



## **Module Specification**

### **Fundamentals of Cancer Care**

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## Part 1: Information

**Module title:** Fundamentals of Cancer Care

**Module code:** UZTSWB-20-M

**Level:** Level 7

**For implementation from:** 2023-24

**UWE credit rating:** 20

**ECTS credit rating:** 10

**College:** College of Health, Science & Society

**School:** CHSS School of Health and Social Wellbeing

**Partner institutions:** None

**Field:** Continuing Care Adult Nursing

**Module type:** Module

**Pre-requisites:** None

**Excluded combinations:** None

**Co-requisites:** None

**Continuing professional development:** Yes

**Professional, statutory or regulatory body requirements:** None

## Part 2: Description

**Overview:** Not applicable

**Features:** Module Entry requirements: Working in cancer-related field

**Educational aims:** See Learning Outcomes

**Outline syllabus:** This module explores the key aspects of cancer in clinical care and wider society. Contemporary issues for those living with and beyond cancer will be discussed, considered and investigated. Drawing on clinical expertise and

research the module will enable healthcare professionals to develop their knowledge, understanding and professional practice within the speciality of oncology and beyond.

### **Part 3: Teaching and learning methods**

**Teaching and learning methods:** A variety of approaches will be used which may include:

Technology enhanced learning

Workshops and Masterclasses

Lectures and Seminars

Enquiry based learning

Case based learning

Role play

Student presentations

#### Contact Hours

A total of 48 hours of contact time. Teaching will be in the form of seminars, lectures and online activities delivered over six study days. Online activities will be available on Blackboard. Sessions will be facilitated by UWE cancer specialist lecturers and outside speakers from clinical practice.

**Module Learning outcomes:** On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following learning outcomes.

**MO1** Demonstrate knowledge of cancer biology, aetiology and treatments.

**MO2** Critically appraise the contemporary context of cancer care.

**MO3** Critically evaluate evidence-based assessment and personalised care and support strategies for people affected by cancer across the spectrum of care.

**MO4** Critically debate the psychosocial impact of cancer on individuals, families and society.

**MO5** Critically reflect on your role and professional development in terms of teamwork, leadership, ethics, communication and research.

**Hours to be allocated:** 200

**Contact hours:**

Independent study/self-guided study = 152 hours

Face-to-face learning = 48 hours

Total = 200

**Reading list:** The reading list for this module can be accessed at [readinglists.uwe.ac.uk](https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uztswb-20-m.html) via the following link <https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uztswb-20-m.html>

## **Part 4: Assessment**

**Assessment strategy:** Students will develop a conference style poster which critically explores an aspect of cancer care related to their practice or learning. Students will defend their poster in a viva consisting of a 10 minute presentation and 10 minutes question and answer session (A) . The poster and viva will be assessed. Students will have opportunity for formative support and assessment throughout the module via assignment support sessions and feedback on a presentation plan.

**Assessment tasks:**

**Poster (First Sit)**

Description: Conference style poster, presentation and question and answer session

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4, MO5

**Poster (Resit)**

Description: Conference style poster, presentation and question and answer session

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4, MO5

## **Part 5: Contributes towards**

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: