

Health Sciences 2610 Introduction to Ethics in Health

Online and Asynchronous (no set lecture daytime, I will be posting 2-hour lectures weekly)

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= 35% as scheduled (TBA)

Materials

in Canada: A Philosophical Introduction by Collier & Haliburton

Material posted online.

Topics

Introductions, Syllabus review, etc.

January 14: Ethical Theories & Thinking, part 1

January 21: Ethical Theories & Thinking, part 2

January 28: HCW-Patient Relationship

February 4: Informed Consent

February 11:

- (ii) For medical absences, submitting a Student Medical Certificate (SMC) signed by a licensed medical or mental health practitioner, in order to be eligible for Academic Consideration; or
- (iii) For non-medical absences, submitting appropriate documentation (e.g., obituary, police report, accident report, court order, etc.) to Academic Counselling in their Faculty of registration, in order to be eligible for academic consideration.

Students seeking academic consideration:

- Are advised to consider carefully the implications of postponing tests or midterm exams or delaying handing in work;
- Are encouraged to make appropriate decisions, based on their specific circumstances, recognizing that minor ailments (e.g., upset stomach) or upsets (e.g., argument with a friend) are not normally an appropriate basis for self-reported absence;
- ***Must communicate with their instructors no later than 24 hours*** after the end of the period

Statement on use of electronic devices:

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It is expected that the grades for this course will fall between 7% and 80%. In the event that the course average falls outside this range, a constant may be added (or subtracted) from each student's grade, by the instructor, to bring the class average in line with school policy.