

#### BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

School of Health Sciences Program: Basic Health Sciences

Option: Medical Imaging

Course Outline Part A

BHSC 1141 Human Behavior

Hours/Week:

1

**Total Hours:** 

16

Term/Level: Level I

Lecture: Lab:

Other:

**Total Weeks:** 

16

Credits:

**Prerequisites** 

BHSC 1141 is a Prerequisite for:

Course No.

Course Name

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None

None

#### Course Goals

# **Course Description**

This course describes the social, emotional and physical variables effecting health, human relations skills and social behavior expected for medical imaging technologists in clinical settings.

## **Evaluation**

40% **Final Examination** (Week of April 22-26) Mid Term Exam 40% (Week of March 4-8) Assignments 20%

To successfully pass this course, the student must achieve a mark

of 60%.

TOTAL

100%

## **Course Outcomes and Sub-Outcomes**

- 1. Discuss the impact of illness on attitudes and behavior.
- 2. Discuss the process of communication and interpret the impact of verbal and nonverbal aspects of communication on interpersonal relations with patients, their relatives, and health care professionals.
- 3. Interact effectively with clients and members of the health care team.

- 4. Recognize the need to adapt behavior for clients from varying cultural and ethnic backgrounds.
- 5. Propose various stress reduction strategies for self and clients.
- 6. Explain how to respond appropriately to clients' and relatives' behavior in accident and emergency situations.

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Developed by:

Instructor Name and Department

Date:

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Instructor Name and Department

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Approved by:

Associate Dean / Program Head

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Start Date: January 199k



### BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

School of Health Sciences Program: Basic Health Sciences Option: Medical Imaging Course Outline Part B

BHSC 1141 Human Behavior

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January - April, 1996

### Instructor(s)

B. Alder

Office No.:

SW3-3085

Phone:

451-6921

Office Hrs.:

To be announced in class.

### Text(s) and Equipment

Required: Course handouts will be given.

Recommended: None

### **Course Notes (Policies and Procedures)**

The course description is subject to change at the discretion of the instructor.

## **Teaching Methods**

This course uses lectures, readings, role playing, assignments and team building problem-solving exercises using case studies.



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Schedule

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Week of/ Number	Outcome/Material Covered
Week 1 Jan 3-5	Master Student Week
Week 2 Jan 8–12	Course Orientation Impact of Illness on self concepts, attitudes, and behaviors
Week 3 Jan 15–19	case of cancer and quadriplegia
Week 4 Jan 22–26	<ul> <li>Process of Effective Clinical Communication</li> <li>impact on clients behavior and compliance</li> <li>verbal and nonverbal aspects</li> </ul>
Week 5 Jan 29 – Feb 2	<ul> <li>achieving rapport</li> <li>relating not debating</li> <li>problem</li> <li>paraphrasing</li> </ul>
Week 6 Feb 5–9	<ul> <li>perception checking</li> <li>empathy</li> <li>description of failing</li> <li>description of behavior</li> </ul>
Week 7 Feb 12–16	Assertion not Aggression  basic, empathic and persuasive assertion  role playing scenarios of common communication challenges
Week 8 Feb 19–23	Concept of Health Care Team and team building concept     approaches to being an effective team member

Week of/ Number	Outcome/Material Covered
Week 9 Feb 26 – Mar 1	Working effectively as a team — role playing scenarios
Week 10 Mar 4–8	MID TERM EXAMINATION
Mar 11–15	MID TERM BREAK
Week 11 Mar 18–22	Exploring the Ethnic Diversity of Clients  How does this affect the Rts approach(es) to clients?
Week 12 Mar 25–29	Dealing with Clinical Environment Stress  research on sources of stress in radiography departments
Week 13 April 1–5	<ul> <li>decreasing stress to eustress levels</li> <li>employing the relaxation response to quickly decrease stress</li> </ul>
Week 14 April 8–12	<ul> <li>Behavior in Accidents, Emergency Situations</li> <li>interacting with health team members</li> <li>behavior of clients and relatives</li> </ul>
Week 15 April 15–19	interacting effectively with confused abusive, irrational and depressed clients and relatives
Week 16 April 22–26	FINAL EXAMINATION WEEK