

Course Outcome Guide (COG)

Course: SOC 115	Social Problems	Credits:	3	Instructor:	Kim Weismann
Course Description:	Sociological analysis of major social problems in America.				
Concepts and Issues	Process Skills	Assessment Tasks	Intended Outcomes		
			Course	General Education or Program	Institutional
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are social problems • Health • Healthcare • Mental illnesses • Alcohol • Drugs • Crime • Violence • Poverty • Racism • Prejudice • Discrimination • Gender • Sexuality • Aging • Divorce • Marriage • Family violence • Parenthood • Homeless families • Education • Problems of economics • Populations • Immigration • Technology • War • Global insecurity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyzing case studies • Analyzing examples • Explain causes of social problems • Explain effects of social problems • Explore ways of solving social problems 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discussions, exams, research projects, papers, research projects 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students shall analyze social problems. 2. Students shall develop plans to solve social problems. 3. Students shall analyze how different cultures are affected by social problems. 	<p>Students will demonstrate knowledge of diverse cultures and value systems.</p>	<p>Students will demonstrate knowledge of diverse cultures and value systems.</p>