

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

## Psychology 310 (SLK 310)

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Qualification		Undergraduate
Faculty		Faculty of Humanities
Module credits		30.00
Programmes		BA
		BA Audiology
		BA Law
		BA Speech-Language Pathology
		BSW
		BSc Human Physiology, Genetics and Psychology
Service modules		Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
		Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites		SLK 210(GS), SLK 220(GS)
Contact time		2 discussion classes per week, 2 lectures per week
Language of tuit	ion	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Department		Psychology
Period of presen	tation	Semester 1

## **Module content**

Identification of abnormal behaviour in children based on knowledge of normal childhood development; introduction to the study of various models pertaining to abnormal behaviour; understanding and application of basic concepts in child psychopathology. This module also provides an introduction to psychopathology and symptomatology of adult abnormal behaviour. Terminology, definitions of abnormal behaviour, problems in diagnosis, labelling, and myths regarding abnormal behaviour are discussed. Neurosis as a specific mental disorder is studied critically from a multidimensional perspective, including intrapsychic, interpersonal and social-cultural explanations.

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