

# MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

## COURSE OUTLINE

DEPT. OTAC

COURSE NUMBER: 2140

NUMBER OF CREDITS: 2

Lecture:2 Lab: 0

OJT: 0

### Course Title:

Professional Seminar

### Catalog Description:

Professional Seminar examines occupational therapy professional ethics, values, and responsibilities. The student builds personal and professional development plans and resumes. Business aspects, credentialing and licensure requirements, and supervisory requirements are emphasized. Students participate in independent and active learning with a focus on developing skills for lifelong learning.

### Prerequisites or Necessary Entry Skills/Knowledge:

OTAC 1230

### FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S)

Goal 1: Communication: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 2: Critical Thinking: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 3: Natural Sciences: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 4: Mathematics/Logical Reasoning: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 5: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 6: The Humanities and Fine Arts: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 7: Human Diversity: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 8: Global Perspective: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 9: Ethical and Civic Responsibility: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Goal 10: People and the Environment: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

### Topics to be Covered

Professional ethics

Resumes

Professional development

Practitioner health

Business aspects

### Student Learning Outcomes

*B.3.4. Balancing Areas of Occupation, Role in Promotion of Health, and Prevention (Mastery Level)*

Demonstrate knowledge of scientific evidence as it relates to the importance of balancing areas of occupation; the role of occupation in the promotion of health; and the prevention of disease, illness, and dysfunction for persons, groups, and populations.

<p><i>B.5.3. Business Aspects of Practice (Mastery Level)</i>          Explain an understanding of the business aspects of practice including, but not limited to, financial management, billing, and coding.</p>
<p><i>B.5.5. Requirements for Credentialing and Licensure (Mastery Level)</i>          Provide care and programs that demonstrate knowledge of applicable national requirements for credentialing and requirements for licensure, certification, or registration consistent with federal and state laws.</p>
<p><i>B.5.7. Quality Management and Improvement (Mastery Level)</i>          Participate in the documentation of ongoing processes for quality management and improvement (e.g., outcome studies analysis and client engagement surveys) and implement program changes as needed to demonstrate quality of services.</p>
<p><i>B.5.8. Supervision of Personnel (Mastery Level)</i>          Define strategies for effective, competency-based legal and ethical supervision of occupational therapy assistants and non-occupational therapy personnel.</p>
<p><i>B.6.6. Preparation for Work in an Academic Setting (Mastery Level)</i>          Understand the principles of teaching and learning in preparation for work in an academic setting.</p>
<p><i>B.7.1. Ethical Decision Making (Mastery Level)</i>          Demonstrate knowledge of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) <i>Occupational Therapy Code of Ethics</i> and <i>AOTA Standards of Practice</i> and use them as a guide for ethical decision making in professional interactions, client interventions, employment settings, and when confronted with personal and organizational ethical conflicts.</p>
<p><i>B.7.2. Professional Engagement (Mastery Level)</i>          Demonstrate knowledge of how the role of a professional is enhanced by participating and engaging in local, national, and international leadership positions in organization or agencies.</p>
<p><i>B.7.3. Promote Occupational Therapy (Mastery Level)</i>          Promote occupational therapy by educating other professionals, service providers, consumers, third-party payers, regulatory bodies, and the public.</p>
<p><i>B.7.4. Ongoing Professional Development (Mastery Level)</i>          Identify and develop strategies for ongoing professional development to ensure that practice is consistent with current and accepted standards.</p>
<p><i>B.7.5. Personal and Professional Responsibilities (Mastery Level)</i>          Demonstrate knowledge of personal and professional responsibilities related to liability issues under current models of service provision and the varied roles of the OTA providing service on a contractual basis.</p>
<p><b>Is this course part of a transfer pathway: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b></p>

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