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| Course Code: Title  | FIT203: PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF INJURY   |  |  |  |
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| Program Number: Name  | 3040: FITNESS AND HEALTH  |  |  |  |
| Department:   | FITNESS & HEALTH PROMOTION  |  |  |  |
| Semester/Term:  | 17F   |  |  |  |
| Course Description:   | This course explores risk factors involved with regular exercise, and sport and exercise specific injuries. Basic first aid principles will be reviewed in relation to athletic injuries as well as the physiological cause and appropriate prevention techniques to prevent reoccurrence. The role of the athletic trainer or personal trainer when considering athletic equipment, playing surfaces and environmental factors such as heat and cold. This course will have both theory and applied components so students will gain practical knowledge along with their theory base.   |  |  |  |
| Total Credits:  | 3   |  |  |  |
| Hours/Week:   | 3   |  |  |  |
| Total Hours:  | 45  |  |  |  |
| Prerequisites:  | FIT155, FIT156, PNG121  |  |  |  |
| This course is a pre-requisite for:   | FIT250, FIT253, FIT254, FIT255  |  |  |  |
| Vocational Learning<br>Outcomes (VLO's):<br>Please refer to program web page<br>for a complete listing of program<br>outcomes where applicable. | <ul> <li>#1. Conduct assessments of fitness, well-being, and lifestyle for clients and effectively communicate assessment results.</li> <li>#2. Prescribe appropriate physical activity, fitness, active living, and lifestyle programs to enhance health, fitness, and well-being of clients.</li> <li>#3. Utilize appropriate interviewing and counselling skills to promote or enhance health, fitness, active living, and well-being of clients.</li> <li>#4. Collaborate with individuals in the selection and adoption of strategies that will enable them to take control of and improve their health, fitness, and well-being.</li> <li>#5. Develop, implement, and evaluate activities, programs, and events which respond to identified needs and interests of clients and maximize the benefits of health, fitness, and well-being.</li> <li>#6. Train individuals and instruct groups in exercise and physical activities.</li> <li>#9. Implement strategies and plans for ongoing personal and professional growth and development.</li> <li>#10. Develop and implement risk management strategies for health and fitness programs,</li> </ul> |  |  |  |



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|   | activities and facilities.   |                   |  |  |
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| Essential Employability<br>Skills (EES):    | <ul> <li>#1. Communicate clearly, concisely and correctly in the written, spoken, and visual form that fulfills the purpose and meets the needs of the audience.</li> <li>#2. Respond to written, spoken, or visual messages in a manner that ensures effective communication.</li> <li>#4. Apply a systematic approach to solve problems.</li> <li>#5. Use a variety of thinking skills to anticipate and solve problems.</li> <li>#7. Analyze, evaluate, and apply relevant information from a variety of sources.</li> <li>#8. Show respect for the diverse opinions, values, belief systems, and contributions of others.</li> <li>#9. Interact with others in groups or teams that contribute to effective working relationships and the achievement of goals.</li> <li>#10. Manage the use of time and other resources to complete projects.</li> <li>#11. Take responsibility for ones own actions, decisions, and consequences.</li> </ul> |                   |  |  |
| Course Evaluation:                          | Passing Grade: 50%,  |                   |  |  |
| Evaluation Process and Grading System:      | Evaluation Type  | Evaluation Weight |  |  |
|   | Assignments  | 40%               |  |  |
|   | In Class Participation   | 10%               |  |  |
|   | Tests (written and practical)  | 50%               |  |  |
| Books and Required<br>Resources:            | Fundamentals of Sports Injury Management by Andreson, Marcia   |                   |  |  |
| Course Outcomes and<br>Learning Objectives: | Course Outcome 1.  |                   |  |  |
|   | <ul> <li>Evaluate the risk factors involved with regular exercise, sports, and recognition of exercise specific injuries</li> <li>Learning Objectives 1.</li> <li>explain and demonstrate the importance of proper technique while executing various exercises to prevent injuries</li> <li>identify environmental factors that affect regular exercise and sports</li> <li>identify systemic conditions that affect regular exercise and sports</li> <li>identify health conditions that would affect regular exercise and sports</li> </ul>  |                   |  |  |
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- Identify common injuries for the Spine, Shoulder, Elbow, Wrist, Hand, Pelvis, Hip, Thigh, Knee, Foot, Ankle and Lower Leg

### **Course Outcome 2.**

Apply basic first aid knowledge

## Learning Objectives 2.

- students will identify appropriate management for various exercise related injuries within the scope of practice for a personal trainer

- apply the HOPS format in completing an onsite assessment within the scope of practice for a personal trainer

- provide immediate care within the scope of practice for a personal trainer

### **Course Outcome 3.**

Identify the causes of exercise specific injuries and implement preventative measures to reduce exercise specific injuries

# Learning Objectives 3.

- describe the mechanism of common exercise related injuries
- describe how the basic principles of training can be used to reduce exercise specific injuries
- identify contraindications and modify common exercises for various exercise-related injuries

#### **Course Outcome 4.**

Appraise the roles of a personal trainer when considering appropriate exercise and restoration of function

## Learning Objectives 4.

- identify and apply the ten goals of rehab to various exercise related injuries in a written and practical format



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- identify responsibilities of the personal trainer in injury prevention and management
- identify responsibilities of physically active individuals in injury prevention and management
- describe measures that can reduce the risk of litigation

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Wednesday, August 30, 2017

Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.