

## Course Outcomes Guide (COG)

**Course Title:** HIM 203 Health Law and Bioethics

**Date:** Spring 2019

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### Expected Learning Outcomes

1. Explain why health information management professionals must be knowledgeable about medico-legal issues.
2. Describe general legal principles governing access to confidential health information in a variety of circumstances.
3. Describe the components of negligence, fraud, abuse, and compliance programs.
4. Identify major resources for locating information on laws, rules, regulations, and standards related to health information including the HIPAA Privacy Rule.
5. Explain and apply HIPAA rules in administrative simplification, transactions, and security.
6. Application of regulatory policies and procedures in the health information field.
7. Identify risks with regard to disclosure, storage, and retrieval of health information.
8. Apply ethical standards to case scenarios and discussions.
9. Differentiate between civil and criminal law.
10. Summarize the rights of patients and third parties to access medical records information, including sensitive information such as alcohol and drug abuse patient records and psychiatric records.
11. Apply confidentiality and security measures to protect health information either in a paper-based or electronic format.
12. Identify and discuss the major ethical principles that direct health information.
13. Interpret professional values and obligations inherent in the American Health Information Management Code of Ethics.

### Assessment

Assessments include fifteen end of chapter review questions (20% of overall grade), fifteen define key terms (5% of overall grade), case studies (30% of overall grade), two chapter quizzes (25% of overall grade), and one cumulative final examination (20% of overall grade). Students are required to achieve an overall grade of 75% or better.

Chapter Review Questions	20%
Define Key Terms	5%

Case studies	30%
Quizzes	25%
Final	20%

### **Validation**

This is a didactic and laboratory course, in which the majority of the grade is determined by the completion of course assessments with a goal of 100% of students achieving an average of 75% or higher. By completing this course, students will achieve the objectives as mandated by the accreditation standards set forth by Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM).

### **Results**

These results are based on 1 student who was enrolled in this course during the Spring, 2019 semester. The results are as follows:

<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Course Average</u>
Chapter Review Questions	100%
Define Key Terms	100%
Case studies	100%
Quizzes	100%
Final	100%

1 student (100%) successfully passed HIM 203 with 75% or greater.

### **Follow-up**

Evaluation of CAHIIM competencies as well as quizzes and final exam scores will be used to evaluate outcomes success. Those findings will be used to make necessary changes to curriculum.

### **Budget Justification**

No changes are needed at this point.