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Are any special course fees assessed?

No

Yes

Yes, but none are assessed

Yes

Library Resources

Provide description of and justification for current or new resources:

**MIDDLE GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
School of Health Sciences  
**Respiratory Therapy**  
**Syllabus RESP 3111**  
Fundamentals of Respiratory Care I  
CRN

**INSTRUCTOR:**

**PHONE/FAX:**

**EMAIL:**

**OFFICE HOURS:**

**CLASS HOURS:** 3 credit hours

**CLASS LOCATION:**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course covers the principles and applications of cardiopulmonary

physiology, physical assessment, and basic respiratory care equipment and techniques related to the most

**GRADES:**

A – 90 -100 %

**TENTATIVE ASSIGNMENT WEIGHTS:**

In-class assignments

20%

B – 80 - 90 %

C – 75 - 80 %

F – &lt; 75%\*

Class quizzes

20%

Midterm

20%

Final Exam

30%

Professional Behavior Standards

10%

**CLASS SCHEDULE (subject to revisions)**~~Wk 1. Patient Assessment~~

Wk 2. Review of Medical History/Patient interview

Wk 3. Asthma case introduction

Wk 4. Asthma case progression

Wk 5. Asthma case conclusion

Wk 6. Emphysema case introduction

Wk 7. Emphysema case progression

Wk 8. Emphysema case conclusion

Wk 9. Chronic Bronchitis case introduction

Wk 10. Chronic Bronchitis case progression

Wk 11. Chronic Bronchitis case conclusion

Wk 12. Atelectasis case introduction

Wk 13. Atelectasis Case progression/conclusion

Wk 14. Pneumonia case introduction

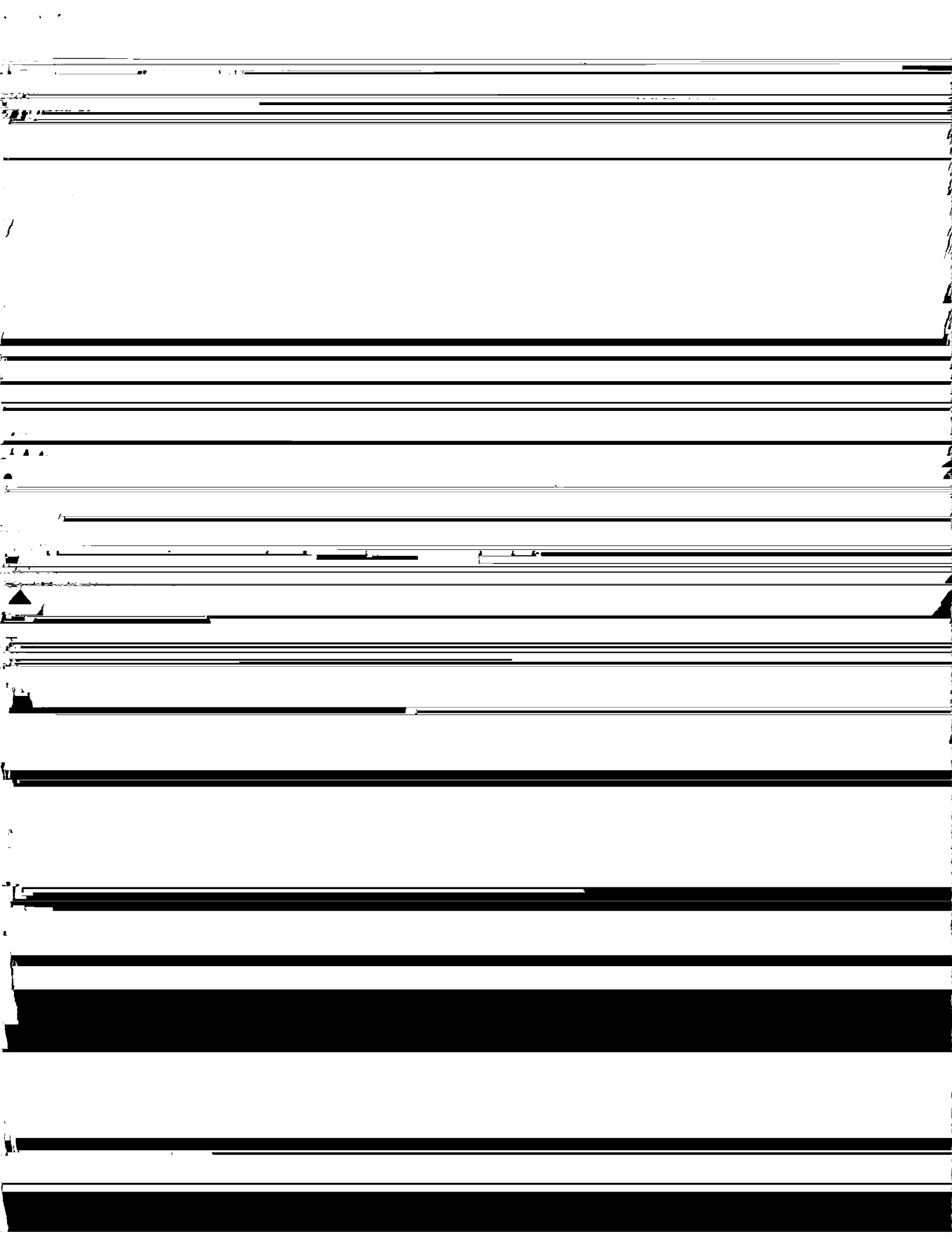
Wk 15. Pneumonia case progression

Wk 16. Pneumonia case conclusion

- Introduction of the case involves etiology, pathophysiology, symptoms, and diagnosis
- Progression of the case involves initial therapy and management in the stable patient
- Conclusion of the case involves discharge planning, education and home management.

**ASSIGNMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS:*****In-class assignments:***

Emphasis will be placed on in-class activities that are based on assigned reading topics. These assignments



any student who persistently participates in disruptive behavior. If the problem becomes chronic, the student(s) will be assigned a grade of "F" in the course and face other consequences determined by the institution's administration.

Refer to Behavioral Outcomes of the Respiratory Therapy Program.

**Withdrawal from Course:** Students are encouraged to read the withdrawal policy found at

<http://www.mgsc.edu/registrar/degree/drop/leave/leave.htm> before dropping/withdrawing from the class. Students may

withdraw from the course and earn a grade of "W" up to and including the midterm date, which occurs on XXXXX. After midterm, students who withdraw will receive a grade of "WF." The MGSC *Withdrawal Form*, which is available online or in the Office of the Registrar, must be signed by the instructor in advance of withdrawal.