology - The Nervous System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 309-319 Exam: chapters 11,12,13 (moodle)
Chapter 15	Endocrinology - Endocrine System	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 333-342 Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 16	Ophthalmology - The Eyes	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 358-366 Class Discussion Forum
Chapter 17	Otorhinolaryngology - The Ear, Nose and Throat	Textbook Assignment: Page(s) 381-390 Exam: chapters 14,15,16 (moodle)
	Video Project Final Review	Instructions on Moodle On Moodle
	Final Exam	On Moodle (Final Exam must be proctored.)

***Disclaimer: Assignments due to change by instructor

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