## **Liverpool** John Moores University

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Title: CLINICAL NUTRITION

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Owning School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ6 Value: 24 Delivered 63

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 240 Study: 177

Hours:

**Delivery Options** 

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours		
Lecture	30		
Practical	8		
Seminar	10		
Workshop	12		

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1		50	
Exam	AS2		50	3

#### **Aims**

To understand the relationship between nutrition, pathology and clinical outcome for selected disorders and the value of therapeutic nutrition.

# **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Explain the nutritional significance of a variety of pathological states
- 2 Explain the theoretical basis for, and the value of, therapeutic nutrional regimens for a variety of clinical disorders
- 3 Understand the wider impact of therapeutic nutritional regimens e.g. issues of compliance and peer acceptance.

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Essay 3

Exam 1 2

# **Outline Syllabus**

Nutrition and the metabolic response to injury (trauma, burns etc.). Biochemical/physiological basis of selected disorders eg diabetes I & II, obesity, coeliac disease, cystic fibrosis, phenylketonuria (inherited disorders of metabolism), hyperlipidaemias etc. (epidemiology, natural history, aetiology, diagnosis, therapy), eating disorders.

Nutritional support: parenteral, enteral.

Dietary treatment of selected disorders: e.g. diabetes I & II, obesity, coeliac.

Role of 'Industry' in treating these disorders.

Impact of dietary treatment e.g. on individuals & communities; especially children.

#### **Learning Activities**

Formal lectures serve to map out the module syllabus and indicate the level of study required. This develops the students skills in listening and processing technical information. The students are encouraged to interact during the lectures; to question, to express opinions and to influence the content. Thus the distinction between lecture/ seminar and workshops is not rigid. Distinct workshops are held to enable students to work in small groups to analyse policies and behaviour, debate issues and suggest solutions to problems set. Students are strongly encouraged to discover information for themselves and take responsibility for their own learning making full use of the LRC.

## **Notes**

This module examines the role of nutrition in the treatment and outcome of a variety of disorders. It examines the theory of dietary change and nutritonal support. Evidence from this module may contribute to WoW certification.