

Mental Health Conditions

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	5507PSYSLI
Formal Module Title	Mental Health Conditions
Owning School	Psychology
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	34
Seminar	7

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To investigate current approaches to the study of mental health. To critically evaluate theories of mental health disorders and related treatment options. To consider models of mental health disorders and the benefits of moving towards a biopsychosocial model. To evaluate the impact of chronic health conditions on mental health and wellbeing.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Demonstrate appropriate knowledge of aetiology of mental health disorders, their causes and their treatments.
MLO2	2	Describe, explain and evaluate current theories of the causes of mental health disorders.
MLO3	3	Evaluate the theoretical rationale for the treatments of mental health disorders.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	This module critically examines core issues in the field of mental disorders. These include the conceptual and theoretical basis of definition and classification of a range of mental disorders often encountered by psychologists practising in clinical settings, such as hospitals, prisons and community facilities. These will include, for example, conditions such as depressive disorders, anxiety disorders, psychotic disorders, personality disorders and substance abuse disorders. Students will be presented with information that guides the diagnosis, explanation and various treatments for disorders such as these, with a view to providing a basis for future study and/or employment in this fascinating area.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module follows on from Mental Health and Wellbeing at Level 4 and will investigate the aetiology and incidence of various mental disorders.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Test	Phased tests	30	0	MLO1
Report	Case study	70	0	MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Simon Cooper	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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