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Section #1 General Course Information

Department: ECED: Education & Human Services

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Course Prefix and Number: HS - 103

Credits: 2

Contact hours

Lecture (# of hours): 22 Lec/lab (# of hours): Lab (# of hours):

Total course hours: 22

For each credit, the student will be expected to spend, on average, 3 hours per week in combination of in-class and out-of-class activity.

Course Title: Ethics for Human Service Workers

Course Description:

Explores the professional issues students will face when in a helping relationship. Introduces the professional codes of ethics associated with the helping professions. Addresses solving ethical dilemmas using professional guidelines. Topics include client rights, confidentiality, professional boundaries, legal issues in helping, competence, and cultural diversity.

Type of Course: Career Technical Preparatory

Is this class challengeable?

Yes

Can this course be repeated for credit in a degree?

No



Is this course equivalent to another?

If yes, they must have the same description and outcomes.

No

Will this course appear in the college catalog?

Yes

Will this course appear in the schedule?

Yes

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to:

- 1. demonstrate an understanding of the professional code of ethics for human service workers,
- 2. apply professional ethics to resolve issues relating to the helping relationship,
- 3. explain common ethical issues relating to client rights, confidentiality, boundaries, and competence as they pertain to human services;
- 4. critically analyze the ethical considerations of working with diverse cultures.

This course does not include assessable General Education outcomes.

Major Topic Outline:

- 1. Professional Codes of Ethics Used in Human Services (NASW; NOHSE).
- 2. Common Ethical Dilemmas in Helping Relationships.
- 3. Ethics of Working with Diversity.
- 4. Applying Ethical Guidelines to Cases.
- 5. Legal Issues in Human Services.

Does the content of this class relate to job skills in any of the following areas:

Increased energy efficiency
 Produce renewable energy
 Prevent environmental degradation
 Clean up natural environment
 Supports green services

Percent of course: 0%

First term to be offered:

Next available term after approval

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