

Course Name: Abnormal Psychology

Course Number: PSY* E245

Credits: 3

Catalog description: Concepts of normality and abnormality, in terms of statistical frequency, cultural/social norms and deviance, degree of impairment or disordered behavior. Examination of various types of maladaptive disorders, their determinants or causative factors, and forms of treatment.

Prerequisite, Corequisite, or Parallel: PSY* E111 or permission of the instructor

General Education Competencies Satisfied:

Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):

⊠ BHEL Behavioral Science elective

Course objectives:

General Education Goals and Outcomes: none

Course Specific Objectives:

• Demonstrate knowledge of the discipline of abnormal/maladaptive behaviors, applicable to the individual functioning in society.

Course Content:

- 1. Theoretical Perspectives
- 2. Methodology
- 3. History
- 4 Clinical Assessment, Interpretation, and Diagnosis
- 5. Study of Maladaptive Psychological Functioning: Stress, Anxiety, Personality, Mood, and Thought Disorders
- 6. Treatments for Maladaptive Disorders

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