

Module Title: Managing Front Office

Module Code: B2209

Level: BAIHTM – 4th Semester...Lesson Plan

| S. No. | Unit | Topic/Activities |
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| 1 | The Lodging Industry | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Hospitality Industry• Classifying Hotels• Classifying Guests• The Green Hotel |
| 2 | Hotel Organization | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organizational Missions• Hotel Organization Chart• Front Office Operations |
| 3 | Front Office Operation | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Guest Cycle• Front Office Systems• Front Office Documents• The Front Desk• Telecommunications• Property Management Systems (PMS) |
| 4 | Reservations | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reservations and Sales• Types of Reservations• Reservation Inquiries• Group Reservations• Reservations Availability• Reservation Records• Reservation Confirmation/Cancellation• Reservation Reports |
| 5 | Registration | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Registration Process• Selling the Guestroom• Walk-In Guest• Guest with Guaranteed & Non-Guaranteed Reservation |
| 6 | Communications and Guest Services | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front Office Communications• Interdepartmental Communications• Guest Services• Guest Relations |

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| 7 | Security and the Lodging Industry | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing the Security Program • Management's Role in Security • Setting Up the Security Program |
| 8 | Front Office Accounting | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting Fundamentals • Creation and Maintenance of Accounts • Tracking Transactions • Internal Control • Settlement of Accounts |
| 9 | Check-Out and Account Settlement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Check-Out and Settlement Process • Departure Procedures • Check-Out Options • Unpaid Account Balances • Front Office Records |
| 10 | The Front Office Audit | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functions of the Front Office Audit • The Front Office Audit Process |
| 11 | Planning and Evaluating Operations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management Functions • Establishing Room Rates • Forecasting Room Availability • Budgeting for Operations • Evaluating Front Office Operations |
| 12 | Revenue Management | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Concept of Revenue Management • Measuring Revenue • Elements of Revenue Management |
| 13 | Managing Human Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recruiting • Selecting • Hiring • Orienting • Skills Training • Staff Scheduling • Staff Motivation |