



## **Module Specification**

### **Social Work with Children and Young People**

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## Part 1: Information

**Module title:** Social Work with Children and Young People

**Module code:** UZVRU8-15-3

**Level:** Level 6

**For implementation from:** 2023-24

**UWE credit rating:** 15

**ECTS credit rating:** 7.5

**Faculty:** Faculty of Health & Applied Sciences

**Department:** HAS Dept of Social Sciences

**Partner institutions:** None

**Field:** Health, Community and Policy Studies

**Module type:** Module

**Pre-requisites:** None

**Excluded combinations:** Social Work with Adults at Risk 2023-24, Working to Strengthen Communities 2023-24

**Co-requisites:** None

**Continuing professional development:** No

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

## Part 2: Description

**Overview:** Not applicable

**Features:** Not applicable

**Educational aims:** See Learning Outcomes.

**Outline syllabus:** Law, policy and local and national procedures and protocols for social work practice with children, young people and families.

Contemporary issues in child protection in an inter-professional arena.

Assessment, intervention and engagement approaches including therapeutic engagement, relationship based work and inter-professional practice.

Assessing parenting capacity within complex family situations.

Decision making thresholds, including analysis and learning from serious case reviews.

Critical reflection and knowledge base on formal meetings, case conferences and appearances in court.

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

**Teaching and learning methods:** Lectures, small group discussion and online engagement on a weekly basis across the course of the module delivery. Small group work and email contact across the course of the module. Assignment support and surgery.

33 hours contact time.

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

**MO1** Critically apply the relevant legal and policy frameworks to contemporary practice

**MO2** Critically debate and review the current inter-professional environment in work with children and families

**MO3** Demonstrate a critical knowledge and understanding of current assessment frameworks

**MO4** Critically discuss thresholds for intervention and the socially constructed nature of policy and practice in this area

**MO5** Critically apply theory, knowledge and research to social work practice in this field

**MO6** Demonstrate a critical understanding of complex family relationships

**MO7** Demonstrate an ability to present theory, knowledge and research coherently

**Hours to be allocated:** 150

**Contact hours:**

Independent study/self-guided study = 117 hours

Face-to-face learning = 33 hours

Total = 150

**Reading list:** The reading list for this module can be accessed at [readinglists.uwe.ac.uk](https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uzvru8-15-3.html) via the following link <https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uzvru8-15-3.html>

## **Part 4: Assessment**

**Assessment strategy:** Summative assessment will involve a pre-recorded individual presentation (15 mins) in order to demonstrate the integration of theory and practice. The presentation will offer the student creative ways to demonstrate critical thinking and to make links to their future practice. The assessment will be submitted via Blackboard.

Formative assessment provides opportunities for students to gain feedback on their developing understanding, knowledge and critical evaluation skills. These will be embedded throughout the module, in group discussions and activities. Students will be required to share their understandings and skills with teaching staff. Teaching staff will provide ongoing feedback on the appropriateness and level of student understanding and skills.

**Assessment tasks:**

**Presentation (First Sit)**

Description: Pre-recorded Individual Presentation (15 mins)

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4, MO5, MO6, MO7

**Presentation (Resit)**

Description: Pre-recorded Individual Presentation (15 mins)

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3, MO4, MO5, MO6, MO7

**Part 5: Contributes towards**

This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:

Social Work [Sep][FT][Glenside][3yrs] BSc (Hons) 2021-22

Social Work [Sep][PT][Glenside][6yrs] BSc (Hons) 2019-20