SUBSTANCE ABUSE INTERVENTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

BROADCAST TITLE: Models of Intervention for the Substance Abusing Offender

COURSE NUMBER: CJUS 520 S

REFERENCE NUMBER: 102435

CREDIT HOURS: 3 undergraduate or graduate credit hours

DESCRIPTION: This course is designed to introduce the student to the issue of substance abuse treatment within the criminal justice system. It will discuss opportunities for substance abuse intervention and program models for specific types of offenders.

TUITION AND FEES:
Undergraduate: $298.50
Graduate: $314.25

ORIENTATION:
Friday, September 11, 1998 5:30 p.m. OR Saturday, September 12, 1998 10:00 a.m.

For students taking this class at a distance, please refer to the page, "Special Instructions for Distance Learners" contained in this packet.

INSTRUCTOR: Tony Tymkow, MHS
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MEETINGS:
Saturday, November 21 10:00 a.m. Final Portfolio Due

TEXT: Study Guide: Models of Intervention for the Substance Abusing Offender

VEDEOTAPES: 14 one-hour videos

VIEWING:
• GSU Library
• GSU Bookstore
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Sincerely,

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