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HUS 525 - CURRENT ISSUES IN MENTAL HEALTH

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Discipline 162
Discipline Title HUMAN SERVICES
Discipline Definition NONE

Prefix HUS
Prefix Title HUMAN SERVICES
Prefix Definition THE HUS PREFIX INCLUDES COURSES DEALING WITH GENERAL HUMAN SERVICES SKILLS AND SUBSPECIALTIES, SUCH AS ADDICTIONS. SKILLS TAUGHT IN HUMAN SERVICES COURSES INCLUDE INTERVIEWING, DATA GATHERING, OBSERVING, DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT, TREATMENT PLANNING AND INTERVENTION, COACHING, COUNSELING, CASE MANAGEMENT AND ADVOCACY, REFERRAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY ISSUES, BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION, CONSULTATION AND AWARENESS OF PROFESSIONAL ETHICS AND STATE/FEDERAL REGULATIONS. GRADUATES OF A HUMAN SERVICES PROGRAM OPERATE AS TEAM MEMBERS, USUALLY UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A PROFESSIONAL.

Century 500-599
Century Title PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS

Decade 520-529
Decade Title DYNAMICS OF ABNORMAL HUMAN BEHAVIOR

Statewide Course 525
Statewide Course Title CURRENT ISSUES IN MENTAL HEALTH
Status ACTIVE
Transfer GUARANTEED TRANSFER TO INSTITUTION OFFERING SAME COURSE.
Course Intent LOWER
Prerequisites INTRO TO PSYCH, INTRO TO HUMAN SERVICES, BASIC COUNSELING SKILLS

Corequisites

NONE

Profile Description

AN OVERVIEW OF MAJOR MENTAL HEALTH DISORDERS WITH EMPHASIS ON THEIR ATTENDANT BEHAVIORS, APPROPRIATE INTERACTION BETWEEN THE HEALTH WORKER AND THE CLIENT AND THE EFFECTS OF MENTAL DISORDERS ON THE FAMILY AND COMMUNITY. DEINSTITUTIONAL- IZATION AND CASE MANAGEMENT ARE INCLUDED. MAJOR TOPICS: 1. THE PROBLEM OF MENTAL DISORDER 2. MENTAL DISORDER AS DEVIANT BEHAVIOR 3. MODEL OF MENTAL DISORDER: CONCEPTS OF CAUSES AND CURES 4. TYPES OF MENTAL DISORDER 5. SOCIOLOGY OF MENTAL DISORDER: CLASS, GENDER, URBANIZATION 6. HELP-SEEKING BEHAVIOR AND THE PRE-PATIENT EXPERIENCE 7. THE IN-PATIENT EXPERIENCE 8. MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES AND PUBLIC POLICY 9. MENTAL DISORDER AND THE LAW

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