

# Palaeopathology

## Module Information

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### Summary Information

Module Code	6310NATSCI
Formal Module Title	Palaeopathology
Owning School	Biological and Environmental Sciences
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Biological and Environmental Sciences

### Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	19
Practical	17
Workshop	4

### Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-CTY	CTY	September	12 Weeks

### Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To examine the evidence for disease in human skeletal remains and place it in the appropriate forensic context.
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**After completing the module the student should be able to:**

### Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Differentiate between pathological conditions and normal variation.
MLO2	2	Identify, describe and diagnose pathological processes in the skeleton.
MLO3	3	Interpret pathological evidence and understand how it relates to identification and forensic issues (e.g. cause of death).

### Module Content

Outline Syllabus	History and principles of medicine and palaeopathology, infection, joint disease, congenital disease, metabolic disease, dental disease, neoplasms, pseudopathology, trauma.
Module Overview	This module provides a brief history of medicine and gives you the knowledge to identify the signs of disease in the human skeleton and relate their findings to a broader forensic and archaeological context.
Additional Information	This module provides a brief history of medicine and gives students the knowledge to identify the signs of disease in the human skeleton and relate their findings to a broader forensic and archaeological context.

### Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Test	Online test	40	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3
Report	Skeleton Report	60	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

### Module Contacts

#### Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Constantine Eliopoulos	Yes	N/A

#### Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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