ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY

4. List examples of the various methods that psychologists use to assess and diagnose abnormal behavior and examples of the types of information that

5. Identify the most common disorders included in the DSM, including the

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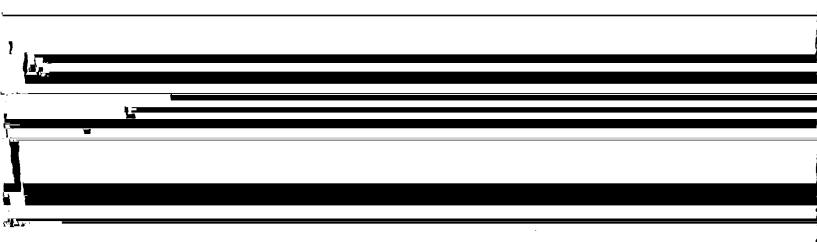After paying, you will have the option to purchase a physical book at a discounted

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Computer Skill Requirements

All students should be comfortable and able to navigate online. If you do not have strong computer skills, I do not recommend taking this course. A basic level of

- It is expected that you will explore all the multimedia materials associated with each chapter.

and grammar and that use should refrain from using informal speech (e.g., abbreviations) and language.

Technical Assistance: I am not a computer expert. Therefore, if you are having technical problems, please contact the eLearning Help Desk number 866-886-5336 or use the online chat system.

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Note: To figure out how many points you earned on each exam divide the number of items you answered correctly by 60 and then multiply that number by 100. To get your final grade for the class, total the number of points you have earned (for the exams and discussion questions), divide that total by 631, and multiply by 100 – then find this value in the table above to convert to a letter grade.

Note: I reserve the right to curve the final grades; however, this process will not result in a final grade lower than that indicated in the table.

Exams: There will be **4 exams (100 points each exam)**. Each exam will consist of 60 multiple-choice questions drawn from the text and lectures (including media presentations). You will have an hour to complete each exam. This gives you 1 minute per question (the norm for internet course exams). You will <u>not</u> have time to use your notes or book, so you will need to prepare as you would for an in-class exam. You must take the exam on one of the two days that are designated. You will have from 12:00 am day 1 until 11:55 pm on day 2 to complete the exam (see course calendar for exam dates). You can only take the exam once, not on both

...with... demonstrate knowledge of the material and critical thinking) will receive a

Exam 1 – This exam may be taken anytime September 13th or 14th (Thursday or Friday) from 12:00 a.m. Thursday to 11:59 p.m. Friday.

SESSION 2 – CHAPTERS 5, 6, 8 (eating disorders only)

In this session we will begin the discussion of specific disorders. We will cover the anxiety disorders, somatoform and dissociative disorders, and eating disorders.