

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Environment and Sustainability
Status: Definitive
Code: **6003HS** (127754)
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Owning School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health
Teaching School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health

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Academic Level: FHEQ6
Credit Value: 20
Total Delivered Hours: 40
Total Learning Hours: 200
Private Study: 160

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	20
Workshop	20

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	ASS1	Individual presentation lasting 15 minutes evaluating issues relating to environment and sustainability	100	

Aims

After completing this module, students will be able to critically discuss the effect of climate change on health and well-being.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Evaluate the relationship between the environment and sustainability
- 2 Synthesise sustainability issues, health, wellbeing and healthcare provision
- 3 Apply systems theory to health, social care and wellbeing
- 4 Evaluate policy responses to climate change and sustainability

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Individual presentation	1	2	3	4
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Outline Syllabus

Human impact on the environment

Healthy and unhealthy ecosystems and the consequences for human health and well-being

Understanding of wellbeing

Understanding of health determinants and associated risk factors

Public health and the environment

Climate change

The use and application of case studies

Social and health inequalities

Social prescribing

Learning Activities

Learning activities will adopt a broken lecture format that will include a combination of formal teaching, group discussion, small group work and workshop style activities

Notes

Sustainability, health and wellbeing are global issues. Every nation is facing significant challenges.

Climate change is broadly recognised as the biggest global health threat. Together with other factors such as an increasingly aging population, multimorbidity, disability, depleting resources and issues related to wide scale health and wealth inequality, the challenges facing global health are substantial.

During this module we will explore the extent of the global challenges and will apply our thinking to local cities and local communities.