Ethical Decision Making				
ULO: Students will model ethical decision-making processes.				
Element	Below Expectations	Developing	Proficient	Exemplary
Objective Statement 1: Students will identify ethical dilemmas and affected parties.				
Identify ethical issues in a given	Little or no recognition of	Identify one ethical issue	Identify multiple ethical	Identify multiple ethical
situation and the applicable values.	pertinent ethical issues.	with some reference to a	issues with some	issues with thorough
		moral/philosophical	discussion of the most	discussion of the values and
		framework.	important applicable values.	a framework for resolution.
Identify affected parties in a given situation.	Little or no recognition of affected parties.	Identify two affected parties and explain their connection to the issue.	Identify an extended set of stakeholders in the given situation and identify and discuss the implications to parties involved.	Identify an extended set of stakeholders in the given situation and discuss the full implications for those concerned and for society at large. Discuss future implications if the issue remains unchallenged/resolved.
Objective Statement 2: Students will apply ethical frameworks to resolve a variety of ethical dilemmas.				
Apply viable alternate courses of action	Identify only one course of	Identify at least two	Identify a wide set of	Identify a wide range of
and make and justify recommendations	action to consider with little	alternatives with some	alternatives with more	viable alternatives. Discuss
for successful resolution of ethical	or no discussion of the pros	discussion of pros and	complex discussion of	assumptions and
dilemmas.	and cons of the proposed	cons of the alternatives.	the merits of each.	implications of possible
	solution. Conclusion is	Conclusion may lack an	Provide logical and	actions. Clarify values and
	insufficient in reasoning	objective evaluation of	thorough arguments	trade-offs made in reaching
	and/or evidence.	alternatives and the	focusing primarily on	a conclusion. Demonstrate
		argument may be unclear.	supporting the	an understanding of how
			conclusion. Implications of decision are also	the decision will affect the
			discussed.	various stakeholders.