



Module Specification

Engagement, Empowerment and Intervention

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Part 1: Information

Module title: Engagement, Empowerment and Intervention

Module code: UZVRTT-15-2

Level: Level 5

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: None

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: Understanding the social work role including referral, assessment, intervention and evaluation.

Engagement – sustaining relationships, care vs control, managing conflict, working with resistance

Children and Families

Mental Health and substance misuse

Disability

Older people

Part 3: Teaching and learning methods

Teaching and learning methods: Scheduled learning includes lectures, seminars, workshops and tutorials. Some of these will be facilitated by current practitioners. This will include contributions from service users and carers and current practitioners from a range of professions Technology Enhanced Learning resources will available that link to the skills days.

Each scheduled teaching day will follow a particular theme with a range of different learning activities designed to enhance the students skills before entering their practice placement.

Independent learning includes hours engaged with essential reading, use of online skills resources; case study preparation, assignment preparation and completion etc.

Contact Hours: 36 hours of contact time including lectures, workshops and seminars. Online weekly engagement with learning materials through the VLE.

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

MO1 Demonstrate an understanding of the social work role and process and how it operates within a range of settings including statutory, voluntary and private and independent

MO2 Demonstrate knowledge and the ability to apply tools for the successful engagement of service users, including an understanding of individual need and potential issues of resistance

MO3 Identify issues relating to power and control within the social work role

MO4 Identify and articulate different methods of intervention and theoretical concepts for a variety of service user groups

MO5 Understand and demonstrate empowerment approaches within social work practice

Hours to be allocated: 150

Contact hours:

Independent study/self-guided study = 114 hours

Face-to-face learning = 36 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/uzvrtt-15-2.html) via the following link <https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/uzvrtt-15-2.html>

Part 4: Assessment

Assessment strategy: Summative assessment of all learning outcomes aims to enable students to demonstrate their understanding of the key themes within the module. The students will be encouraged to provide a detailed application of methods of intervention, the social work role and the principles that underpin engagement with service users. These assessments will involve a viva presentation of 30 minutes maximum consisting of a presentation of 15 minutes and discussion/questions for 15 minutes. Formative assessment/feedback provides opportunities for students to gain feedback on their developing understandings and

knowledge and their evaluation skills.

These will be embedded throughout the module, in group discussions and small group activities. Students will be required to share their understandings and skills with teaching staff, and teaching staff will provide them with feedback on the appropriateness and level of knowledge discussed.

Assessment tasks:

Presentation (First Sit)

Description: Viva presentation of 30 minutes maximum consisting of a presentation of 15 minutes and discussion/questions of 15 minutes.

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

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

Presentation (Resit)

Description: Viva presentation of 30 minutes maximum consisting of a presentation of 15 minutes and discussion/questions of 15 minutes.

Weighting: 100 %

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: