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Health Professions & Medicine

Graduate Elective: Winter 2017

INTERPROFESSIONAL PSYCHOSOCIAL ONCOLOGY:
INTRODUCTION TO THEORY & PRACTICE



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COURSE DESCRIPTION: Psychosocial Oncology is a specialty area of cancer care that is concerned with the myriad of psychological, emotional, social and spiritual responses of persons affected by cancer. This web-based course provides an opportunity for graduate students to explore common issues that individuals and families experience across the illness trajectory from a theoretical, empirical, and clinical perspective. Primary emphases in the course include understanding the illness experience and assessing both distress and coping from a family centered perspective. The course draws on a case-based, narrative format and provides opportunities to learn in small online groups of interprofessional learners drawn from several universities across Canada.

WHO can take this course? The course is intended primarily for graduate students in medicine (e.g. palliative care, family medicine, psychiatry, & oncology), nursing, psychology, social work and spiritual care.

WHEN will this course be offered? The course will be offered from January 5 - April 5, 2017.

HOW will this course be delivered? The course design is web-based with 90 minutes of real time online audio communication per week. Learning resources have been developed specifically for this course, including case study narratives, video-taped interviews, and dramatizations of individual, family and interprofessional situations. Cases will provide opportunities for students to learn about diverse and marginalized communities.

WHO can I talk to for more information? There is a designated contact in each university that registers students. Please see the table below for contact information or contact Dr Kathy Pfaff at kpffaff@uwindsor.ca or (519)253-3000 x 4977

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