

# Assessment and Case Management

## **Class**

SCWK 2301

The course will expose students to a basic understanding of case management practices in the human services arena and to common terminology and practices, including assessment and service planning. Students will explore procedures for identifying and evaluating an individual's and/or family's strengths, weaknesses, problems and needs in order to develop an effective plan of action. Topics include oral and written communications essential for assessment, screening, intervention, prevention, case management and referral.

## **Course Learning Objectives**

- To provide students with a basic understanding of the vocabulary and methods used in the human service field.
- To provide students with practice in the areas of assessment, treatment planning, documentation and case management
- To provide students with practical, skill based knowledge to be utilized in the field
- To provide students with an understanding and rationale for best practice in the human service field.

## **Required Textbooks**

Summers, N. (2012). Fundamentals of Case Management Practice, Skills for the Human Services. 5th Edition, Brooks/Cole, Belmont.

## **Disabilities**

### **ADA Statement:**

Any student with a documented disability (e.g. learning, psychiatric, vision, hearing, etc.) may contact the Office on the Weatherford College Weatherford Campus to request reasonable accommodations. *Phone:* 817-598-6350  
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