Overview

This course surveys the law governing the provision of treatment, counselling and care in Ontario. Topics covered include: consent, capacity to consent, end-of-life decision making, mental health and the law, negligence, documentation, confidentiality, disclosure, mandatory reporting, and health information privacy. The course is open to all Western undergraduat7adf 35(u)3(n)35(u)3(n)35(u)3(n)35(u)3(n)286.)3(ni286.)3(ni286.)

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Evaluation

The grades in the course are based on three components: (a) a 55% multiple choice final examination in April; (b) a 35% multiple-choice midterm examination in February; and (c) a 10% component based on the 12 short (15-20 minutes) weekly online quizzes. There are no other assignments or essays. As required by University rules, students are hereby informed that software will be used to check for unusual coincidences in answer patterns that may indicate cheating.

Component	Value	Date	
Final Examination	55	April 2015, TBD	
Midterm Examination	35	February 7, 2015	
Weekly Quizzes (12)	10	Weekly (see schedule below)	
Total	100		

Midterm Examination

The 90-minute, multiple choice midterm examination will take place on February 7 at 2 p.m. at a location to be confirmed

completed quiz for academic credit (see Quiz Schedule below). No academic credit will be given for quizzes that are submitted after the deadline. The quizzes are located in the relevant weekly folder on OWL.

A new quiz will be available on a weekly basis and <u>must</u> be completed within a one-week period in order to receive marks. Note that you have <u>2 weeks</u> to submit the quiz (Chapter VI) that is released before Reading Week. Each quiz can be completed once only. Each quiz is weighted equally for a total

- 3. Registrar's Office http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/
- 4. Ombuds Office -http://www.uwo.ca/ombuds/

CLASS SCHEDULE AND READING LIST

WEEK ONE

Tuesday, January 6, 2015 Class 1: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Overview of Course

Chapter I: Preliminary Issues

Thursday, January 8, 2015 Class 2: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Completion of Chapter I Review and Questions

WEEK TWO

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 Class 3: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter II: Consent and Capacity (Competency)

Thursday, January 15, 2015 Class 4: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Completion of Chapter II Review and Questions

WEEK THREE

Tuesday, January 20, 2015 Class 5: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Chapter III: Substitute Consent Thursday, January 22, 2015 Class 6: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Completion of Chapter III Review and Questions

WEEK FOUR 5970m

Tuesday, January 27, 2015 Class 7: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter IV: Factors Negating Consent,

Thursday, January 29, 2015 Class 8: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

WEEK SEVEN: READING WEEK

Monday, February 16, 2015 – Friday, February 20 2015 (no classes)

WEEK EIGHT

Tuesday, February 24, 2015 Class 13: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter VII: Standard of Care and Its Breach

Thursday, February 26, 2015 Class 14: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Completion of Chapter VII Review and Questions

WEEK NINE

Tuesday, March 3, 2015

Class 15: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter VIII: Duties of Affirmative Action

Thursday, March 5, 2015

Class 16: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Completion of Chapter VIII Review and Questions

WEEK TEN

Tuesday, March 10, 2015

Class 17: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter IX: Documentation and Related Issues

Thursday, March 12, 2015

Class 18: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Completion of Chapter IX Review and Questions

WEEK ELEVEN Review and Questions

Tuesday, March 17, 2015 Class 19: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Chapter X: Confidentiality and Privilege

Thursday, March 19, 2015 Class 20: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Completion of Chapter X Review and Questions

Quiz Schedule - Winter Term 2015

Chapter(s)	Available (12:30 p.m.)	Credit Ends (11:30 a.m.)
Chapter I: Preliminary Issues	Thur. Jan. 8	Thur. Jan. 15
Chapter II: Consent and Capacity (Competency)	Thur. Jan. 15	Thur. Jan. 22
Chapter III: Substitute Consent	Thur. Jan. 22	Thur. Jan. 29

Chapter IV: Factors Negating Consent, Treatment Without Consent, and End-of-Life Decision Making