

Health Improvement

Module Information

2022.01, Approved

Summary Information

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| Module Code | 7504PUBUNI |
| Formal Module Title | Health Improvement |
| Owning School | Public Health Institute |
| Career | Postgraduate Taught |
| Credits | 20 |
| Academic level | FHEQ Level 7 |
| Grading Schema | 50 |

Teaching Responsibility

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| LJMU Schools involved in Delivery |
| LJMU Partner Taught |

Partner Teaching Institution

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| Institution Name |
| Unicaf |

Learning Methods

| Learning Method Type | Hours |
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| Online | 20 |

Module Offering(s)

| Display Name | Location | Start Month | Duration Number Duration Unit |
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| JAN-PAR | PAR | January | 28 Weeks |

Aims and Outcomes

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| Aims | To provide students with the theoretical and practical knowledge and skills to effectively plan, implement and evaluate health improvement projects and programmes, to improve health and well being of populations. |
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

| Code | Number | Description |
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| MLO1 | 1 | Critically discuss the theories, models, principles and strategies of health improvement |
| MLO2 | 2 | Critically evaluate contemporary health improvement projects and programmes |
| MLO3 | 3 | Plan and present a health improvement intervention |

Module Content

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| Outline Syllabus | The syllabus will be structured around 3 approaches to health improvement: health promotion, prevention and community development and will include aspects of the following: •Theories, models and approaches to health promotion •Behaviour change models at the individual, community and agency level •Concepts, principles and strategies of community development •Intervention planning, design and development •Evaluation of health improvement initiatives |
| Module Overview | |
| Additional Information | This module encourages students to develop knowledge and competence in the area of health improvement. The module will focus on the use of health improvement approaches: health promotion, prevention and community development to influence health and health seeking behaviours and the wider socio-cultural environment of populations, communities and individuals, to improve their health and well-being and reduce inequalities. The focus of the module is to compare different approaches and consider what are the most applicable interventions in your setting. |

Assessments

| Assignment Category | Assessment Name | Weight | Exam/Test Length (hours) | Module Learning Outcome Mapping |
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| Essay | 2500 word essay | 50 | 0 | MLO1, MLO2 |
| Essay | 2500 word essay reflection | 50 | 0 | MLO3 |

Module Contacts

Module Leader

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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| Rose Khatri | Yes | N/A |

Partner Module Team

| Contact Name | Applies to all offerings | Offerings |
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