

## **Medical Sociology (SOC 3600) Spring 2020 Student Presentation Schedule**

Over the course of the semester, you will be paired with two other students and asked to give two 15-minute presentations to our class on selected topics in medical sociology. The dates and topics for your student presentations are listed below. Together with your group members, you should prepare a PowerPoint presentation to share information on your topic with the class. You should draw on scholarly resources such as scientific journal articles, books, reports, and data sources to develop your presentation slides and materials. Each group member should be involved in preparing and presenting the materials. You will be graded on my own evaluation of your presentation as well as the evaluation of your contribution by your other group members.

### **Student Presentation Dates and Topics**

- January 28 – Whitehall Studies and Social Class Differences in Mortality (Group 2)
- February 6 – Neighborhood Disadvantage and Health (Group 3)
- February 13 – The Hispanic Paradox (Group 4)
- February 20 – Biomarkers, Weathering, and Physiological Reactions to Stress (Group 5)
- February 27 – Socioeconomic Status and Help-Seeking Behavior (Group 6)
- March 19 – Cultural Health Capital (Group 7)
- March 31 – Medical Uncertainty (Group 2)
- April 2 – Patient Autonomy in Clinician-Patient Relationships (Group 3)
- April 7 – Biomedicalization and Technoscientific Transformation of U.S. Healthcare (Group 4)
- April 9 – Healthcare Managerialism and “Problematic Patients” (Group 5)
- April 16 – Is Healthcare a Right? (Group 6)
- April 21 – The Role of Public Policy and Health Reform in Health Inequalities (Group 7)