

**SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY**

**Education 380-3**

**Human Sexuality & Abuse Prevention for the Mentally Handicapped**

Summer Session, 1990

Instructor: Judith Pilley

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8:30 - 12:30

July 16-25, 1990

Location: Jericho Hill School

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**Prerequisite:** Certified Practicing Teacher

**Course Description:**

This course is designed for teachers, counsellors, education assistants, administrators and care givers who work with students and young adults with developmental disabilities. The course will examine the issue of sexuality and sexual abuse of people with developmental disabilities and provide participants with background information, materials and techniques on the teaching of sexuality and sexual abuse prevention.

***Topics will include:***

Definition of abuse  
Prevalence of sexual abuse  
Identification of child sexual abuse  
Protocol in reporting abuse  
Environmental factors contributing to vulnerability  
Developmental disabilities as a risk factor  
Characteristics of the sex educator  
The subject matter  
Materials/resources  
Teaching techniques

**Recommended texts:**

Kempton, Winifred, 1988. Sex Education for Persons With Disabilities That Hinder Learning: A Teacher's guide Stanfield Publishing Company, Santa Monica.

Senn, Charlene Y., 198-. Vulnerable G. Allan Roehrer Institute Downsview, Ontario.