

The University of Western Ontario  
School of Health Studies

Health Sciences 4250a: Population Health Intervention s

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Office Hours : Wednesday 10:30am-11:30am or by appointment

Course Day/Time/Room : Mondays 9:30am-11:30am and Wednesdays 9:30am-10:30am, HSB-240 (HSB: Health Sciences Building)

Prerequisite Checking

Unless you have either the requisites for this course or written special permission from your Dean to enroll in it, you may be removed from this course and it will be deleted from your record. This decision may not be appealed. You will receive no adjustment to your fees in the event that you are dropped from a course for failing to have the necessary prerequisites.

Prerequisites: Health Sciences 2250A/B, Registration in the third or fourth year of the School of Health Studies

Antirequisite(s): Health Sciences 4091A, section 001 if taken in Fall 2011 or Intersession 2012.

Extra Information: 3 lecture hours, 0.5 course.

See [www.westerncalendar.uwo.ca](http://www.westerncalendar.uwo.ca) for further details.

Course Information :

This course will focus on learning and understanding population health interventions strategies and research applied to changing psychological, social,

You will be expected to attend the lectures, complete the readings in advance of

Part B: Intervention Proposal and Video Clip (25%). Each member of the group must be assigned to

## TENTATIVE COURSE SCHEDULE

<u>WEEK</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>	<u>READINGS</u>
1	September 8 (M)	Introduction to the Course What is Population Health?	Readings on OWL for Week 1

This schedule is subject to changes. I will notify you immediately of any changes.

Grading scheme:

I use the format provided below for grading, which is the university-wide scale that has been approved by the UWO Senate.

A+	90-100	Exceptional
A	80-89	Superior work, above average.
B	70-79	Good work, meeting all requirements, and eminently satisfactory.
C	60-69	Competent work, meeting requirements.
D	50-59	Fair work, minimally acceptable.
F	below 50	Fail

### OWL

I will post all reading material and assignments on OWL.

### Contacting Me

You can contact me either by email, in class, during office hours or by appointment. Please avoid sending me a message or submitting assignments on OWL, as it can be temperamental sometimes and not work. I will answer emails until 4pm each day. Emails received after 4pm will be answered the next morning. If you have not received a response email from me within 24 hours, please resend your email.

### Policies

#### Late Material

All assignments must be turned in on time. Please submit both an electronic copy to my UWO email ([tmlandry@uwo.ca](mailto:tmlandry@uwo.ca)) and a hard copy of your assignments

automatic 5% deduction if not handed in by the end of class on the assigned due date and a subsequent 10% deducted for every 24-hr period after the due date, including weekends. If you do not write the final exam on the regularly scheduled exam date and time, you will be required to see an academic counsellor in Health Studies to discuss your reasons and provide documentation. If you receive academic accommodation, you will be required to write a make-up final exam. If you have any specific questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask me. If

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subsequently submitted to the system. Use of the service is subject to the licensing agreement, currently between The University of Western Ontario and Turnitin.com (<http://www.turnitin.com> ).

2. Computer-marked multiple-choice tests and/or exams may be subject to submission for similarity review by software that will check for unusual coincidences in answer patterns that may indicate cheating.

### Support Services

There are various support services around campus and these include, but are not limited to:

1. Student Development Centre -- <http://www.sdc.uwo.ca/ssd/>
2. Student Health --  
<http://www.shs.uwo.ca/student/studenthealthservices.html>
3. Registrar's Office- <http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/>
4. Ombuds Office -- <http://www.uwo.ca/ombuds/>

### Creating a "healthy" classroom

Teaching and learning is a two-way process and to ensure the best and most productive experience for us all I ask that we all be considerate of the following: arrive on time, do not be disruptive, respect one another, be attentive, and be willing to challenge yourself. Behavior during class such as talking during lectures, wearing headphones, using cell phones, facebooking, emailing, texting and surfing the Internet for non-class purposes is considered disrespectful and disruptive behavior. The professor will use her discretion in deciding the best way to deal with any situation that may arise.