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Mental Retardation Counsellor

Title of Course: Fieldwork IV Course No: MRC 220-22

Instructor; Gerry Page Date; January, 1983

Purpose;

Fieldvrark IV is designed to give students the ej^erience and skills necessary to be a competent worker in the field. Students will daronstrate practical applied treining skills and app3:t>priate work habits by performing various assignments with developmentally handicapped individuals and agency staff mearibers.

Behavior Objectives;

After oCTTpleting the regoiraments for Fieldwork IV the student will;

- 1) Develop a sense of team work by experiencing interactions with other professionals in the field.
- 2) Develop and impleanment training programs.
- 3) Learn hew to assess and evaluate clients using various assesament tools.
- 4) Learn how to assist clients in attaining long and short term goals by the use of assessments.
- 5) Develop Individual Program Plans for clients.
- 6) Learn how to manage and use tirre effectively.
- 7) Have a knowledgeable understanding of behavioral intervention techniques.
- 8) Learn hew to follow lines of ccimiunication and how to deal with conflicts should they arise.
- 9) Perform basic nursing and health care as required.
- 10) Develop a sense of responsibility and a feel for the role of an M,R,C, professional.

Methodology:

Students will be assigned to various agencies such as, group homes, vocational placements, nursing homes, developmental centres etc, by the M-R.C. department. Students will work twD modules during their placement period. Students will work 32 hours per week including a 1 hour lianch. Students may be required to wo3dk shifts depending on field placement.

Assignments and time lines: See attached list.

Evaluation:

Students will be evaluated by faculty and with the assistance of agency supervisors. Assignments, work habits, conpetency in skill areas, coitfnunication with supervisors, professionalism and most importantly care and treatirent of clients.

The following is a breakdown of evalioation per module. Each irodule is worth 50% of the final grade.

1.)	Programs (Inc. Revisions)20%
2.)	Progress Reports
3.)	Group Work
4.)	Assessment & I.P.P
5.)	Work SdiedTile
6.)	Placement Evaluation
7.)	Field Seminar Practiciums10%
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A = 85 to 100%

B = 75 to 84%

C = 60 to 74%

R = 59 and under

K.R.C. FIELD PLACI:K-i::NI: iNFEWBL^RHY l''iii;iIIAL H'^ALITL CENTRE 2nd Year Students

- 1.) Students will be responsible for seven \^a*itten programmes one of v/hich must be a Token Economy pro^-^rarime. The student will be assigned to the residents by their individual pro-
- will be assigned to the residents by their individual pro.^; gram supervisors. Each student nmst hove at least foxir residents or more in which they will be applying their seven
 programmes. Students must have all- their programmes approved
 by no later than Pebtiary i, 19SO. This laeans that the student
 will be respo2isi"ble for researching, scheduling prograiame tiiae,
 and getteing a,pprcval from their II.E.G. Instructor and their
 ProgramTie Supervisor. Any programes late for approval without
 reasonable excuse will lose 3/ of their final mark per programne per day. Five days oi baseline data must be included
 when going for approval.
- 2.) Students will be responsible for writing up weekly progress reports once a weeJc on each programme. Progress reports must be based on your interpetation or your data collection. Changes 1JI progra; ming should be included in your progress notes as v/ell as general behavior of residents diiring your individual training sessions Progress reports are legal documents 'Jld they will be checked by the K.R.C. Instructor and the ilewberry staff.
- 3«)When prograniiaes have been approved by the I-I.R.C. Instructor and Prograi'jne Supervisor a schedule of programning must be submitted to the Instructor, Programne Supervisor, and Shift Supervisoro This should be done by no later than Konday Pebo H, 1980. Programming must begin on that date.

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- 4-)Students will be responsible for vrriting up 2 additional programmes for class presentation. Oixe programme will be based on an extinction type and the other based on a multihandicapped resident. Further details are to come
- 5 ») A term paper will be req^uired on the following topics. It will be due on March 27,1980.

 Topics: "Institutional living** Advantages and disadvantages or "Community Living*' Advantages and Disadvantages Please include a Bibliography.
- 6.) Tests will be given one week after lectiires. For example: 1st Thursday lecture on Programming etc. 2nd Thursday test on programming skills. There will be nf rewrites for any test or assignments failed however, students failing the final exam will be allowed one re*/rrite.