## WISCONSIN INDIANHEAD TECHNICAL COLLEGE ALLIED HEALTH STUDENT HANDBOOK

# Test-Taking

### ASSUMPTIONS:

- 1. Students will have read all assigned material prior to coming to class.
- 2. Students will receive access to a copy of the course competencies, learning objectives, and course grading requirements at the beginning of the course.
- 3. All exam questions are based on course learning objectives.
- 4. All handouts, assigned readings, and media are sources of exam questions.
- 5. All of the course outcome summary (competencies, learning objectives and required readings/media) may not be covered in class, but will be considered testable material.

#### **INSTRUCTOR'S ROLE:**

- 1. Provide content covered in class and indicate which additional content, readings, and media is considered testable material.
- 2. Make available all required media for review.
- 3. Present additional/supplementary material, when available.
- 4. Provide an explanation and/or blueprint of content in the exam prior to the test date.

#### SUGGESTIONS FOR TEST-TAKING

- 1. Read a book on test-taking skills, available in the Academic Support Center at WITC.
- 2. Take each objective line up content of outline that is relevant to it. Look up page numbers in the book that covers it. Make your own outline of the material.
- 3. Pay attention to any key words in an objective like "occupation based."
- 4. Look at any review books that would let you practice answering questions, if this is an area you are weak in.
- 5. Do some relaxation techniques to help you feel less overwhelmed by the volume of material.
- 6. The Academic Support Center can be of assistance to you if you are having test-taking problems.

- 7. Ask questions early on within each lesson, allowing for sufficient time to seek clarification on concepts, strategies and expectations prior to deadlines.
- 8. The Program Director/Student Advisor/instructor(s) are here to help you, don't hesitate to ask for help if it's needed.

## GOOD LUCK!