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Title: Developing Counselling Skills in Clinical Practice
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Owning School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health
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Academic Level: FHEQ4 **Credit Value:** 24 **Total Delivered Hours:** 48
Total Learning Hours: 240 **Private Study:** 192

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	30
Tutorial	8
Workshop	10

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Report	AS1	Report 2500 words	100	

Aims

1. To provide students with the knowledge and understanding of the range of supervision models.
2. To provide students with the ability to work safely, ethically and legally as an independent practitioner
3. To enable students to respond and manage ethical dilemmas.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate an understanding of professional standards of conduct within the BACP ethical framework.
- 2 Discuss the role and value of supervision in professional practice.
- 3 Explain the ethical issues and dilemmas relating to the professional practice of counselling.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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Outline Syllabus

BACP student membership
Professional standards of conduct
BACP ethical framework and principles
Responsibility to clients
The counselling profession
Relevant legislation
Models of supervision
Professional development
Ethical problem solving
Materials used in supervision
Oppression
Working with diversity and difference
Anti-discrimination and equality working
Record keeping
Care of self
Conflicts of interest
Referrals

Learning Activities

This module will be delivered by a series of lectures, tutorials, practical work, workshop activity and private study, research, scenarios, group discussions, evaluations.

Its Learning (VLE) will be utilised as an additional learning resource on this module. This will provide links to academic web-sites and on-line journals, facilitate group discussion outside of the classroom, access to outline lecture notes, and provide students with assessment details.

Regular tutorials will provide opportunities for informal formative assessment to support student learning and discuss further progress.

References

Course Material: Book
Author: Scaife, J
Publishing Year: 2010
Title: Supervising the Reflective Practitioner
Subtitle: An Essential Guide to Theory and Practice
Edition:
Publisher: Routledge
ISBN: 978-0415479585

Course Material: Book
Author: Reynolds Welfel, E
Publishing Year: 2012
Title: Ethics in Counselling and Psychotherapy
Subtitle:
Edition: 5th
Publisher: Broadman & Holman Publishers
ISBN: 978-0840028587

Course Material: Book
Author: Bond, T
Publishing Year: 2009
Title: Standards and Ethics for Counselling in Action
Subtitle:
Edition: 3rd
Publisher: Sage Publications
ISBN: 978-1412902397

Notes

This work based learning module will provide you with knowledge and understanding of the need and value of supervision in developing and maintaining a safe, responsible and reflective practice. Course material will address the nature of the supervisory relationship, and enable you to consider the effectiveness of supervision in relation to your practice. The module aims to enable you to identify the type(s) of supervision you need to work ethically and effectively. You will gain knowledge and understanding of the range of supervision models, contract with a supervisor and contracting. You will develop an understanding of how supervision informs and improves practice and knowledge of the key concepts of BACP ethical framework and working with difference and diversity.