

Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

COR 205 Institution Corrections Personnel

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course will review the history and philosophy of correctional institutions' personnel and human growth and development. Study of institutional administration, management, supervision and personnel in parole, probation, community intervention strategies, treatment and control. Overview of specific problems of substance, medical and mental abuse. Course needed to satisfy the requirements to become a State of Michigan Corrections Officer.

PREREQUISITES: CJS 100

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be familiar with:

- 1) Demonstrate the knowledge gained through placement, training and course interactions to successfully understand all Corrections Department State requirements.
- Explain the role of the community associated with the problems within the correctional Structure.
- 3) Explain department rules, regulations, policies and procedures in corrections.
- 4) Explain the functions of the Correctional System.
- 5) Explain the techniques of determining sentencing.
- 6) Demonstrate the legal significance regulated Correctional Institutions.
- 7) Conduct research, data collecting, and analyzing of crime and its impact on Correctional Institutions.
- 8) Explain the ethics of Corrections.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A

80%-89.9%= B

70%-79.9%= C

60%-69.9%= D

<60% = E