A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 4
Lecture Hours/Week: *.*
Lab Hours/Week: *.*
OJT Hours/Week: 12
Prerequisites: None
Corequisites: None
MnTC Goals: None

This course provides the student with a purposeful occupational experience. The internship is an individualized experience. Site selection is based on each student's area of interest in conjunction with the instructor's approval to provide experience related to the skills and knowledge acquired in the program. One credit of internship is equal to 48 hours. It is offered to promote professionalism and enhance leadership skills. The focus of the internship program is to allow students to integrate and apply skills and knowledge gained in the actual work environment. A background check from the work site must be on file. Prerequisite: Instructor permission.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 01/06/2004 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Identify & document various styles of observations & assessments.
2. Demonstrate communication skills for communicating with person needing support, peers and professionals.
3. Develop plans for consumers, families, organizations and others to plan goals that support solutions.
5. Design & evaluate a support plan including behavior modification & psychotropic medication monitoring.
6. Utilize knowledge, including theory, effective practices, ethics & interagency cooperation, to uphold professional work.
7. Implement plans that reduce negative behaviors and make environmental adaptations.
8. Demonstrate team work within the site and community.
9. Demonstrate a personal philosophy that reflects ethical values and responsibility to Human Service profession.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. The learner will demonstrate skill standards in the field.
2. The learner will demonstrate their understanding of invention strategies.
3. The learner will demonstrate skills to enhance client's self-determination.
4. The learner will demonstrate professionalism on the job.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus
G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted