



Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

PLT 160 General Practice Survey

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is an introduction to common areas of legal practice undertaken by sole practitioners and small firms. Students will examine civil and criminal litigation, as well as transactional matters.

PREREQUISITES: *Program Admission*

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. To comprehend the legal terminology, key concepts, and functions related to the general practice of law.
2. To develop skills to enable the student to provide assistance to attorneys, particularly those in solo/private practice.
3. To develop the ability to match the appropriate professional resources with general practice areas.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A

80%-89.9%= B

70%-79.9%= C

60%-69.9%= D

<60% = E