

Special Studies B48: Disability Management Course Sequence Spring 2009a

Date	Curriculum	Assignment Due
Jan 19	MLK Holiday – No School	
Jan 21	Syllabus, course sequence, SLOs, Portfolio, assignments. “Students with Dis Prepare...”	
Jan 26	Historical perspective, disability laws; ADA brochure, Q & A on 504 & ADA handout; “A Little History Worth Knowing” video	Read “Students with Disabilities Prepare...”; Register for BC computer account
Jan 28	Disabilities: functional limitations; Blind Woman Story; Elizabeth Kubler-Ross: Stages of Acceptance	#1 Summarize disability-related legal issues in higher education
Feb 2	Mitigating measures; Academic Journal & Scheduling brochures; DSPS Planner; “People with Disabilities at Work” video	#2 List your disability-related functional limitations
Feb 4	Academic adjustments & accommodations in college; Course sub; Test Guidelines	#3 Identify mitigating measures you can take to limit the effects of your disability
Feb 9	Job/community accommodations; Job Accommodations handout & activity; Disability Language handout	#4 Explain your accommodations at BC and justify any additional ones you think you need
Feb 11	College knowledge activity & on-line videos; DARE to Care website	#5 Address job accommodations: Who, what, when, where, how
Feb 16	Washington Day Holiday – No School	
Feb 18	Midterm exam	
Feb 23	Go over midterm; Study Groups brochure; ADA Law Suits; Disability Etiquette handout	#6 College knowledge signatures & summarize facts from 3 on-line video
Feb 25	BC Student Handbook and DSPS Student Handbook Activity in Lieu of Class	
Mar 2	10 Commandments Video & handout Fundamentals of disability research; Tape Recording brochure	Extra Credit: Hunt for Handbook Info Activity
Mar 4	Professional orgs & community resources; Chart: Local/Nat’l Interview handout	#7 Research: Differentiate facts from myths about your disability
Mar 9	Self advocacy: How to handle disputes; rights & responsibilities – role playing activity	#8 Interview a support group or organization representative
Mar 11	Share <u>Disability Management Portfolios</u> & Complete Course Evaluation	Disability Management Portfolio (counts as final exam)

Spring 2009 Term: Jan 19 – May 15

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Feb 13 & 16 – Lincoln & Washington Day Holidays

April 6-10 – Spring Break

May 11-15 – Final Exam Schedule

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