SRMT 6381  
Certifications Therapeutic Recreation

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Textbook: Online Resources and Course Handouts

Course Description: Course is an overview of certification programs for Therapeutic Recreation. Investigation into certificate and certification options for TR specialization that could be done post baccalaureate or in conjunction with a master’s degree in recreation. Designed to help interested students in expanding knowledge acquisition to work within special program designs. These include:

a. Discussion of various TR program designs and differences.
b. Extended research and presentations.

Methods such as readings and research, discussions and program design analysis will be incorporated. The major goals will be to develop the extensive knowledge base on certificate and certification programs for interested professionals to improve their abilities to work with special populations in special settings.

Objectives:
1. Become familiar with a wide variety of Therapeutic Recreation Certificate and Certification programs.
2. Develop a working knowledge of TR certificates and certifications that can be used for general academics or personal professional development in the future.

Requirements:
60% 1. Create a portfolio including three certificate programs and three certification programs.

20% 2. Develop a Bibliography of relevant books and journal which can be used as resources in TR

10% 3. Outline three related articles from three different journals, webinar, or websites.

*It is recommended all graduate students have a copy of the Published Manual of the American Psychological Association (APA) 4th edition for reference during their graduate studies as this is the professional writing styled used in our professions and acceptable in all CSRF classes.