

#### **MASTER COURSE OUTLINE**

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#### **COURSE TITLE**

Ethics and Policy in Healthcare IV

#### **GENERAL COURSE INFORMATION**

Dept.: PHIL Course Num: 202 (Formerly: )
CIP Code: 38.0101 Intent Code: 11 Program Code:

Credits: 1

Total Contact Hrs Per Qtr.: 11

Lecture Hrs: 11 Lab Hrs: 0 Other Hrs: 0

Distribution Designation: Humanities HU

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION** (as it will appear in the catalog)

This is the fourth in a series of five courses exploring values, ethics, and legal decision-making frameworks and policies used to support the well-being of people and groups within the context of the healthcare professions. Corequisite: NUR 220 or instructor permission.

#### **PREREQUISITES**

PHIL 201 or instructor permission

## **TEXTBOOK GUIDELINES**

As required by Instructor

#### **COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES**

Upon successful completion of the course, students should be able to demonstrate the following knowledge or skills:

- 1. Evaluate the legal concepts relevant to healthcare provider practice: standards of care, civil and criminal action, information privacy, informed consent, advance healthcare directives.
- 2. Develop strategies to work and communicate successfully within a diverse workforce.
- 3. Identify potential ethical, legal and confidentiality issues related to Informatics.
- 4. Explore current issues and implications of healthcare legislation.
- 5. Explore the topic "Social Determinants of Health" presented by Healthy People 2020 and discuss the influence of income, race, ethnicity and social class on health.
- 6. Analyze the ethical dilemmas that arise from healthcare providers' participation in collective bargaining.

## **INSTITUTIONAL OUTCOMES**

IO1 Communication: Students will be able to communicate clearly and effectively.

# **COURSE CONTENT OUTLINE**

- 1. Legal concepts in healthcare
- 2. Working with a diverse workforce in healthcare
- 3. Informatics in healthcare and related ethical/legal issues

- 4. Current issues in healthcare legislation
- 5. Influence of social factors on health and illness

# **DEPARTMENTAL GUIDELINES** (optional)

PO4 should be assessed: Students will be able to recognize or articulate personal/interpersonal aspects of, or connections between, diverse cultural, social, or political contexts.

PO5 should be assessed: Students will be able to solve problems by gathering, interpreting, combining and/or applying information from multiple sources.

DIVISION CHAIR APPROVAL	DATE