

## **Module Proforma**

**Approved, 2022.05** 

# **Summary Information**

| Module Code         | 6212PSDH                    |
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| Formal Module Title | Pathway – Response Policing |
| Owning School       | Justice Studies             |
| Career              | Undergraduate               |
| Credits             | 20                          |
| Academic level      | FHEQ Level 6                |
| Grading Schema      | 40                          |

## **Module Contacts**

### **Module Leader**

| Contact Name    | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------|
| Michael Barrett | Yes                      | N/A       |

### **Module Team Member**

| Contact Name Applies to all offerings Offerings |  |
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## **Partner Module Team**

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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# **Teaching Responsibility**

| LJMU Schools involved in Delivery |  |
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| Justice Studies                   |  |

# **Learning Methods**

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
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| Lecture            | 35  |
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| Placement/Practice | 125 |
| Seminar            | 20  |
| Workshop           | 20  |

## Module Offering(s)

| Offering Code | Location | Start Month                         | Duration |
|---------------|----------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| APR-MTP       | MTP      | April                               | 12 Weeks |
| JAN-MTP       | MTP      | January                             | 12 Weeks |
| SEP-MTP       | MTP      | September                           | 12 Weeks |
| SEP_NS-MTP    | MTP      | September (Non-standard start date) | 12 Weeks |

### **Aims and Outcomes**

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The module is intended to ensure that DA's have the knowledge understanding andskills to conduct more complex investigations, in a Response Policing context. They will review the evidence base in this area and research how to implement anddevelop practical solutions to provide effective policing methods in this area whilstfurthering their own competence within the pathway.

## **Learning Outcomes**

### After completing the module the student should be able to:

| Code | Description  |
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| MLO1 | Analyse specific challenges faced by response officers in more complex response situations and contexts.                       |
| MLO2 | Evaluate key social, political and strategic drivers impacting upon contemporary response policing.                            |
| MLO3 | Design strategies for how those involved in response policing can remain effective in an increasingly challenging environment. |
| MLO4 | Compare and contrast the evidence base specifically associated with responding to major and critical incidents.                |

#### **Module Content**

#### **Outline Syllabus**

Reducing knife crime What constitutes a firearms incident Role of the NDM in firearms incidents Building trust - with the vulnerable e.g. homeless people, missing persons The 'pack mentality' and the actions of organised low-level crime syndicates Recording police action on social media How to increase police visibility and accessibility to the public Radicalisation and perceptions of the effectiveness of the 'prevent' strategy Impact of social and political change upon response policing How response policing adapts to reduced resources and financial constraints Analysing and reporting on issues such as: • Current policing awareness of social/community issues • Cultural/socio-political influences and change PEEL reports into police effectiveness Reforms required to enable the police service to fulfil its primary functions Potential impact of resourcing demands on policing: • Doing more with less money and fewer officers • Increasing and different demands e.g. mental health and social issues, technical/digital crime, extremism • Staffing levels, abstractions and availability • Maintaining morale when faced with extent and pace of change How response policing can deal with challenges posed by issues of resourcing How personal pressures generated by response policing can be alleviated: • Personal time management - balancing efficiency and effectiveness with professionalism and stress • Being proactive to help prevent or reduce crime and disorder • Personal coping strategies, including formal channels of support

#### **Module Overview**

#### **Additional Information**

Indicative Content 1.1 Street gang culture and their power within communities 1.2 Reducing knife crime 1.3 Circumstances constituting a firearms incident 1.4 Role of the NDM in firearms incidents 1.5 Building trust - how the police can build trust with the vulnerable e.g. homeless people, missing persons 1.6 The 'pack mentality' and the actions of organised low-level crime syndicates e.g. shoplifting teams, pick pockets 1.7 Recording police action on social media 1.8 How to increase police visibility and accessibility to the public 2.1 Impact of social and political change upon response policing 2.2 How response policing has adapted to a reduction in police numbers and growing financial constraints 2.3 Analysing and reporting on issues such as: • Current policing awareness of social/community issues • Cultural/socio-political influences and change 3.1 PEEL reports into police effectiveness 3.2 Reforms required to enable the police service to fulfil its primary functions 3.3 Potential impact of resourcing demands on policing: • Doing more with less money and fewer officers • Increasing and different demands e.g. mental health and social issues, technical/digital crime, extremism • Staffing levels, abstractions and availability • Maintaining morale when faced with extent and pace of change 3.4 How response policing can deal with challenges posed by issues of resourcing 3.5 How personal pressures generated by response policing can be alleviated: • Personal time management - balancing efficiency and effectiveness with professionalism and stress levels • Personal coping strategies, including formal channels of support (See also under 'Wellbeing and Resilience')

All assessed components on this module must be successfully passed for credit to be released.

### **Assessments**

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name       | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Learning<br>Outcome<br>Mapping |
|---------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Essay               | 2000 words essay      | 40     | 1                        | MLO1, MLO2                     |
| Centralised Exam    | 2500 words equivalent | 60     | 1                        | MLO3, MLO4                     |