

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Midwifery Skills & Practice Level 6
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health
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Academic Level: FHEQ6 **Credit Value:** 40 **Total Delivered Hours:** 95
Total Learning Hours: 400 **Private Study:** 305

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Online	4
Practical	80
Tutorial	1
Workshop	10

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Test	AS1	Students will be assessed on obstetric emergencies and additional complications.	100	1

Competency	Safe Medicate Practice and MORA Practice Document
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Aims

To enable the student to develop skills in managing obstetric emergencies and offer first line management in a timely collaboration with the interdisciplinary team.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically apply an evidence-based approach to respond promptly to signs of compromise and deterioration in the woman, fetus and newborn infant.
- 2 Make clinical decisions based on need and best practice evidence in emergency situations, act on those decisions and critically reflect upon them.
- 3 Safely demonstrate evidence-based best practice in all core and domain-specific skills.
- 4 Demonstrate the skills of numeracy, literacy, digital, media, and technological literacy needed to ensure safe and effective midwifery practice.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

VIVA	1	2	3	4
Safe Medicate Practice and MORA Practice Document	1	2	3	4

Outline Syllabus

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Clinical Skills: Cannulation, amniotomy, episiotomy, Perineal Suturing, CTG interpretation, FSE application, ECG assessment, blood product transfusion.

Simulation of Obstetric Emergencies: Pre-eclampsia/Eclampsia, MOH, shoulder dystocia, breech birth, PE, uterine inversion/rupture, AFE, clinical shock, maternal and neonatal arrest, maternal and neonatal resuscitation, sepsis.

Complex Care: hypertensive diseases, acute fatty liver, placental abruption, DIC, cord presentation, HELLP syndrome, HDU/ICU care, hemodynamic monitoring, postnatal complications, tocophobia, pain management.

BFI, safe-medicate, Case-loading, nutrition, VTE, maternal mental health.

Continuity of care and outcomes, caseloading.

Learning Activities

Lectures with discussions, workshops, on-line learning, tutorials, simulation and self-directed study.

Students will be formatively assessed throughout this module and specifically by: practice VIVA Voce and feedback, filmed simulation scenarios with feedback, peer presentation of caseloading experience.

Notes

This is a non-standard year-long module, and runs across the course of the year to enable practice to be completed.

A practice document MORA is attached to this module and needs to be passed in order to complete the requirements of the programme and be eligible for entry onto the Midwifery Professional Register.

The assessment is component marked. The VIVA Voce is made up of 4 components. If students fail 1 or 2 VIVA components then they will be required to re-sit the 1 or 2 components they have failed. If students fail 3 or 4 components they will be required to re-sit all 4 components.

This module will provide students with the opportunity to consolidate skills practised in levels 4 and 5. The student will demonstrate knowledge and understanding that the complications and additional care needs of women, newborn infants, partners and families may relate to physical, psychological, social, cultural, and spiritual factors.

During this module students will carry caseloads in order to build on their caseloading experiences from levels 4 and 5.

They will be required to pass 100% of their Midwifery Ongoing Record of Achievement: NMC Proficiencies for Midwives (2019) document (MORA).

The Safe Medicate competency will be assessed using an online software package. This needs to be passed at 100% in level 6 in order to prove competence. This also meets the other learning outcomes such as the use of technology, digital media and ensuring safety.

Students cannot be given a third attempt (either an Exceptional Second Referral or Final Module Attempt) at the competency component (MORA Practice Document) in 6100MW. Students awarded a fail grade for both first and referral attempts at the competency component (MORA Practice Document) in 6100MW will not be allowed to continue on the programme.

However, students can be considered for a third attempt at the test assessment and the competency component (Safe Medicate Practice) in 6100MW. Where students are given a Final Module Attempt in 6100MW but have previously successfully completed the practice component (MORA Practice Document), this component will be carried forward and will not be required to be attempted again as part of the final module attempt.