

## ACADEMIC SERVICES

## **MODULE SPECIFICATION**

|                          |                 | Part 1: Basi          | c Data                       |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Module Title             | Social Sciences |                       |                              |                |                  |
| Module Code              | UZYRGW-15-0     |                       | Level                        | 0              | Version 1        |
| Owning Faculty           | Health and Appl | ied Sciences          | Field                        | Allied Hea     | alth Professions |
| Contributes towards      | Foundation Proc | gramme for Heal       | th Professions               |                |                  |
| UWE Credit Rating        | 15              | ECTS Credit<br>Rating | 7.5                          | Module<br>Type | Standard         |
| Pre-requisites           | None            |                       | Co- requisites               | None           |                  |
| Excluded<br>Combinations | None            |                       | Module Entry<br>requirements | Stand alo      | ne               |
| Valid From               | September 2014  | 1                     | Valid to                     | Septembe       | er 2020          |

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|                      | Part 2: Learning and Teaching  |
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| Learning<br>Outcomes | <ul> <li>On successful completion of this module students will be able to:</li> <li>Understand the key perspectives of psychology in relation to health (Component A)</li> <li>Understand the contribution of psychology to concepts of health, well-being and illness (Component A)</li> <li>Evaluate a range of psychological approaches (Component A)</li> <li>Apply psychological approaches in a range of contexts (Component A)</li> <li>Recognise key aspects of society(Component B)</li> <li>understand the application of sociological theory to practice (Component B)</li> <li>Understand the link between social factors and health and illness. (Component B)</li> <li>Evaluate a range of sociological approaches in context (Component B)</li> </ul> |
| Syllabus Outline     | This module explores the basic psychological and sociological perspectives of health, well-being and illness.  |
|                      | Perspectives in Psychology<br>Introduction to psychology   |

|                                     | Key approaches   | and perspect   | ives                          |                                |                    |              |      |
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|                                     | <b>Psychology of</b><br>Abnormal Psych<br>Bio-psychology<br>The Psychology<br>Motivation<br>Aspects of Healt | <b>Health</b><br>hology<br>of illness and            |                               |                                |                    |              |      |
|                                     | <ul> <li>Social S</li> <li>Ethnicity</li> <li>Gender</li> <li>Age</li> <li>Poverty</li> </ul>                | factors on hea<br>and Identity<br>tratification      |                               |                                |                    |              |      |
|                                     | Concepts and m<br>Health Care Pro  |  |                               | C                              |                    |              |      |
| Contact Hours                       | <u> </u>   |  |                               |                                |                    |              |      |
| Contact Hours                       |  | onsist of 90 h<br>s: Lectures an<br>s: Tutorials     | ours of schedu<br>d workshops |                                |                    |              |      |
| Teaching and<br>Learning<br>Methods | Scheduled lea<br>Independent I<br>assignment pro<br>time per level a   | earning inclue                                       | des hours eng completion et   | aged with ess<br>c. These sess | sential readin     | ig, preparat |      |
| Key Information<br>Sets Information |  |  |                               |                                |                    |              | 1    |
|                                     | <u>Key Inform</u>  | ation Set - Mo                                       | odule data                    |                                |                    |              | _    |
|                                     | Number of  | credits for this                                     | s module                      |                                | 15                 |              |      |
|                                     | Hours to<br>be<br>allocated  | Scheduled<br>learning and<br>teaching<br>study hours | Independent<br>study hours    | Placement<br>study hours       | Allocated<br>Hours |              |      |
|                                     | 150  | 90   | 60                            | 0                              | 150                |              | -    |
|                                     |  |  |                               |                                |                    |              |      |
|                                     | The table below<br>constitutes a -<br>Written Exam:<br>Coursework: W   | Unseen writte  | n exam, open                  | book written e                 | exam, In-clas      | s test       | hich |
|                                     | Practical Exam<br>practical exam   |  |                               |                                |                    |              | nt,  |

|                            | Please note th<br>necessarily ref<br>of this module   | lect the con  | nponent an  |   |   |  |   |
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|                            |   | Total asses   | sment of the  | module:   |   |  |   |
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|                            |   |   | m assessme  |   |   | 50%  |   |
|                            |   |   | k assessme<br>am assessr  |   |   | 50%<br>0%  |   |
|                            |   |   |   |   |   | 100%   |   |
|                            |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |
| Reading<br>Strategy        | Core reading.<br>Any essential<br>accessing it, o<br>study pack or<br>Libraries. Mod<br>Further readin<br>Further readin<br>to explore at l<br>list of such titl<br>Access and s<br>Formal oppor<br>are provided<br>the UWE Libr<br>books and jou<br>workshops ar | reading w<br>e.g. studer<br>be referre<br>dule guides<br>ngs<br>ng is advise<br>least one c<br>les will be g<br><i>kills</i><br>tunities for<br>within the i<br>rary Service<br>urnals, eva | able for this<br>s will also<br>able for this<br>of the titles<br>given in th<br>students to<br>nduction p<br>es web pa<br>luating info | expected<br>that are av<br>reflect the<br>s module,<br>held in eit<br>e module g<br>to develop<br>period. Add<br>ges, includ<br>pormation a | to purcha<br>vailable ele<br>range of r<br>and stude<br>her library<br>guide and<br>their libra<br>ditional sup<br>ding intera<br>and referer | se a set text,<br>ectronically, c<br>eading to be<br>ents will be en<br>on this topic<br>revised annu-<br>ry and inform<br>oport is availance<br>ctive tutorials | be given a<br>or in both<br>carried out.<br>ncouraged<br>. A current<br>ially.<br>nation skills<br>able through<br>on finding |
| Indicative<br>Reading List | Psychology:<br>Gross, R (2013<br>Press<br>Upton, D. (201<br>Harlow: Pearso<br>Walker, J. (201<br>Maidenhead: M<br><u>Sociology</u> :<br>Jones, D., Blai<br><i>Occupational T</i><br>Nettleton, S. (2<br>Sheaff, M (200<br>and Allied Hea<br>www.sociolog          | 2) <i>Introduci</i><br>on Educatio<br>2) <i>Psycholo</i><br>AcGraw-Hill,<br>r, S.,Hartery<br><i>Therapy.</i> Ed<br>2013) <i>The S</i><br>5) <i>Sociolog</i><br><i>Ith Professio</i>         | ng Psychol<br>n.<br>ogy for Nura<br>(Open Univ<br>(, T., and K<br>inburgh: Ch<br>cociology of<br>y and Heala                            | ogy for Nurses and the<br>ersity Press<br>enneth-Jon<br>hurchill Livir<br>Health and<br>th Care: An   | ses and He<br>Caring Pro<br>s.[accessed<br>es, R. (199<br>ngstone<br>I Illness. Ca<br>Introductio   | ealth Care Prop<br>ofessions. [onl<br>1 10 March 20<br>8) Sociology a<br>ambridge: Polit   | fessionals.<br>ine]<br>14]<br>and<br>y Press  |

| Assessment Strategy | Component A: This component consists of several short answer questions<br>and one long one. Short answer questions are designed to test the student's<br>ability to recall facts and apply learnt concepts. The essay question assesses<br>the student's ability to select and discuss relevant key ideas using interpretive<br>and analytical skills |
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|                     | Component B: This component assesses the student's ability to analyse key factors affecting health and well-being.  |
|                     | Regular formative assessment will take place throughout the module delivery to enable students to gauge their progress and learning to date   |

| Identify final assessment component and element                    | Compone             | ent B     |                        |
|--|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| % weighting between components A and B (Star                       | ndard modules only) | A:<br>50% | B:<br>50%              |
| First Sit  |                     |           |                        |
| Component A (controlled conditions)<br>Description of each element |                     |           | weighting<br>omponent) |
| 1. Written Exam (1.5 hour)   |                     | 10        | 0%                     |
| Component B<br>Description of each element                         |                     |           | weighting<br>omponent) |
| 1. Essay (1,500 word)  |                     | 10        | 0%                     |

| Component A (controlled conditions) Description of each element | Element weighting<br>(as % of component) |
|---|--|
| 1. Written Exam (1.5 hour)                                      | 100%                                     |
| Component B<br>Description of each element                      | Element weighting<br>(as % of component) |
| 1. Essay (1,500 word)   | 100%                                     |

If a student is permitted an **EXCEPTIONAL RETAKE** of the module the assessment will be that indicated by the Module Description at the time that retake commences.