

# HOMICIDE

## I. GOALS

- To reinforce the criminology terms learned in Introduction to Criminal Law
- To familiarize students with distinctions between crimes/acts that result in the death of a person using common and statutory definitions of offenses such as:
  - Murder / homicide
  - Manslaughter
  - Negligent Homicide
  - Felony Murder
  - Suicide
- To introduce the students to straight fact patterns and begin applying those patterns to criminal statutes

## II. METHODOLOGY AND TIMING

### A. LECTURE

- Homicide PowerPoint
  - Students will use Terms Worksheet to take notes

### B. ACTIVITY AND DISCUSSION

- Williams Case
  - Students will get into groups and read the fact pattern
  - Students will review relevant statutes
  - Students will determine which statutes could or should apply to the case

## III. WRAP UP

- Any questions?

## IV. MATERIALS

- Powerpoint
- Homicide Terms Worksheet
- Williams Case