

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: COMPARATIVE HEALTH POLICY  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **7512SACADV** (110233)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health  
Teaching School/Faculty: Nursing and Allied Health

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ7  
**Credit Value:** 60.00  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 24.00  
**Total Learning Hours:** 600  
**Private Study:** 576

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	24.000

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	Essay	A study on the choice of the student based on the guidelines given	100.0	

### Aims

*The aim of the module is to enable the student to understand the processes of policy formulation – both national and international - and implementation in health care, and that the student will be prepared to contribute more effectively to the policy agenda within their own working environment.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Analyse the processes underpinning policy formation at local, national and international level.
- 2 Assess the impact of global health issues upon services delivered locally.
- 3 Analyse and compare differing models of funding and care delivery used by a range of national governments.

### Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Study on chosen topic      1      2      3

### Outline Syllabus

*Classifications of health care systems, Cultural explanations for health care provision, USA health care system, Singapore health care system, Japanese health care system, UK health care system, Malaysian health care system, Effect of political system on health care provision, Funding of health care, Patient choice, Roles of practitioners from an global perspective, Global health issues, Impact of globalisation on health, WHO, Government and the marketplace.*

### Learning Activities

Lectures and discussions with individual support

### References

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Blank, R.H. & Burau, V.
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2007
<b>Title</b>	Comparative Health Policy,
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	2nd Edition
<b>Publisher</b>	Palgrave, Basingstoke UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Chee, H.L. & Barroclough, S.
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2008
<b>Title</b>	Health Care in Malaysia
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Taylor and Francis, London, UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

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<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Glasby, J. & Dickinson, H.
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2009
<b>Title</b>	International Perspectives on Health and Social Care,
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Wiley, London, UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Buse, K., Mays, N. & Walt, G.
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2005
<b>Title</b>	Making Health Policy
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Open University Press, Maidenhead, UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Holtz, C.
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2008
<b>Title</b>	Global Health Care: Issues and Policies
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Jones and Bartlett, Sudbury, UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

<b>Course Material</b>	Book
<b>Author</b>	Creighton-Campbell, J. & Ikegami, N,
<b>Publishing Year</b>	2008
<b>Title</b>	The Art of Balance in Health Policy: Maintaining Japan's Low-cost, Egalitarian System
<b>Subtitle</b>	
<b>Edition</b>	
<b>Publisher</b>	Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, UK.
<b>ISBN</b>	

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## Notes

This module will allow students to explore health policy from a global perspective. This will begin to enable the students to make comparisons with health care policy in their own context