

## SOC2210 - Social Deviance

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	This course is a sociological examination of significant rule-making and rule-breaking that surveys explorations/explanations of non-conformity relevant to juvenile delinquency, crime, health and environmental welfare, mental illness, sexual violence, substance abuse and certain other non-normative lifestyles
Prerequisites:	• SOC1111
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Gather factual evidence regarding trends in and degrees of social deviance.</li> <li>2. Examine alternative or competing explanations regarding the nature and frequency of social deviance.</li> <li>3. Investigate the logical connections among the facts, goals, and implicit assumptions relevant to the issue of social deviance.</li> <li>4. Recognize various policy decisions and their effects on the issue of social deviance.</li> <li>5. Measure the correlates of deviant behavior.</li> <li>6. Employ the methods and data that sociologists use to understand social deviance.</li> <li>7. Apply knowledge of the effects of social institutions from a historical context on the issue of social deviance.</li> <li>8. Discuss alternative explanations or solutions in contemporary social deviance.</li> <li>9. Analyze current and historical concepts in sociological theory pertaining to social deviance.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	5. History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences 7A. Human Diversity

\*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.