

Course Description

FSE2140 | Embalming 2 | 3.00 credits

This course is a continuation of Embalming I lecture and places emphasis on embalming considerations and procedures for pathogenesis and advanced decomposition. Students will learn to use specialized chemicals, treatment of post-mortem cases and advanced embalming techniques. Corequisite: FSE2140L

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: The student will explain the use of all the embalming chemicals available to the embalmer by:

1. Listing and describing each chemical
2. Distinguishing each chemical by explaining its use

Competency 2: The student will identify various pathological conditions by:

1. Studying the outward symptoms of the disease to determine the body's condition for embalming purposes
2. Distinguishing pathological symptoms that may affect the embalming procedure

Competency 3: The student will describe the procedure for performing cavity treatment by:

1. Identifying the organs that need aspirating
2. Describing the procedures for aspirating and hyping the three cavities that need treatment
3. Determining the cavity fluid needed to adequately treat the viscera

Competency 4: The student will explain the use of all the embalming chemicals available to the embalmer by:

1. Listing and describing each chemical
2. Distinguishing each chemical by explaining its use

Competency 5: The student will identify various pathological conditions by:

1. Studying the outward symptoms of the disease to determine the condition of the body for embalming purposes
2. Distinguishing pathological symptoms that may affect the embalming procedure

Competency 6: The student will describe the procedure for performing cavity treatment by:

1. Identifying the organs that need aspirating
2. Describing the procedures for aspirating and hyping the three cavities that need treatment
3. Determining the amount of cavity fluid needed to treat the viscera adequately

Learning Outcomes:

- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Create strategies that can be used to fulfill personal, civic, and social responsibilities
- Demonstrate knowledge of ethical thinking and its application to issues in society