Clinical Examination

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7003MMADV
Formal Module Title	Clinical Examination
Owning School	Nursing and Allied Health
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	10
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Nursing and Allied Health

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	12
Online	74
Practical	12

Module Offering(s)

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

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To provide the healthcare practitioner with the skills and knowledge required to perform clinical examination of clients in a variety of settings

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Critically examine the social, cultural, ethical and legal dimensions of clinical examination
MLO2	2	Critically review a clinical history and examination to make an appropriate referral to other members of the healthcare team.
MLO3	3	Demonstrate the ability to integrate knowledge of normal and disordered physiology in the clinical examination of clients
MLO4	4	Demonstrate Knowledge and Skill acquisition in the comprehensive clinical assessment and examination of a patient
MLO5	5	Critically evaluate the professional aspects of advanced nursing practice

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Foundations of clinical examination and history taking. Clinical examination of the following body systems: Neurological, cardiovascular, respiratory, abdominal, musculoskeletal, head neck ENT, ophthalmological. Integration of advanced practice role into clinical examination techniques. Professional and legal implications
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module is designed for experienced healthcare practitioners who are currently involved in developing their skills in clinical examination.Objectively structured clinical examination(OSCE) is a pass/fail element of the module.The module learning outcomes and relevant subject benchmark statements are in line with the QAA framework for higher education qualifications in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. The module is aligned to the Level 7 descriptors for a Level 7 Higher Education Qualification.The module is delivered over one semester.The criteria for admission to the module is that candidates are currently working as a registered professional in a relevant area of practice. Ideally candidates will have studied at degree (level 6) however if this is not the case the applicants skills and professional experience will be discussed to allow the module leader to assess capability to study at level 7The final award is a Continuing Professional Development – Clinical examination The students have access to Canvas and the University's other range of electronic support such as access to the electronic library facilities. The students also have access to the module leader through phone contact, emails and face to face meetings. A module guide is also provided which guides students to the wider range of support available.The programme is assessed and run in line with the Academic Framework 2013- 14 http://www.ljmu.ac.uk/eaqs/121984.htmAttendance is required throughout the module and will be monitored as required by HENW.Module written in 2014The methods for improving the quality and standards of learning are as follows:• Annual monitoring Review• Feedback from the students and Boards of Study• Reports from External Examiner• Ensuring the module reflects the values of the current teaching and learning strategyThis is a stand-alone CPD. An appropriately qualified external examiner will be selected from the team for the MSc Advanced Practice.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Centralised Exam	Examination	100	1	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4, MLO5

| Competency | Health Practice | | | MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4 |

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Susan Baker	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings