Module Specification

Leadership for Health

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Part 1: Information

Module title: Leadership for Health

Module code: UZTSGF-20-3

Level: Level 6

For implementation from: 2023-24

UWE credit rating: 20

ECTS credit rating: 10

Faculty: Faculty of Health & Applied Sciences

Department: HAS School of Health and Social Wellbeing

Partner institutions: None

Field: Continuing Care Adult Nursing

Module type: Module

Pre-requisites: None

Excluded combinations: Leadership in Adult Nursing 2023-24

Co-requisites: None

Continuing professional development: Yes

Professional, statutory or regulatory body requirements: None

Part 2: Description

Overview: Not applicable

Features: Not applicable

Educational aims: This module offers you a focussed framework that supports to appraise your role as a leader within your sphere of influence. The module team will support you by tying together your caring and compassionate qualities with your developing leadership capabilities in the ever changing healthcare landscape.

Outline syllabus: Introduction to Leadership:

Appraisal of leadership skills in healthcare

Reflective practice

Theory and practice of leadership:

Leadership theories and responsibilities

Influence, Negotiation and Empowerment

Theory and practice of Management:

Management theories and responsibilities

Management for Change models

Context and location of healthcare provision:

Social Enterprise and entrepreneurship

Organisational structure and culture

Communication and Relationship Building:

Communication and relationship building

Interpersonal communication and relationship building

Part 3: Teaching and learning methods

Teaching and learning methods: Your learning will be facilitated by the module team who come from a variety of professional nursing backgrounds and have a wealth of experience in facilitating leadership and management in healthcare. The module content will cover theoretical concepts in managing and leading practice within your sphere of influence. This will help you to develop critical awareness and explore your nursing skills in order to provide quality compassionate care. Conversely, class attendance, participation in class activities and your engagement with directed learning material will contribute towards successful achievement of the module learning outcomes.

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

MO1 Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the impact of contrasting leadership styles for health and social care practice

MO2 Critically evaluate theories of change and leadership in health care policy and practice

MO3 Critically analyse the application of ethical and legal principles in health and social care practice

MO4 Evaluate the way that leaders can contribute to service improvement

MO5 Critically reflect on strategies that promote effective team work across professional boundaries

Hours to be allocated: 200

Contact hours:

Independent study/self-guided study = 164 hours

Face-to-face learning = 36 hours

Total = 200

Reading list: The reading list for this module can be accessed at readinglists.uwe.ac.uk via the following link https://uwe.rl.talis.com/index.html

Part 4: Assessment

Assessment strategy: Develop an A1 poster demonstrating critical and creative thinking for service and health improvement plan 2500 word essay critical discussion of leadership and management theories required to ensure the successful implementation of the service and health improvement plan on your A1 poster.

At level 3, students are expected to critically analyse, evaluate and synthesise theoretical concepts of change and service improvement. This should include some appreciation of how evidence based practice influence the delivery of renal service.

Assessment tasks:

Poster (First Sit)

Description: Poster (size A1)

Weighting: 30 %

Final assessment: No

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3

Written Assignment (First Sit)

Description: Essay (2500 words)

Weighting: 70 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

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

Poster (Resit)

Description: Poster (Size A1)

Weighting: 30 %

Final assessment: No

Group work: No

Learning outcomes tested: MO1, MO2, MO3

Written Assignment (Resit)

Description: Essay (2500 words)

Weighting: 70 %

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:

Nursing (International) [Jan][FT][Villa][2yrs] BSc (Hons) 2022-23

Nursing (International) [Sep][FT][Villa][2yrs] BSc (Hons) 2022-23

Nursing (International) [May][FT][Villa][2yrs] BSc (Hons) 2022-23

Nursing (International) {Top-Up}[BIBM] BSc (Hons) 2022-23