

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Understanding the Role of Nursing Associate  
Status: Definitive  
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Owning School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health  
Teaching School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ4      **Credit Value:** 20      **Total Delivered Hours:** 48  
**Total Learning Hours:** 200      **Private Study:** 152

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: S1, S2 and NS2 (S2 for Jan)

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	26
Online	20
Tutorial	2

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	Essay	Essay 3500 words	100	

### Aims

*To introduce learners to the role of the Nursing Associate*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Explore the concepts of professional values and parameters of practice as applied to the role of the Nursing Associate in practice
- 2 Be aware of the key determinants of health and how they affect the health and well-being of individuals and families
- 3 Demonstrate a fundamental understanding of the principles of holistic care.
- 4 Reflect on the role of the Nursing Associate within care delivery

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Essay	2	3	4	1
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## Outline Syllabus

*Professional values and parameters of practice*

*Consent, confidentiality and mental capacity*

*Accountability and responsibilities of the Nursing Associate, to include health screening, health promotion and awareness of the inequalities of health.*

*Professional standards and values*

*Reflective skills and personal development planning*

*Resilience and personal health*

*Person-centred approaches to care*

*All our health- making health checks inc physical activity and smoking*

*The role of the Nursing Associate in patient safety /risk assessment, protecting privacy and dignity*

*Infection control*

*Introduction to safe handling of medicines including errors, adverse reactions, yellow card system, PGD*

## Learning Activities

Lecture

Tutorial

Work based learning

Simulated practice skills

Guided reading and directed learning

## Notes

This module will provide foundation for the generic knowledge, skills and attributes required within a range of healthcare settings. Critical to this, students will be required to develop a greater understanding of the professional values and parameters of the role of the Nursing Associate and be able to demonstrate this through their practice. Students will be expected to study independently using

directed materials from the module content.