

Experiential Learning (20%)

Each student will attend one hour of a Virtual Clinic per week (10 weeks total). The course instructor will oversee the Virtual Clinic experience; however, the full-time certified athletic therapist, kinesiologist, physiotherapist, or chiropractor will supervise the Virtual Clinic.

The experiential learning portion of this course will be held virtually. You will attend a Virtual Clinic which will involve a variety of case series and/or injury assessment videos to view over the 10 weeks of experiential learning. You will review the content for the weekly Virtual Clinic, and you will meet weekly for 1 hour of a Virtual Clinic discussion with your group and a clinician. You will also complete weekly reflections for your Virtual Clinic attendance. The experiential learning will occur weekly from September 14 - November 27 (excluding Reading Week). For the weekly Virtual Clinic, we will use Microsoft Teams. Each week content will be uploaded in the Virtual Clinic Teams Channel. You will log on to the Virtual Clinic to review the content before your weekly Virtual Clinic hour with the clinician; during your weekly Virtual Clinic hour you will discuss the content of the case series/videos. Attendance in the weekly Virtual Clinic hour will be a way to augment what we are learning in lecture/lab for an authentic dialog with a clinician who performs these skills during their daily interactions with patients. This dialog will help to develop your clinical reasoning skills.

Each week the student is expected to learn new skills in lecture and lab that can be discussed/applied under the direction of the supervisor when in the Virtual Clinic. During the course of the term, the student is expected to actively engage virtually in the Virtual Clinic's operation. The course instructor will communicate which skills have been completed in lecture and lab with the Virtual Clinic supervisors to ensure understanding of the skills students should be able to engage in while in the Virtual Clinic. As skills are learned the student will begin to feel more comfortable, and greater challenges (assigned tasks) will be required leading to greater learning opportunities and greater rewards. It is important to be actively engaged while you are in the Virtual Clinic as this will provide you with a more meaningful experience.

Please use the etherpad titled "Virtual Clinic Hours Sign Up Sheet" posted on Sakai to sign up for one hour per week. Click the etherpad tab on the left and here you will see the "Virtual Clinic Hours Sign Up Sheet". Please make sure to sign up for different Virtual Clinic timeslots for each week as this will allow you the opportunity to interact with different clinicians and classmates. Also, please try to avoid signing up for a Virtual Clinic time slot which starts or ends near a class time or other commitment that you need to attend so that you can stay for the entire hour of your Virtual Clinic each week.

Please note if you are going to miss your Virtual Clinic for a sickness please email me (nchimera@brocku.ca). In the event that you are unable to attend your Virtual Internship, please work with me to reschedule your Virtual Clinic hour.

Pre-Experiential Learning goals and log sheet will be graded out of 10 based on completion. Weekly journal and final summative journal will be graded with the Critical Reflection rubric on Sakai. One mark will be deducted for each day that each piece (goals, weekly journal, log sheet, and final summative journal) is turned in late, unless prior arrangement is made with the instructor or medical documentation is provided.

Pre-Experiential Learning goals - Please submit at least three goals that you would like

to achieve during your Virtual Clinic engagement. *Please submit goals as a word document attachment. Due by 11:55PM on September 13th.*

Weekly journal - Each week the student will submit a reflective journal (1-page max) based on his/her one-hour Virtual Clinic experience. Ten total weekly journal entries should be submitted. Weekly journals will be averaged together for a final weekly journal grade. Please see the information available on Sakai to facilitate reflective journal writing. *Please submit weekly journals as a word document attachment. Please submit weekly reflective journal through Sakai by Friday at 11:55PM.*

Log sheet - Please use the hours log sheet available on Sakai for record of your Virtual Clinic hours. Please print the log sheet and fill in the date and time of each of your Virtual Clinic hours by week. Please make sure to record your sign in and sign out time in the chat on Teams. Please submit your log sheet as an attachment through Sakai at the end of the term. **Due by 11:55PM on December 4th.**

Final summative journal - Please complete a summative journal entry (2-4 pages in length) that discusses how you met your Pre-Experiential Learning goals and reflects on what you have learned over the course of the term. You may wish to use your weekly reflective journal entries to see how you have progressed over the course of the term. *Please submit final summative journal as a word document attachment. Due by 11:55PM on December 4th.*