

**Observation of Classroom Performance
USC Arnold School of Public Health**

Faculty Member: _____ Department _____

Observer _____ Department/School _____

Class _____ Number of Students _____

Number of times the course has been taught _____

Today's Date _____ Location _____

Evaluate each of the following categories; use the questions provided; please provide comments for each question. You may also use these questions as a guideline for preparing the final review summary.

I STRUCTURE and GOALS

1. Does the instructor's presentation show clear signs of planning and organization?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

2. Are the various instructional elements effectively integrated (e.g. lecture, blackboard material, handouts, overheads, etc.)?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

3. Is the class time used efficiently?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

4. Is the material presented effectively?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

5. Is the mode of delivery appropriate (e.g. lecture, small group discussion, etc.)

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

II **TEACHING BEHAVIORS**

1. Does the instructor maintain sufficient eye contact with students?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

2. Is the pace of the delivery appropriate?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

3. Is the language used understandable to students?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

III INSTRUCTOR-STUDENT RAPPORT

1. Does the instructor demonstrate fair and equitable concern for all students?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

2. Are student questions answered clearly?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

3. Do the students seem to be engaged in the lecture/classroom activity?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

4. Describe your view of the instructor-student relationship.

IV SUBJECT MATTER

1. Does the instructor demonstrate adequate knowledge of the subject?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

2. Is the course content up-to-date; are assigned readings current?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

3. Is the course content appropriate for the level of students in the course?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

4. Does the instructor demonstrate enthusiasm for the subject?

Yes Somewhat No Not applicable Can't Judge

Comments:

