

Summary Information

Module Code	4515ARCMH
Formal Module Title	Social Policy
Owning School	Nursing and Allied Health
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 4
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Nelson and Colne College Group

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	45
Tutorial	3

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-PAR	PAR	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	1. To gain an insight and understanding of the legislative and policy framework that has structured the development of mental health care provision in Britain, following deinstitutionalisation. 2. To situate Safeguarding legislation and guidance within all aspects of mental health care practice.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Explain the nature and role of social policy within the context of mental health care.
MLO2	2	Identify the contribution of individuals, groups and organisations (actors) in the shaping and development of mental health care provision.
MLO3	3	Demonstrate a working knowledge of current policy frameworks shaping mental health practice.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Social policy and its' role in relation to mental health in the UK Interpretations from economic, political, sociological and epidemiological perspectives Influence of stakeholders in mental health care Deinstitutionalisation and the move towards community care for people with mental illness The NHS and Community Care Act (1990) The political concept of the 'internal market' Safeguarding adults in mental health Human rights and mental capacity Mental Health Act (1983 – amended in 2007) Exploration of issues relating to non-accidental injuries in children and young people -policies and guidance on safeguarding Child protection Safeguarding adults Professional accountability and the regulation of services The Care Quality Commission Equality Act (2010) Equality and Human Rights Commission Gender and mental health policy Feminist perspectives on mental health The emotional effects of domestic violence Payment by Results (PbR) Key Performance Indicators (KPI) Commissioning Quality & Innovation (CQUIN) NHS Long Term Plan (2019)
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module provides an overview of social policy both past and present. It encourages students to appraise the development and implementation of legislation and welfare policy and to discuss and analyse how this may influence both positively and negatively upon the context of mental health practice. Regular tutorials will provide opportunities for informal formative assessment to support student learning and discuss their overall progress. Students will choose a policy or government strategy re mental health and evaluate it and put forward suggestions for improvement or amendments that could be made to improve it.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Presentation	Presentation 10 mins	25	0	MLO1, MLO2
Essay	Essay 2250 words	75	0	MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Philomene Uwamaliya	Yes	N/A
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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