

Summary Information

Module Code	4100MW
Formal Module Title	Midwifery Skills and Practice Level 4
Owning School	Nursing and Allied Health
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	Pass/Not Pass

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Sarah McNamara	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Nursing and Allied Health

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
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Online	10
Practical	40
Tutorial	1
Workshop	6

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
SEP-CTY	CTY	September	28 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To demonstrate the ability to provide continuity of midwifery carer across the whole continuum of care and in diverse settings for women and newborn infants with and without complications and additional care needs.
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Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Identify how the needs of the woman, fetus/baby and the family are assessed.
MLO2	Demonstrate the knowledge and use of midwifery and clinical skills within midwifery care.
MLO3	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the importance of optimising normal physiological processes, supporting safe physical, psychological, social and cultural care.
MLO4	Demonstrate the skills of numeracy, literacy, digital, media, and technological literacy needed to ensure safe and effective midwifery practice.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus
Clinical Skills: Handwashing, ANNT, urinalysis, catheterisation, baseline observations, antenatal examination, postnatal examination, venepuncture, injection administration, administration of medicines, Cannulation, FH auscultation, CTG interpretation, vaginal examinations, Perineal Suturing, ECG analysis. History taking, BFI, Case-loading, safe-medicate, Tissue viability, last offices. Assessed practice experience in the care and management of women throughout the childbirth continuum. NMC Standards of Proficiency and the Domains (NMC, 2019).

Module Overview

This module will demonstrate the ability to provide continuity of midwifery carer across the whole continuum of care and in diverse settings for women and new-born infants with and without complications and additional care needs.

Additional Information

This is a non-standard year-long module, and runs across the course of the year to enable practice to be completed. This module will build on the knowledge gained across level 4 and at point of assessment allow the student to triangulate their knowledge to enable transfer of knowledge of women in their care. Students will undertake caseloading in order to expose them to continuity of care within their practice. Students will be required to pass 100% of their Midwifery Ongoing Record of Achievement: NMC Proficiencies for Midwives (2019) document (MORA). Under PRSB requirements this assessment document can only be attempted twice and thus an ESR is not permitted. The Safe Medicate competency will be assessed using an online software package. This needs to be passed at 100% in level 4 in order to prove competence. This also meets the other learning outcomes such as the use of technology, digital media and ensuring safety. Students can be considered for a third attempt at the numeracy competency component (Safe Medicate Practice) in 4100MW. Students awarded a fail grade for both first and referral attempts at the practice component in 4100MW, will not be allowed to continue on the programme. Where students are given a Final Module Attempt in 4100MW but have previously successfully completed the practice component, this component will be carried forward and will not be required to be attempted again as part of the final module attempt.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Report	MORA document	100	0	MLO1, MLO4, MLO2, MLO3
Competency	Safe Medicate Practice			MLO4