



Broward Community College

Course Outline

STATUS: A

COMMON COURSE NUMBER: CJE 2723

COURSE TITLE: Test Construction and Semantics (Personnel Screening)

CREDIT HOURS: 3

CONTACT HOURS BREAKDOWN:

Lecture/Discussion 48

Lab 00

Other 00

Contact Hours/Week 3

CATALOG COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Prerequisite: None

Corequisite: None

The construction of test questions appropriate to the personnel screening aspect of the polygraph is emphasized.

General Education Requirements - Associate of Arts Degree, meets Area(s):

General Education Requirements - Associate in Science Degree, meets Area(s): 6

UNIT TITLES:

1. Basic Test Question Construction in Personnel Screening
2. Symptomatic Question Construction in Personnel Screening

I. Course Overview:

Upon successful completion of this course, the students will understand the proper methods of constructing test questions as they pertain to personnel screening.

II. Units:

Unit 1. Basic Test Question Construction in Personnel Screening.

General Outcome:

- 1.0 The students will know basic test question construction as well as special tests pertaining to personnel screening.

Specific Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this unit, the students should be able to:

- 1.1 Define the purpose of specific question formulation in personnel screening.
- 1.2 Present six types of question formulation in relation to basic tests in personnel screening.
- 1.3 Present five types of special tests as they pertain to personnel screening.

Unit 2. Symptomatic Question Construction in Personnel Screening

General Outcome:

- 2.0 The students will know symptomatic test question construction and use as they pertain to personnel screening.

Specific Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this unit, the students should be able to:

- 2.1 Define the purpose of symptomatic test question construction in personnel screening.
- 2.2 Demonstrate the use of symptomatic test question construction in personnel screening.