




MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Introduction to Emergency Care		
Module Code	UZWY7M-15-3	Level	3 (FHEQ Level 6)
For implementation from	September 2019		
UWE Credit Rating	15	ECTS Credit Rating	7.5
Faculty	Health and Applied Sciences	Field	Acute and Critical Care Adult Nursing
Department	Nursing and Midwifery		
Contributes towards	BSc (Hons) Nursing MSc Nursing		
Module type	Project		
Pre-requisites	None		
Excluded Combinations	None		
Co- requisites	None		
Module Entry requirements	None		

Part 2: Description
<p>The confidence and ability to think critically, apply knowledge and skills, and provide expert, evidence-based, nursing care lies at the centre of nursing practice, this module is one of a suite of choice modules that have been developed to offer nursing students in their final year of their studies choice so that they are empowered to consider long term career pathways prior to registration. Each of the choice modules has been aligned to existing and emerging models of care. Reflecting that enquiry and exploration are at the heart of the Future Nurse curriculum, so that as nurses of the future students are able to influence and contribute to processes of organisational change through an awareness of local and national policies</p> <p>This module focuses urgent, emergency care same day emergency care (also known as ambulatory emergency care). To look at the differences in assessment of patients who present in the emergency department, then those on the acute wards or community. The systems used to categorise the urgency of patients, why this is used and what this means for flow through the department and the wider impact on care services</p> <p>This module will use a range of learning and teaching strategies to support student learning and will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lectures • Scenario based teaching through interaction and simulation • Group work

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-directed learning • Digital learning delivered through Blackboard and other virtual learning platforms 	
Part 3: Assessment: Strategy and Details	
<p>The assessment strategy for this module is designed to allow a diverse range of students to be able to explore their own current and future practice focusing on an existing and or emerging model of care.</p> <p>The formative aspect of this module is in form of a reflection post a simulation event</p> <p>Summative assessment: The module will be assessed via a 2000 word assignment. That focuses the current challenges within the provision of urgent and emergency care.</p>	
Component A	
Identify final timetabled piece of assessment (component and element)	
% weighting between components A and B (Standard modules only)	A:
	B:
First Sit	
Component A (controlled conditions) Description of each element	Element weighting (as % of component)
1. 2000 word assignment	100%
Resit (further attendance at taught classes is not required)	
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1. 2000 word assignment	100%
Part 4: Learning Outcomes & KIS Data	
Learning Outcomes	<p>On successful completion of this module students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate an awareness of the legal, ethical and key policy frameworks local in relation to urgent and emergency care. • Appraise existing knowledge, new evidence and innovations in practice • Evidence a detailed understanding and evaluation of current theory and research • Demonstrate an understanding of the importance of exercising political awareness throughout their career, to maximise the influence and effect of registered nursing on quality of care, patient safety and cost effectiveness. <p>All learning outcomes will be assessed through Component A.</p>
Key Information Sets Information (KIS)	

Contact Hours	Key Information Set - Module data																			
	Number of credits for this module					15														
Total Assessment	Hours to be allocated	Scheduled learning and teaching study hours	Independent study hours	Placement study hours	Allocated Hours															
	150	36	114	0	150															
	<p>The table below indicates as a percentage the total assessment of the module which constitutes a;</p> <p>Coursework: Written assignment</p> <p>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:</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td colspan="2">Total assessment of the module:</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Written exam assessment percentage</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">0%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Coursework assessment percentage</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Practical exam assessment percentage</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">0%</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">100%</td> </tr> </table>						Total assessment of the module:			Written exam assessment percentage		0%	Coursework assessment percentage		100%	Practical exam assessment percentage		0%		
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Reading List	https://uwe.rl.talis.com/lists/73843788-3A4C-DA9B-F008-0C0BDDC62DBA.html																			

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