



ACADEMIC SERVICES

MODULE SPECIFICATION

| Part 1: Basic Data | | | | | |
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| Module Title | European Union Nurse Adaptation | | | | |
| Module Code | UZTSX4-30-3 | Level | 3 | Version | 1 |
| UWE Credit Rating | 30 | ECTS Credit Rating | 15 | WBL module? | No |
| Owning Faculty | Health and Applied Sciences | Field | Continuing Care Adult Nursing | | |
| Department | Nursing and Midwifery | Module Type | Professional Practice | | |
| Contributes towards | BSc (Hons) Health and Social Care MSc Advanced Practice | | | | |
| Pre-requisites | None | Co- requisites | None | | |
| Excluded Combinations | None | Module Entry requirements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NMC Decision Letter • Previously registered nurse within the EU • Current UK DBS Clearance • Criminal Records Clearance from the country of origin translated into English • Health Clearance • Evidence of study within last 5 years • UWE entry criteria of an IELTS score of 7 • Placement to meet NMC requirements | | |
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| Part 2: Learning and Teaching | |
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| Learning Outcomes | <p>On successful completion of this module students will be able to within their own field of practice:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieve NMC defined professional outcomes, competencies and essential nursing skills within the agreed NMC timescales (Component A) • Discuss their own country's systems of healthcare provision, comparing it to UK practice; exploring how to bridge this gap (Component B) |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyse the current evidence base for contemporary UK nursing practice, legislation, governance, guidelines and nursing codes of practice and apply to their role as a nurse in a UK healthcare setting (Component A and B) • Examine the complexity of communication needs when working with service users, carers and their families (Component A and B) • Critically appraise the impact that person centred care has for UK nursing practice (Component A and B) • Analyse and reflect on their personal and professional role as a nurse entering practice within a different social context of health (Component A and B) • Discuss the determinants of health and illness, in relation to promotion of self-care; health promotion and public health (Component A) • Demonstrate the use of information technology and health technologies in contemporary nursing practice (Component A) |
| Syllabus Outline | <p>The syllabus outline below covers the generic learning available to all students. In addition opportunities for field specific learning will be identified, and tailored to each individuals requirements</p> <p>Professional values The Code and nursing practice UK based Healthcare policy and guidance Confidentiality, sharing information and reporting Ethical issues Empowerment and the nurse as an advocate</p> <p>Communication and interpersonal skills Person- centred care Communication, interpersonal skills and building therapeutic relationships Social inclusion/ exclusion Concepts and models of diversity and difference in a UK health care context</p> <p>Nursing practice and decision making Evidence based care and practice Patient safety and Safeguarding Determinants of health and illness Public Health and Health Promotion Service user, carer and family advocacy</p> <p>Leadership, management and team working Governance Managing risk Inter-professional and inter-agency working Self-awareness, personal and professional development</p> <p>Field Specific learning to be achieved through attendance at field specific sessions in the current undergraduate programme. Sessions will be identified through a learning contract and help meet the students shortfall identified by the NMC decision letter</p> |
| Contact Hours | <p>Contact time is 72 hours and includes directed learning and online learning resources. Placement hours are separate to the theory hours and dependent on the shortfall identified by the NMC</p> <p>Delivery pattern; is expected to follow a block approach initially followed by defined periods of attendance in person or webinar / skype interaction for individuals outside of the local geographic area.</p> |
| Teaching and Learning Methods | <p>Scheduled learning includes lectures, seminars, tutorials, reflection on practice, action learning sets and workshops.</p> <p>Independent learning includes hours engaged with essential reading; activities online; assignment preparation and completion.</p> |
| Key Information | Key Information Sets (KIS) are produced at programme level for all programmes that |

Sets Information

this module contributes to, which is a requirement set by HESA/HEFCE. KIS are comparable sets of standardised information about undergraduate courses allowing prospective students to compare and contrast between programmes they are interested in applying for.

| Key Information Set - Module data | | | | |
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| <i>Number of credits for this module</i> | | | | 30 |
| Hours to be allocated | Scheduled learning and teaching study hours | Independent study hours | Placement study hours | Allocated Hours |
| 300 | 72 | 228 | 450+ | 300 |

The table below indicates as a percentage the total assessment of the module which constitutes a -

Coursework: Written assignment or essay, portfolio,
Practical Exam: Competency achievement,

Please note that this is the total of various types of assessment and will not necessarily reflect the component and module weightings in the Assessment section of this module description:

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| Total assessment of the module: | |
| Written exam assessment percentage | 0% |
| Coursework assessment percentage | 100% |
| Practical assessment percentage | P/F |
| | 100% |

Reading Strategy

Core reading

The module handbook and Blackboard site will also reflect the range of reading to be carried out –identifying the core reading required for each session.

Further reading

Students are expected to identify all other reading relevant to their chosen area of focus/ topic for themselves. They will be encouraged to read widely using the library search, a variety of bibliographic and full-text databases, and Internet resources. Many resources can be accessed remotely.

Access and skills

The development of literature searching skills is supported by a Library online workbook provided within the first semester. Students will be presented with further opportunities within the curriculum to develop their information retrieval and evaluation skills in order to identify such resources effectively. Additional support is available through the library web pages, including interactive tutorials on finding books and journals, evaluating information and referencing. There is a 24 hour seven day a week online Chat service where students can obtain support.

Indicative Reading List

Books

Baggott R (2011) *Public Health: Policy and Politics*. 2nd Edition. Basingstoke:

Macmillan.

Burnard, P. and Gill, P. (2009) *Culture, Communication and Nursing*. Harlow: Pearson Education.

Cockerham WC (2013) *Social Causes of Health and Disease*. 2nd Edition. Cambridge: Polity.

Garneneau, A.B. and Pepin, J. (2015) Cultural Competence: A constructivist definition *Journal of Transcultural Nursing* 26 (1) 9-15

Hall, C. and Ritchie, D. (2013) *What is Nursing?* 2nd ed. Exeter: Learning Matters.

Holland, K. and Hogg, C. (2010) *Cultural Awareness in Nursing and Health Care: An Introductory Text*. [online] London: Edward Arnold.

Jevon P (2010) *Medicines Management: Essential Clinical Skills for Nurse*. [online]. London: Wiley-Blackwell.

Jones L and Bennett C (2012) *Leadership in Health and Social Care, An introduction for emerging Leaders*. Banbury. Lanturn.

Leininger, M and McFarland, M. (2006) *Culture Care Diversity and Universality. A worldwide nursing theory*. London: Jones and Bartlett.

Shen, Z. (2015) Cultural competence models and cultural competence assessment instruments in nursing: a literature review *Journal of transcultural Nursing* 26 (3) 308-321

Tortora G and Derrickson B (2012) *Essentials of anatomy and Physiology*, Oxford: Wiley.

Weber J, Kelley J and Sprengel A (2010) *Health Assessment in Nursing* (4th ed) London: Lippincott, Williams and Wilkins.

Journals and online resources.

British Journal of Nursing – e journal
 Evidence Based Practice
 Journal of Clinical Nursing
 Journal of Community Nursing

Part 3: Assessment

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| Assessment Strategy | <p>Formative assessment To support learners, evidence of outcomes achieved and reflections of learning, will be reviewed throughout the length of the module so as to gain formative feedback.</p> <p>Summative Assessment</p> <p>Component A: achievement of competencies, NMC outcomes and essential skills as outlined in the ongoing achievement record to be signed off by a sign-off mentor.</p> <p>Component B</p> <p>A 2000 word reflective assignment which focuses on at least one of the competencies from the ongoing achievement record. The reflection should</p> |
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| | <p>also outline how the individual has met the at least three of the 6cs of nursing (communication, compassion, commitment, courage, competence and care) in achieving this competence.</p> <p>The reflection should include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • application of knowledge • analysis of the evidence, • an action plan that critically analyses personal and professional development. The action plan will consider future career aspirations, and learning needs. |
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| Identify final assessment component and element | Component A | |
| % weighting between components A and B (Standard modules only) | A: | B: |
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| First Sit | | |
| Component A (controlled conditions) Description of each element | Element weighting (as % of component) | |
| 1. Achieve prescribed NMC competencies as identified in the Ongoing achievement record | Pass / Fail | |
| Component B Description of each element | Element weighting (as % of component) | |
| 1. 2000 word assignment | 100% | |

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| Resit (further attendance at taught classes is not required) | | |
| Component A (controlled conditions) Description of each element | Element weighting (as % of component) | |
| 1. Achieve prescribed NMC competencies as identified in the Ongoing achievement record | Pass / Fail | |
| Component B Description of each element | Element weighting (as % of component) | |
| 1. 2000 word assignment | 100% | |
| <p>If a student is permitted a retake of the module under the University Regulations and Procedures, the assessment will be that indicated by the Module Description at the time that retake commences.</p> | | |

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