

COURSE DETAIL

RISK BEHAVIOR AND ADDICTION IN ADOLESCENCE

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Utrecht University

Program(s)

Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

103

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

RISK BEHAVIOR AND ADDICTION IN ADOLESCENCE

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The focus of this course is on gaining a better understanding of theories and research on adolescent risk behaviors that may develop into substance (e.g. smoking, drinking, cannabis use, use of illicit drugs) or behavioral addictions (e.g. internet-related problems, gambling disorder, eating disorder).

Attention is given to the prevention and treatment of these problems. The effects of substance abuse, other appetitive behaviors, and addiction to these substances or behaviors is covered. Students apply the acquired theoretical and empirical knowledge when analyzing social youth issues and they reflect on possible policy or intervention practices that may help to prevent social youth issues.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

201800007

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Interdisciplinary Social Sciences

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