

Course Title & Number: PHL – 112 Medical Ethics

Competency Area: **APPRECIATION OF THE ETHICAL DIMENSIONS OF HUMANKIND** (Goal: Students will identify ethical principles that guide individual and collective actions and apply those principles to the analysis of contemporary social and political problems.)

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[Instructions: *Please match the Learning Outcomes in the left hand column to those of the course you are submitting for Gen Ed approval. List the corresponding course outcomes in the right hand column to indicate a match.***]**

BOR TAP's Learning Outcomes	Corresponding Outcomes for Course Named Above
1. Recognize and reflect critically on ethical issues.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Communicate the major ethical theories and explain their assumptions• Summarize the general features (and limitations) of current medical issues
2. Apply appropriate concepts and terminology in identifying ethical problems and proposing and defending solutions to them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identify the moral questions that medical practice and the health issues raise• Identity the key values of medical decision-making
3. Apply standards and practices of scholarship, research, and documentation to defend positions and beliefs, including reevaluating beliefs in light of unforeseen implications or new evidence.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evaluate specific medical cases, and accept or reject their outcomes• Write a clear, sound, and effective paper on a particular moral dilemma using a variety of resources (i.e. internet, journals, books, etc...)
4. Recognize the value of creative, collaborative, and innovative approaches to problem-solving, including the ability to acknowledge differing points of view.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identity the key values of medical decision-making• Apply various ethical theories to the fundamental topics in medical ethics in order to critically evaluate one's own moral stance on a medical issue, and to better appreciate differing points of view.
	<p><i>Additional Outcomes</i></p> <p>Apply moral reasoning skills to specific situations and defend the conclusions of that reasoning</p>