



STARK STATE COLLEGE

GENERAL SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Name: Fundamentals of Chemical Dependency Practice I
Course Number: CDC122

Required Materials

Textbook(s): Harold E. Doweiko, Concepts of Chemical Dependency, 10th ed. (Cengage 2015)
Required Readings: See weekly calendar below
Additional Materials: None

Course Outline/Calendar

The date of coverage and order of coverage may be modified based on the faculty member and events beyond the control of faculty members that interfere with class times and teaching.

Week	Chapter/Topic/Lab
Week 1	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 1, Why Worry About Substance Misuse or Substance Use Disorders? Chapter 2, The Nature of the Beast Chapter 3, A Brief Introduction to the Science of Pharmacology
Week 2	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 4, An Introduction to Alcohol: Man's Oldest Recreational Chemical Chapter 5, The Alcohol Use Disorders Chapter 6, Misuse of Barbiturates and Barbiturate-Like Compounds
Week 3	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 7, Misuse of Benzodiazepines and Similar Agents Chapter 8, Use and Misuse of Central Nervous System Stimulants Chapter 9, Cocaine Misuse and Cocaine Use Disorder
Week 4	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 10, Marijuana Use and Misuse Chapter 11, Opioid Use and Misuse Chapter 12, Hallucinogen Misuse
Week 5	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 13, Misuse of Inhalants and Aerosols Chapter 14, The Under-Recognized Problem of Steroid Misuse Chapter 15, Tobacco Products and Tobacco Use
Week 6	Reading assignments and topics:

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	Chapter 16, Over-the-Counter Analgesics Chapter 17, Chemicals and the Neonate Chapter 18, Gender and Substance Use Disorders
Week 7	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 19, Hidden Faces of Substance Use Disorders: Chapter 20, Substance Misuse by Children and Adolescents Chapter 21, Substance Use and Substance Use Disorders in College Students
Week 8	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 22, Substance Use Disorders and the Older Adult Chapter 23: Substance Use Disorders and the Family Chapter 24: Codependency and Enabling
Week 9	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 25, The Client with Co-Occurring Disorders Chapter 26: The Biopsychosocial Model of the Addictions Chapter 27: The Substance Use Disorders as a Disease of the Human Spirit
Week 10	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 28, The Assessment of Suspected Substance Use Disorders Chapter 29, Intervention Chapter 30, Treatment Settings
Week 11	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 31, The Treatment of Substance Use Disorders Chapter 32, The Process of Treatment Chapter 33, Pharmacological Interventions for Substance Use Disorders
Week 12	Reading assignments and topics: Chapter 34, Relapse and Other Problems Frequently Encountered in Substance Rehabilitation Chapter 35, Support Groups to Promote and Sustain Recovery
Week 13	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 36, Substance Use Disorders and Infectious Disease
Week 14	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 37, The Debate over Drugs
Week 15	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 38, The Debate over Legalization
Week 16	Final Exam