



EFFECTIVE: SEPTEMBER 2004
CURRICULUM GUIDELINES

A: Division: **INSTRUCTIONAL** Effective Date: **SEPTEMBER 2004**

B: Department / **PSYCHOLOGY** Revision New Course
 Program Area: **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES**

If Revision, Section(s) Revised: **C, J**
 Date of Previous Revision: **MAY 2001**
 Date of Current Revision: **APRIL 2004**

C: PSYC 1100 D: AN INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY (1) E: 3

| Subject & Course No. | Descriptive Title | Semester Credits |
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| F: | Calendar Description: Psychology 1100 provides an introduction to selected areas in the field psychology. Emphasis is placed on psychology as a natural science | |

M: Course Objectives / Learning Outcomes

At the conclusion of the course the successful student will be able to:

1. Define psychology, and give examples of different kinds of phenomena that psychologist study.
2. Identify areas of specialization and list and describe the major perspectives in psychology.
3. Describe the experimental methodology and statistical approaches used in contemporary psychology.
4. Outline the major divisions and subdivisions of the nervous system and their relation to behaviour.

Course Content Cont'd.

6. States of Consciousness
 - Methodological issues
 - Daydreaming
 - Sleep and dreams
 - Hypnosis

R: Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition: specify whether course is open for PLAR

No. Given that this course involves analyses of introductory Psychology theory and concepts, 5(ctor)-4(y Psycho)-5(1o7nir,th