Introduction to nursing practice

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	4001APRN
Formal Module Title	Introduction to nursing practice
Owning School	Nursing and Allied Health
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	Pass/Not Pass

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Nursing and Allied Health

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	20
Practical	20
Tutorial	6

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-CTY	CTY	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	The aim of this module is to introduce the students to a range of values, attitudes and the technical abilities that underpin safe and effective clinical practice. To introduce the students to a range of values, attitudes and the technical abilities that underpin safe and effective practice for all.

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate achievement of Domain One NMC Professional Values within the practice assessment record
MLO2	2	Demonstrate application of numeracy in regards to medicines management and drug calculations

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	This Module introduces the concept of the delivery of person- centred nursing practices across all population groups and a range of clinical areas.This Module introduces students to the importance of effective communication with people with a range of physical and mental health problems across their lifespan. This includes an introduction to conflict resolution.This Module introduces students to the role of the student nurse in medicines managementDeveloping skills in Clinical observations- temperature, respiratory rate, pulse rate.Clinical Assessment Record keeping- An overview of documentation used in practiceAn introduction to the fundamentals of Eating, drinking, nutrition and hydrationMandatory Training- Basic Life Support and Moving and HandlingAn introduction to Continence promotion – bladder and bowel (includes urinalysis)An introduction to Infection prevention and control- including hand hygiene.An introduction to Skin integrity and pressure ulcer preventionAn introduction to The National Early Warning Score (NEWS) and Paediatric Early Warning Score (PEWS)An introduction to the principles of injection technique.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module aims to prepare the student to actively participate in a range of practicelearning environments. It introduces the skills and professional behaviour necessaryto meet health and social care needs across the lifespan.Practice learning is supported by a formative skills inventory.This practice module includes university-based skill development activities designedto enable students to confidently engage in learning activities whilst on placement.This is reflected in the total contact hours for the module. These are designed toprepare students for all practice learning that meets the standards for pre-registrationeducation. Hence, this contact will be reduced as the student progresses throughthe programme.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Practice	Practice Assessment Record	99	0	MLO1
Centralised Exam	Numeracy exam	1	1	MLO2
Competency	Health Numeracy Exam			MLO1, MLO2

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Heather Kirby	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings