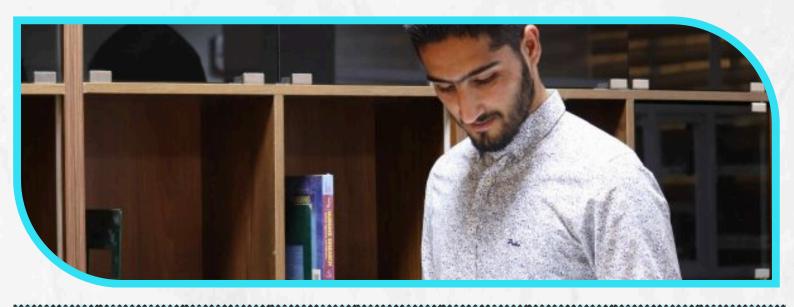


DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND COMMUNITY NURSING





Preparing nursing cadres specialized in community health nursing, who have the knowledge and skills necessary to provide comprehensive health care to individuals, families, and groups in various community settings. We work to promote healthy lifestyles and disease prevention through field education, applied scientific research, and building strategic partnerships with community institutions.

VISION

To be the main pillar in promoting health and disease prevention at the community level, leading in preparing community nurses capable of leading health initiatives, and actively partnering with the community to build supportive environments for health and improve health indicators in Iraq.

OBJECTIVES



- 1. Qualifying an Active Community Nurse: Providing students with comprehensive knowledge about the epidemiology of diseases, identifying the health needs of the community, and planning, implementing, and evaluating preventive and promotional health programs.
- 2. Strengthening Primary and Family Health Care: Training students to provide integrated nursing care in primary health care centers and homes, with a focus on maternal and child care, school health, the elderly, and chronic diseases.
- 3. Empowering Families and Communities: Developing students' capacities to empower individuals, families, and communities to take control of their health determinants through health education, community engagement, and psychosocial support.
- 4. Leadership in health awareness and promotion: Prepare graduates to lead health awareness campaigns on public health issues (e.g., vaccination, nutrition, and anti-smoking), and promote pro-health public policies.

Contribution to health research and policy: Conduct applied research that focuses on community health problems, and use its findings to develop practices and contribute to evidence-based health policymaking