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| Sociology of Health |
| **Faculty** | Faculty of Arts |
| **Home Department** | Anthropology and Sociology |
| **Module Topic** | Sociology of Health |
| **Generic Module Name** | Sociology 232 |
| **Alpha-numeric Code** | SOC 232 |
| **NQF Level** | 6 |
| **NQF Credit Value** | 10 |
| **Duration** | Semester |
| **Proposed Semester** | 2nd Semester |
| **Programme** |  |
| **Year Level** | 2 |
| **Main Outcomes** | • Student will become familiar with social patterns of health & illness. • Student will be introduced to various theoretical perspectives on health • Students will understand what the determinants of health/illness are. • Students will acquire a knowledge for some of the health issues in South Africa • Students will become familiar with the impact of gender relations on health • Issues such as adolescent health and obesity will also be discussed  |
| **Main Content** | • An examination of determinants of and theoretical perspectives on health • An examination of health and health issues in South Africa context • Poverty and its alleviation • adolescent health • Impact of obesity on health  |
| **Pre-requisite Modules** | None |
| **Co-requisite Modules** | None |
| **Prohibited Module Combo** | None |
| **Breakdown of Learning** | 1. **Hours**
 | 1. **Time-Table Requirement per Week**
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| *Contact with Lecturer/Tutor* | 42 | Lectures p.w. | 2 |
| *Assignments and Tasks* | 30 | Practicals p.w. |  |
| *Practicals* |  | Tutorials p.w. | 1 |
| *Tutorial* |  |  |  |
| *Self-Study* | 26 |  |  |
| *Tests/Examinations* | 2 |  |  |
| *Other: Project/Essay* |  |  |  |
| **Total Learning Time** | 100 |  |  |
| **Method of Assessment** | Assignments, Test, TutorialExamination | 60%40% |  |
| **Assessment Module Type** |  |  |