



Module Specification

Contemporary Community Practice

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Part 1: Information

Module title: Contemporary Community Practice

Module code: UZTK9R-20-M

Level: Level 7

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: Contemporary Community Practice 2023-24, Current Issues in Community Practice 2023-24, Current Issues in Community Practice 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: This module has been developed to prepare registered nurses to practice in community settings.

Outline syllabus: Students will typically cover:

Health and Social Care Policy:

Health and social care policy: how services and individuals respond to, initiate and deliver policy

Public Health / Health Promotion and making every contact count

Strategic working practices:

Commissioning and contracting mechanisms

Networking, influencing and political leadership in the context of community nursing

Articulating the value (of professional contribution)

Service evaluation

Responding to the quality agenda

Managing and coordinating care:

Caseload management and coordinating complex care

Managing risk

Managing and leading teams

Service user and carer involvement

Integrated working (Inter-professional and inter-agency):

Concepts of partnership and co-production

Teamwork and integration

Part 3: Teaching and learning methods

Teaching and learning methods: A variety of approaches will be used which may include e-learning, lectures, seminars, group work and self-directed study.

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

MO1 Demonstrate in-depth and advanced knowledge and understanding of literature, research and policy at the forefront of contemporary community nursing practice.

MO2 Synthesise a wide range of evidence to inform service improvement, reaching judgements which extend beyond taught concepts.

MO3 Critically evaluate the opportunities for and challenges to integrated practice within the community setting.

MO4 Evidence comprehensive knowledge and understanding of public health and critically evaluate its application to practice.

MO5 Critically appraise ethical and legal issues relating to their professional practice.

Hours to be allocated: 200

Contact hours:

Independent study/self-guided study = 152 hours

Face-to-face learning = 48 hours

Total = 200

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

Part 4: Assessment

Assessment strategy: A 3000 word project critically analysing and appraising the impact of a policy on current practice.

This will allow students the opportunity to evaluate the implementation of a policy in detail, and critically analyse the impact on day to day care and services. Students will use this analysis to make recommendations regarding improvements in care and services.

Students studying this module will need to explore policy issues and apply these in order to make appropriate recommendations for future care and services.

Students will have the opportunity for formative feedback through supervisory input and peer group work.

Assessment tasks:

Project (First Sit)

Description: 3000 word project

Weighting: 100 %

Final assessment: Yes

Group work: No

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

Project (Resit)

Description: 3000 word project

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:

International Nursing Practice {JEP}[Hainan] MSc 2022-23

Nursing (International)[Villa] MSc 2023-24

Nursing (International)[Glenside] MSc 2023-24

Nursing (International)[BIBM] MSc 2023-24