Sinclair Community College
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# Master Syllabus

## ALH 1101 - Introduction to Healthcare Delivery

**Division:** Health Sciences

**Department:** Allied Health

**Credit Hour Total:** 2.0 **Lecture Hrs:** 1.0 **Lab Hrs:** 3.0

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## Course Description:

Orientation to the health care delivery system, including history, economics, medical/legal issues, professionalism, ethics, sociological aspects and wellness concepts. Orientation to the use of technology in the health care system will also be provided, including user interfaces, telecommunications and networks. The development of health care team skills, including critical thinking and problem-solving strategies and multicultural health care perspectives, will be presented. One classroom, three lab hours per week.

## General Education Outcomes:

- Written Communication
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving
- Computer Literacy
- Information Literacy

## Course Outcomes:

**Allied Health Professions and Professionalism**
Demonstrate an appreciation for, and knowledge of, interrelationships among allied health disciplines.

**Assessment Method:** Written surveys and/or questionnaires
**Performance Criteria:** 70% on written paper

**Components of Healthful Living**
Identify the key components of healthful living that reflect an appreciation for the community at large and self with regards to the promotion of healthy lifestyles.

**Assessment Method:** Performance appraisals
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on given rubric

**Technology of Healthcare**
Describe technology-based allied health applications in hospitals, community health agencies, education and research.

**Assessment Method:** Performance appraisals
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on performance rubric

**Principles of Medicolegal Issues**
Identify basic principles of medicolegal issues in healthcare delivery including proprietary software, data security, information privacy and confidentiality.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on given rubric

**Knowledge of Healthcare Economics**
Demonstrate the knowledge of how economics impact healthcare.

**Assessment Method:** Focus groups
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on given rubric

**Critical Thinking in Healthcare**
Demonstrate effective critical thinking and problem-solving strategies for quality healthcare delivery.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on given rubric

**Dynamics of Society and Healthcare**
Critically analyze of the dynamics between society and their relationship with healthcare.

**Assessment Method:** Performance appraisals
**Performance Criteria:** 70% or better on given rubric

## Outline:

Basic Computer Skills and the Internet
History of Healthcare
Communication in Healthcare
Allied Health Professions and Professionalism
Critical Thinking in Healthcare
Healthcare and Society
Medical Law and Ethics
Economics of Healthcare
Technology of Healthcare