

Course Name: REC253 Practicum: Recreation Therapist Assistant
Credit Value: 6
Prerequisite Course: None

Course Description

This course offers students 200 hours of practical experiences and specialized training relating to therapeutic recreation. Students will organize and supervise activities and special events. In addition, students will visit a variety of therapeutic recreation facilities, acquire valuable volunteer experiences, and attend a career workshop.

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Course Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course, the student will have reliably demonstrated the ability to:

1. **Develop and supervise therapeutic recreation related programs.**
 - 1.1 Assist agencies and organizations in the delivery of therapeutic programs activities.
 - 1.2 Plan and deliver a therapeutic program and a special event.
 - 1.3 Evaluate personal practicum learning experiences.

2. **Complete volunteer experience.**

- 2.1 Identify volunteer opportunities within the college and community.
- 2.2 Volunteer with a therapeutic recreation agency.
- 2.3 Reflect on volunteer experiences.

3. **Describe the programs and services offered by a variety of therapeutic recreation agencies.**

- 3.1 Participate in visits to local and area therapeutic recreation facilities.
- 3.2 Explain the organizational and operational aspects of therapeutic recreation agencies.
- 3.3 Establish a network of therapeutic recreation professionals.

4. **Attend a career workshop.**

- 4.1 Participate in a one-day career workshop.

Evaluation Strategy

Grading System

A+ Honours	90-100%										
A+	85-89%	B+	75-79%	C+	65-69%	D+	55-59%	R	Repeat	U	Unsatisfactory
A	80-84%	B	70-74%	C	60-64%	D	50-54%	S	Successful	I	Incomplete

*For a complete detailed description please refer to the *Academic Calendar*.

Student Success

(Dial 5185 for Campus Life or 5301 for the Aboriginal Learning Unit)

Canadore is committed to Student Success and offers CONFIDENTIAL services to help you in your studies.

- Counselling helps with academic, career and personal/crisis issues.
- AccessAbility Services will accommodate you if you have physical, mobility, visual, auditory, medical and/or learning disabilities.
- Health Centre provides services to you in case of illness.
- Career Services offers career advice, resume and interviewing workshops.

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