HR 5663-101: Psychopathology

Course Description:
This course will provide the basic understandings of mental and behavioral psychopathological conditions, using of the DSM-5 in making a clinical diagnosis, and development of an evidenced based treatment plan. This course will include many interactive exercises to assist in the development of clinical knowledge and skill, in-depth research/report writing/presentation into a chosen diagnostic category, and experiential learning activities.

Class Dates, Location and Hours:
Dates: September 22-24 & 29-October 1, 2017
Location: OCCE, Norman, Oklahoma. Classes are held at the Thurman White Forum Building of OCCE, 1704 Asp Avenue.
Hours: Friday 5:30-9:30 p.m.; Saturday 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Sunday 1:00-5:00 p.m.
Last day to enroll or drop without penalty: August 24, 2017

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Professor Contact Information:
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Professor availability: The professor will be available via email to students before and after the class sessions. On-site office hours are by appointment.

Textbook(s) and Instructional Materials:
Student materials are available at the OU Follett Bookstore located at 1185 Asp Avenue; Norman, OK, and can be ordered online, by phone, by email, or by fax. Ordering online at http://www.bkstr.com/oklahomastore/home is strongly recommended – students can track the status of their order within 48 hours. If an order has not been shipped within three days, students can contact the Follett textbook manager by phone (405) 325-3511, (800) 522-0772 (toll-free) or email 0831mgr@fheg.follett.com. Phone orders (ask for the textbook manager and identify yourself as an Advanced Programs student) can be placed 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday; 10 a.m. to 4p.m. on Saturday (CST). Summer hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday (CST). Fax orders can be placed 24 hours a day at (405) 325-7770. Text prices are available online.

3. Materials posted on the OU Canvas learning management system: Access Canvas at https://canvas.ou.edu, enter your OU NetID and password, and select course to access material. If you require assistance with Canvas, please click on the Help icon. You can search the Canvas guides, chat with Canvas support, or contact OU IT.
Note: Follett is the Advanced Programs contractual textbook provider. Should text changes become necessary after publication of the course syllabus, Advanced Programs will facilitate text returns/refunds only for texts purchased through Follett.

Course Objectives:

1. Be familiar with and able to discuss each of the psychopathological conditions covered in the course.
2. Be familiar with and able to discuss the DSM-5 classification of mental disorders and the criteria for diagnosing these disorders.
3. Be able to apply the DSM-5 classification system in determining the appropriate diagnosis of clinical cases.
4. Have a substantial foundation of knowledge about psychopathology to apply in formulating appropriate and effective intervention strategies to treat a broad spectrum of psychopathological conditions.

Course Outline:

Weekend One:

- Class Presentations
- Psychopathology
- DSM-5

Weekend Two:

- Treatment Planning
- Interactive/Experiential Activities
- Final Test

Assignments, Grading and Due Dates:

Note: Each student will be assigned a Diagnostic Category (1-2 weeks prior to the beginning of class, or earlier if available), email class instructor at Robert.M.Moore-2@ou.edu to discuss assignment.

Initial Paper: Due Date: First Class [25 Points]

All papers will be submitted through Canvas. Each student will do an in-depth search and report covering their assigned diagnostic category. This will be a 6-8 page (not including cover page and references) APA-style paper (i.e., cover page, references, proper citations and formatting). The paper should include information regarding assessment, diagnosis, differentiation within the category, and appropriate and effective intervention strategies to treat the psychopathological conditions.

Be sure to cite references and include a reference page. Follow APA style in citing references that you use. The paper should be typed, double-spaced, with a cover sheet. Pay careful attention to writing style and carefully edit your papers.

Presentation: Due Date: First Weekend of Class [25 Points]

Each student will develop a presentation of their assigned diagnostic category utilizing PowerPoint or a similar application to present to the class. Each of these will last approximately 20-30 minutes with a 10 minute feedback session (varying with the number of students in the class). Please provide a copy of the presentation for each member of the class (this can be done through handouts or through web/email/etc.).

Be sure to cite references and include a reference page. Follow APA style in citing references that you use.
Counseling Practice Session: Due Date: Anytime 2nd weekend [25 Points]
During the second weekend, each student will conduct one or more (varying with the number of students in the class) counseling session(s) in a role play with other members of the class utilizing their knowledge to assess and address issues presented in the role play. Each of these will last approximately 20-30 minutes with a 10 minute feedback session (varying with the number of students in the class).

Comprehensive Final Test: Due Date: Last day of class [25 Points]
On the last day of class there will be a multiple-choice test over the material covered in the textbook and in class. The test will contain fifty questions, with each question worth ½ point.

Grading:
This is a letter-graded course: A, B, C, D, or F. A = 90-100, B = 80-89, C = 70-79, D = 60-69, F = Below 60

Notice: Failure to meet assignment due dates could result in a grade of I (Incomplete) and may adversely impact Tuition Assistance and/or Financial Aid.

Attendance:
Attendance is required for all classes because your ability to learn to be an effective counselor depends on being present to receive supervision and feedback from your instructor and peers.

For unexcused absences, the following reductions will apply:

- 3-4 hours absent – One letter grade
- 5-6 hours absent – Two letter grades
- 7 or more hours absent – Three letter grades

Note about late assignments:
Due to the number of students who have turned in assignments late in the past, I have had to institute the following policy: Late Assignments will not be accepted. Total points for the assignment will be subtracted.
POLICIES AND NOTICES

Attendance/Grade Policy

Attendance and participation in interaction, individual assignments, group exercises, simulations, role playing, etc. are valuable aspects of any course because much of the learning comes from discussions in class with other students. It is expected that you attend all classes and be on time except for excused emergencies.

Excused absences are given for professor mandated activities or legally required activities such as emergencies or military assignments. It is the policy of the University to excuse absences of students that result from religious observances and to provide without penalty for the rescheduling of examinations and additional required class work that may fall on religious holidays. Unavoidable personal emergencies, including (but not limited to) serious illness; delays in getting to class because of accidents, etc.; deaths and funerals, and hazardous road conditions will be excused.

If you are obtaining financial assistance (TA, STAP, FA, VA, Scholarship, etc.) to pay all or part of your tuition cost, you must follow your funding agency/institution’s policy regarding “I” (Incomplete) grades unless the timeline is longer than what the University policy allows then you must adhere to the University policy. Students who receive Financial Aid must resolve/complete any “I” (Incomplete) grades by the end of the term or he/she may be placed on “financial aid probation.” If the “I” grade is not resolved/completed by the end of the following term, the student’s Financial Aid may be suspended make the student ineligible for further Financial Aid.

Students are responsible for meeting the guidelines of Tuition Assistance and Veterans Assistance. See the education counselor at your local education center for a complete description of your TA or VA requirements.

Academic Integrity and Student Conduct

Academic integrity means honesty and responsibility in scholarship. Academic assignments exist to help students learn; grades exist to show how fully this goal is attained. Therefore all work and all grades should result from the student's own understanding and effort.

Academic misconduct is any act which improperly affects the evaluation of a student’s academic performance or achievement. Misconduct occurs when the student either knows or reasonably should know that the act constitutes misconduct. Academic misconduct includes: cheating and using unauthorized materials on examinations and other assignments; improper collaboration, submitting the same assignment for different classes (self-plagiarism); fabrication, forgery, alteration of documents, lying, etc….in order to obtain an academic advantage; assisting others in academic misconduct; attempting to commit academic misconduct; destruction of property, hacking, etc…; intimidation and interference with integrity process; and plagiarism. All students should review the Student’s Guide to Academic Integrity at http://integrity.ou.edu/students_guide.html

Students and faculty each have responsibility for maintaining an appropriate learning environment. All students should review policies regarding student conduct at http://studentconduct.ou.edu/

Accommodation Statement

The University of Oklahoma is committed to making its activities as accessible as possible. For accommodations on the basis of disability, please contact your local OU Site Director.

Adjustment for Pregnancy/Childbirth-Related Issues

Should you need modifications or adjustments to your course requirements because of documented pregnancy-related or childbirth-related issues, please contact me as soon as possible to discuss. Generally, modifications will be made where medically necessary and similar in scope to accommodations based on temporary disability. Please see http://www.ou.edu/content/eoo/faqs/pregnancy-faqs.html.
Title IX Resources

For any concerns regarding gender-based discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, stalking, or intimate partner violence, the University offers a variety of resources, including advocates on-call 24/7, counseling services, mutual no-contact orders, scheduling adjustments, and disciplinary sanctions against the perpetrator. Please contact the Sexual Misconduct Office at smo@ou.edu or (405) 325-2215 (8-5), or the Sexual Assault Response Team at (405) 615-0013 (24/7) to report an incident. To learn more about Title IX, please visit the Institutional Equity Office’s website at http://www.ou.edu/content/eeo.html

Course Policies

Advanced Programs policy is to order books in paperback if available. Courses, dates, and professors are subject to change. Please check with your OU Site Director. Students should retain a copy of any assignments that are mailed to the professor for the course. Advanced Programs does not provide duplicating services or office supplies.

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Education
• Master of Human Relations, University of Oklahoma
• Bachelor of Science in Human Resources, Southern Nazarene University

Current Positions
• Adjunct Professor, University of Oklahoma, Human Relations, Norman, OK
• Licensed Professional Counselor and Supervisor, Norman Psychiatry, Norman, OK
• Licensed Professional Counselor and Supervisor, Red Road Counseling Service, Moore, OK
• Founder, Author and Director, My Body…My Life…Programs LLC, Norman, OK

Major Areas of Teaching and Research Interest
• Growth and Development
• Crisis Intervention
• Dating, Domestic and Gender Violence
• Cultural Diversity
• Juvenile Justice and Delinquency
• Marriage/Family Counseling

Representative Publications and Presentations

Representative Honors and Awards Received
• Oklahoma Community Policing Officer Award
• Oklahoma Crime Prevention Officer of the Year
• Oklahoma Gang Investigator of the Year
• 2013 National School Safety Award
• Oklahoma Governor’s Commendation
• Oklahoma House of Representatives Citation
• 2013 Norman Human Rights Award

Major Professional Affiliations
• Oklahoma Counseling Association