

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Contemporary Issues in Public and Environmental Health
Status: Definitive
Code: **3002ENVCPH** (129184)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2021

Owning School/Faculty: Public Health Institute
Teaching School/Faculty: Public Health Institute

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Academic Level: FHEQ3 **Credit Value:** 20 **Total Delivered Hours:** 40

Total Learning Hours: 200 **Private Study:** 160

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	10
Online	6
Tutorial	24

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	report	3000 word report on chosen area	100	

Aims

The aim of this module is to introduce students to a range of contemporary issues within the fields of Public and Environmental Health and allow them to explore one issue in particular detail.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Identify and describe a contemporary health issue selected from the range introduced in the module
- 2 Explain the impacts of a contemporary health issue on the public's health
- 3 Identify and discuss the organisations and measures used to minimise or eliminate the impacts on the public's health

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

3000 word report	1	2	3
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Outline Syllabus

Lectures will introduce students to a range of contemporary Public and Environmental health issues. Students will be encouraged to explore and discuss the impacts of one of these issues and consider the steps that can be taken to control or mitigate such impacts

Learning Activities

This module will be delivered using a broken lecture format that will include a combination of formal teaching, online learning activities, group discussions and tutorial sessions

Notes

This course will explore contemporary issues relating to Public and Environmental Health, with students undertaking independent research to explore an issue of their choice in greater depth. There will be a front loading of sessions in the module in order to help students identify a number of contemporary issues; to guide students in the selection of their particular issue and support on how to undertake research and format their report. This will be followed by continuing tutorial support during their independent research.