**Amarillo College Curriculum Map Template**

**Division:** Continuing Education

**Degree/Academic Program(s):** CRIJ.AAS.LENF, CJLE.CERT.LE and CRIJ.AS

**Person Responsible for Area/Title:** Toni Gray, Dean

**Component Director/Chair:** Eric Wallace, Director of Criminal Justice Programs

**Submission Date:** December 10, 2015

**Purpose/Mission Statement:** The mission of the Criminal Justice Department is to prepare students for employment in various areas of criminal justice and/or for the pursuit of advanced degrees in criminal justice or criminal justice-related fields by educating them in the fundamental concepts, knowledge, methods and skills utilized within the field of criminal justice.

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| **Goal #1**: To graduate students who are able to constructively examine the experiences of professionals in the field of criminal justice and apply knowledge learned therein when entering the workforce. |
| **Program-Specific Courses** | **PLO #1** | **PLO #2** |
|  | The student will demonstrate critical thinking skills through analyzing case studies and/or real-life scenarios in the areas of professionalism, ethics, interpersonal communication and real-world applications. | The student will effectively analyze and compare empirical data regarding issues in the field of criminal justice. |
| **CRIJ 1301 Introduction to Criminal Justice** | **I, D** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1306** **Court Systems and Practices** | **I, D** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1307** **Crime in America** | **I, D** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1310 Fundamentals of Criminal Law** | **I, D** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 2313 Correctional Systems and Practices** | **M** | **M** |
| **CRIJ 2314 Criminal Investigation** | **M** | **M** |
| **CRIJ 2328 Police Systems and Practices** | **M**. | **M** |

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| **Goal #2**: To graduate students who examine, discuss, participate and constructively communicate knowledge relating to ethical and social issues in criminal justice. |
| **Program-Specific Courses** | **PLO #1** |
|  | The student will evaluate the actions of criminal justice professionals as they relate to ethical and social issues within the parameters of the criminal justice process. |
| **CRIJ 1301 Introduction to Criminal Justice** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1306** **Court Systems and Practices** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1307** **Crime in America** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 1310 Fundamentals of Criminal Law** | **I, D** |
| **CRIJ 2313 Correctional Systems and Practices** | **M** |
| **CRIJ 2314 Criminal Investigation** | **M** |
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| **Goal #3**: To graduate students who will evaluate the impact of practical experience in the workplace and who can apply knowledge and demonstrate specific skills necessary for law enforcement. |
| **Program-Specific Courses** | **PLO #1** | **PLO #2** |
|  | The student will practice and demonstrate proficiency in the skills of Patrol Procedures, Mechanics of Arrest, Emergency Medical, Police Driving, Traffic Direction, Standardized Field Sobriety Testing, Firearms and Accident Investigation. | The student will memorize and recall the laws and rights outlined in the U.S. Constitution, Code of Criminal Procedure, and Texas Penal Code earning 70% accuracy on the TCOLE licensing examination.  |
| **CJLE 1506Basic Peace Officer I** | I, D, M | I, D, M |
| **CJLE 1512Basic Peace Officer II** | I, D, M | I, D, M |
| **CJLE 1518Basic Peace Officer III** | I, D, M | I, D, M |
| **CJLE 1524Basic Peace Officer IV** | I, D, M | I, D, M |

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