

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information						
Module Title	Advancing Practice in Long Term Conditions					
Module Code	UZWSVQ-20-3		Level	Level 6		
For implementation from	2020-	21				
UWE Credit Rating	20		ECTS Credit Rating	10		
Faculty	Facul Scien	ty of Health & Applied ces	Field	Acute and Critical Care Adult Nursing		
Department	HAS	IAS Dept of Nursing & Midwifery				
Module Type:	Proje	Project				
Pre-requisites		None				
Excluded Combinations		None				
Co-requisites		None				
Module Entry Requirements		None				
PSRB Requirements N		None				

Part 2: Description

Features: Module Entry Requirements: Registered Practitioner

Educational Aims: This module will introduce you to the concept and definitions of a long-term conditions. Long term conditions are more prevalent in older people and in more deprived groups. Treatment and care for people with a long-term condition are complex and multifaceted, many people live with more than one long term condition increasing, this is expected to rise. There is a rising demand for prevention and management of multi-morbidity rather than a single disease process.

Outline Syllabus: In this module you will examine some of the key areas that a long-term condition can affect a person's life. It will take a holistic approach to assessment and introduce you to different ways of managing an individual's care. This will include health and social care, and examine the importance of self-management. You will also look at key policy drivers to inform your practice and learning.

You will cover:

I	Long Torm Conditions :
	Long Term Conditions :
	Effective communication styles
	Defining a long-term condition
	Multiple Co-morbidities
	Aging well
	For example:
	Respiratory disease
	Cardio-vascular disease
	Stroke
	Dementia
	Living with a learning disability
	Living cancer and beyond
	Autoimmune disease
	Renal disease
	Context of Long-Term Conditions:
	Shared decision making with service users, carers and families
	Integrated care pathways
	National and local policy drivers
	Legal/ethical principles
	Clinical governance
	Evidence based practice
	Public Health
	Teaching and Learning Methods: Expert speakers from practice
	Flipped classroom strategies
	Case study review
	On-line interactive teaching
	Lecture style classroom teaching

Part 3: Assessment

Learners are required to independently conduct an advanced holistic assessment of a patient with a long-term condition, within their practice setting. The learner will present this assessment with an evidenced based critical analysis commentary. This will take the form of a 3000-word assignment which could be a case study, options appraisal or business case designed to improve care/services for people with a long term condition.. This will enable the learner to demonstrate their achievement of the learning outcomes set out within the module outline i.e. judgement and care planning, collaborative working and policy drivers. The learner will be able to apply this to their area of practice, giving the flexibility to all types of learners.

Formative Assessment:

Throughout all the taught sessions the learner will contribute to case studies for critical discussion. This enables the learner to prepare for the summative assessment.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component A	✓	100 %	Written assessment 3000 words
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component A	✓	100 %	Written assessment 3000 words

	Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods						
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following learning outcomes:						
	Module Learning Outcomes Referen						
	Evaluate the evidence of case management to formulate an action plan for the treatment of long-term conditions.						
	Work collaboratively with other healthcare professionals and illustrate leadership to ensure high quality, effective care and treatment for patients with long-term conditions.						
	Identify, discuss and evaluate policy and professional issues related to the complex management of long-term conditions.						
Contact Hours	Independent Study Hours:						
	Independent study/self-guided study	15	52				
	Total Independent Study Hours:	15	52				
Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:							
	Face-to-face learning	4	8				

	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	48		
	Hours to be allocated	200		
	Allocated Hours	200		
Reading List	The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:			
	https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uzwsvq-20-3.html			

Part 5: Contributes Towards

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: