INSTRUCTOR S MANUAL

HUMAN RELATIONS: INTERPERSONAL, JOB-ORIENTED SKILLS

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PREFACE

The purpose of this instructor's manual is to enhance the teaching of *Human Relations: Interpersonal, Job-Oriented Skills,* 8th edition. The text lends itself to a diverse approach to teaching, with its self-assessment quizzes, skill-building exercises, examples, case problems, and role-plays. Each chapter in the manual contains:

- 1. A text chapter outline along with lecture notes.
- 2. Answers to discussion questions, usually in the form of a comment rather than an absolute answer because most of the questions ask for an observation or opinion.
- 3. Answers to the case questions.
- 4. Brief comments about the self-assessment quizzes and skill-building exercises. Most of the quizzes and exercises, however, are self-explanatory.
- 5. Twenty-five multiple choice, and 25 true/false questions. The test questions are based on specific pages in the text. Each set of questions follows the page sequence in the text. Prentice Hall offers a computerized test bank containing the same questions.

The appendix to the manual presents step-by-step instructions for the use of computer-assisted scenario analysis (CASA). CASA is a user-friendly way of using any word-processing software with any computer to assist in analyzing cases.

An effective classroom use of this text is to make frequent use of group exercises. Skill-building exercises, discussion questions, and the cases work well with group discussion. My small-group discussion procedure includes serving as a resource person to the groups before they make their presentations. Sometimes the group may need help in interpreting a case question or in knowing how much freedom it may have in making certain assumptions about the case or question under study.

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