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**Academic Level:** FHEQ7      **Credit Value:** 10      **Total Delivered Hours:** 41  
**Total Learning Hours:** 100      **Private Study:** 59

**Delivery Options**

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	30
Practical	6
Tutorial	5

**Grading Basis:** 50 %

**Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	Portfolio	A portfolio of evidence to demonstrate achievement of learning outcomes and competencies	100	

<b>Competency</b>	Practice
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**Aims**

*To develop the skills of experienced Children's Nurses in the performance of generic*

*physical examination and history taking.*

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate effective history taking techniques
- 2 Reflect upon development of clinical skills related to the performance of examination techniques and interpretation of findings in children
- 3 Demonstrate a critical understanding of professional issues related to expansion of nursing roles

## **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Practice Portfolio	1	2	3
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Practice

## **Outline Syllabus**

*indicative content:*

*\*Professional and ethical issues related to role expansion*

*\*History taking and Health Assessment*

*\*Documentation of physical examination findings*

*\*Related anatomy & physiology underpinning physical examination*

*\*Physical examination skills in major systems: Respiratory, Cardiovascular, Abdominal, HEENT, Nervous system, MSK, & Dermatology*

*\*Skills practise in simulated settings*

## **Learning Activities**

Lead lectures, practical demonstrations, group discussions, student history presentations and role-play

## **Notes**

This module has been adapted from an existing Paediatric Clinical Examination module to meet identified learning needs within Manchester Children's Hospital (MCH). It is designed for Paediatric Nurses working within MCH who are working within identified clinical areas and wish to develop their assessment skills to a higher level with support in practice from clinical mentors. The assessment strategy consists of practice portfolio, demonstrating developing clinical skills.