Faculty	Management and Social Sciences
Department	Sociology
Course Title	**SAFTEY MANAGEMENT FOR LOSS PREVENTION**
Year of Study	3
Course Code	CSS 317
Credit Hours	2
Contact Hours	30
Mode of Delivery	Classroom Lectures

Mode of Assessment	Weight%
Continuous Assessment	30%
Final Examination	70%
Total	100%

Course Lecture/Instructor	Mr. A. A. AJIBADE
Course Description	This course is designed to provide a comprehensive understanding of safety management principles and loss prevention strategies within the context of the hospitality industry. Students will explore various topics related to ensuring the safety and security of guests, employees, and assets in hospitality establishments. By the end of the course, participants will be equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively manage and mitigate risks associated with safety and security concerns in hospitality settings.
Course Objectives	At the end of this course students should have a comprehensive understanding of safety management principles and loss prevention strategies within the context of the hospitality industry. Students will explore various topics related to ensuring the safety and security of guests, employees, and assets in hospitality establishments. By the end of the course, participants will be equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively manage and mitigate risks associated with safety and security concerns in hospitality settings.
Learning Outcomes	At the end of this course students will have a comprehensive understanding of safety management principles and loss prevention strategies within the context of the hospitality industry. Students will explore various topics related to ensuring the safety and security of guests, employees, and assets in hospitality establishments. By the end of the course, participants will be equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively manage and mitigate risks associated with safety and security concerns in hospitality settings.
Teaching and Learning	The class will meet for two hours each week. Class time will be used for a combination of lectures and practical sessions
Detailed Course Content	comprehensive understanding of safety management principles and loss prevention strategies within the context of the hospitality industry. Students will explore various topics related to ensuring the safety and security of guests, employees, and assets in hospitality establishments. By the end of the course, participants will be equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively manage and mitigate risks associated with safety and security concerns in hospitality settings.

Course Content Sequencing

Weeks	Detailed Course Outline	Allocated Time
Week 1	**Introduction to Safety and Security** Definition and importance of safety and security. Key concepts in loss prevention. Understanding the role of safety management in hospitality.	2 hours
Week 2	**Security in the Hospitality Industry** Overview of security concerns in the hospitality sector. Impact of security on guest experience and reputation.	2 hours

		Case studies highlighting security breaches and their consequences.	
Week 3		**Security Equipment and Procedures** Types of security equipment used in hospitality establishments. Development and implementation of security procedures. Addressing guest concerns and ensuring their safety.	2 hours
Week 4		**Departmental Responsibilities in Guest and Asset Protection** Roles of different departments in ensuring guest and asset protection. Coordination and communication among departments. Best practices for maintaining a secure environment.	2 hours
Week 5		**Protection of Funds** Importance of securing financial transactions in hospitality. Cash handling procedures and controls. Technology solutions for secure financial transactions.	2 hours
Week 6		**Emergency Management** Developing an emergency response plan. Crisis communication strategies. Evacuation procedures and training.	2 hours
Week 7		**Safety in Lodging Properties** Identifying potential safety hazards in lodging facilities. Implementing safety measures in guest rooms and public areas. Compliance with safety regulations and standards.	2 hours
Week 8		**Insurance in the Hospitality Industry** Introduction to insurance and its role in risk management. Types of insurance relevant to the hospitality sector Benefits and limitations of insurance coverage.	2 hours
Week 9		**Different Types of Insurance in Hospitality** Property insurance: Coverage for physical assets. Liability insurance: Protection against legal claims Workers' compensation insurance: Employee injury coverage.	2 hours
Week 10		**Challenges of Insurance in the Hospitality Industry** Factors affecting insurance costs in hospitality. Claims management and mitigation strategies. Case studies of insurance-related challenges in the industry.	2 hours
Week 11		**Wrap-up and Future Trends** Review of key concepts covered throughout the course. Emerging trends in safety management and loss prevention. Strategies for continuous improvement in hospitality safety practices.	2 hours
Week 12			2 hours
Week 13			2 hours
Week 14		Examination	

Recommended Materials

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