Victim Studies, Undergraduate Certificate

Overview of Victimology and Victim Services

Goal Description:

The Undergraduate Certificate in Victim Studies provides students and professionals with an overview of victimology and victim services.

Providing Department: Victim Studies, Undergraduate Certificate

RELATED ITEMS/ELEMENTS -----

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 1

Marketable Skills In Victim Studies

Learning Objective Description:

Upon completion of the Undergraduate Certificate in Victim Studies, students will understand the victim experience and be equipped to help victims through the criminal justice system in an empathetic and compassionate way.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 2

Knowledge Check VCST 3351 Victim Service Delivery

Indicator Description:

Knowledge check in Blackboard for VCST 3351 Victim Service Delivery

Criterion Description:

80% of students completing the knowledge check in Blackboard will complete the check with a minimum of 70%.

Findings Description:

No data collected - there were no students enrolled in the Victim Studies Undergraduate Certificate program in 2022-2023.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3

Recruitment of students

Action Description:

Targeted recruitment efforts are underway for the Victim Studies Undergraduate Certificate Program. Students who have completed a minimum of 1 required certificate course have been identified and encouraged to enroll in the program. Emails were sent to these students that included new marketing materials and instructions on how to enroll in the program. The list of students was also shared with Academic Advisors in the SAM Center to help with recruitment.

New Update to Previous Cycle's Plan for Continuous Improvement Item

Previous Cycle's Plan For Continuous Improvement (Do Not Modify):

New unit, no previous PCI

Update of Progress to the Previous Cycle's PCI:

New unit, no previous PCI

New Plan for Continuous Improvement Item

Closing Summary:

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Assessment efforts will also be reviewed to identify additional Learning Objectives and Indicators.

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