

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: International Health
Status: Definitive
Code: **7005PUBHEA** (123889)
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Owning School/Faculty: Public Health Institute
Teaching School/Faculty: Public Health Institute

| Team | Leader |
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Academic Level: FHEQ7 **Credit Value:** 10 **Total Delivered Hours:** 24
Total Learning Hours: 100 **Private Study:** 76

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

| Component | Contact Hours |
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| Lecture | 22 |

Grading Basis: 50 %

Assessment Details

| Category | Short Description | Description | Weighting (%) | Exam Duration |
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| Exam | Exam | Unseen exam 2 hours | 100 | 2 |

Aims

To enhance knowledge and understanding of international approaches to health system development and maternal and child health

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically analyse the relationship between health and sustainable development

- 2 Critically appraise health system development in low and middle income countries
- 3 Critically evaluate international and national response to maternal/reproductive and child health in low and middle income countries

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

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| Unseen exam | 1 | 2 | 3 |
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Outline Syllabus

- An introduction to international health: historical development and conceptual analysis*
- Health and human development: what is the relationship*
- The World Health Organisation: Strategic role*
- Universal Health Coverage*
- Health System Development*
- Primary Health Care*
- Maternal and Child Health*
- Reproductive and sexual health*
- Voluntary Health Workers*
- Community health needs*

Learning Activities

Lectures; video discussion workshops; seminar workshops; Blackboard based activities: online quizzes, discussion boards

Notes

This module explores the idea of international health and human development. It examines both the determinants of health, and aspects of health system development. It evaluates a number of international strategies aimed at health for all and explores the role of primary health care in local level health improvement.