

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Co-ordinating Safe, Quality Mental Health Care  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **6103NRSMH** (127793)  
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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: Runs Twice - S1 & S2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	20
Workshop	20

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	OSCE	OSCE- related to nursing proficiencies and calculation of medicines (40 minutes)	90	
Test	Test	Health numeracy assessment	10	

### Aims

*To establish how complex care be delivered safely for in mental health nursing.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically examine the conditions and requirements for autonomous decision making in the management of complex care needs in mental health nursing
- 2 Critically review quality assurance processes for well-coordinated care
- 3 Critically appraise advanced medication management in mental health nursing
- 4 Reflect on the nurse's role in prescribing

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

OSCE	1	2	3	4
Health numeracy assessment	3			

## Outline Syllabus

*Co-morbidity, physiological and psychological vulnerability across the lifespan (epidemiology) applied to health, ill health, disability, ageing and death relating to the individual systems*

*Advanced pharmacology*

*Neurological disorders including psychological conditions including psychosis*

*Alcohol and drug misuse*

*Advancing systematic history taking/assessment*

*Undertaking routine investigations and interpreting and sharing findings*

*Interpreting results from routine investigations and taking relevant action following these*

*Exploring co-morbidities in patients who have complex care needs, both in the acute and chronically unwell person.*

*End of life care and associated decision making processes and patient/carer/family involvement*

*Working in partnership with others to deliver safe, quality and well co-ordinated care  
Co-ordination and planning in the safe discharge of patients home and between care settings*

*Clinical skills*

*Biophysics, biochemistry and radiology*

*ILS (optional)*

*Advanced Care planning*

*Advanced medication management*

*The principles and practice of nurse prescribing and managing psychotropic medication*

*Medication reduction / cessation plans in serious mental illness*

## Learning Activities

The module is primarily lecture-based but students will also engage in a range of other activities including small group tutorials, clinical skills sessions, simulated practice sessions, on line learning and presentations. There will also be a number of diagnostic and formative problem solving exercises and quizzes using the VLE.

## **Notes**

In addition to the contact hours above there are 160 private study hours. 85 hours are guided, this includes online and assessment preparation. Online hours are e-learning.

75 hours are independent study

Please note that workshop hours account for simulated theoretical learning, in accordance with NMC standard 3.4

Students must achieve a 100% pass of the Test element, in accordance with the NMC standard, if this is not passed the student would fail the module overall.