

Summary Information

Module Code	7711ORYXLM
Formal Module Title	Command and Decision Making in Critical Incidents
Owning School	Business and Management
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	10
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Oliver Kayas	Yes	N/A

Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Business and Management

Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
Oryx Universal College WLL

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	12
Practical	2
Tutorial	2
Workshop	2

Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
APR-PAR	PAR	April	12 Weeks
JAN-PAR	PAR	January	12 Weeks
SEP-PAR	PAR	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	<p>This module will identify and critically assess the constituents of a critical incident and raise knowledge and understanding of the psychological processes involved in the associated decision making process.</p> <p>Students will also assess the role and effectiveness of post incident management theories and processes, together with the legal liabilities that often arise from critical incidents.</p>
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Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Evaluate the scope of critical incidents and assess the command structures in place within policing and law enforcement
MLO2	Critically evaluate the decision making models that apply to critical incidents and the associated psychological processes

MLO3	Critically evaluate the post incident management procedures used within policing and law enforcement
MLO4	Critically assess the multi-agency working and legal liabilities in dealing with critical incidents

Module Content

Outline Syllabus

Critical Incidents and Critical Incident Command
 Critical Incident Decision Making Models
 The Psychology of Decision Making
 Post Incident Management procedures
 Staff Wellbeing
 Press and Media Considerations and Issues
 Multi-agency Working in Critical Incidents
 Legal and Operational Liabilities

Module Overview

This module will focus on what defines a critical incident, the command structures, decision making process and post incident management procedures.

It will also consider the responsibilities of leaders in policing and law enforcement in dealing with staff wellbeing, associated press and media issues together with legal principles.

Additional Information

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Essay	Essay	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4