Minnesota State University Moorhead

PSY 563: Abnormal Psychology

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Descriptive and explanatory models are detailed in relation to their relevance to behavior pathology and the prevention of abnormal behavior.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 06/01/1995 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

- 1. Develop a working knowledge of DSM-IV-TR and the DSM-5 potential revisions.
- 2. Learn about the prevalence and incidence of various diagnostic disorders.
- 3. Learn to distinguish among normal, abnormal and 'sick' as defined by DSM-IV-TR.
- 4. Learn to use diagnostic skills as they apply to past and present world events.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted