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MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Radiography Elective Placement

Reference	HS3123	Version	1
Created	February 2018	SCQF Level	SCQF 9
Approved	July 2018	SCQF Points	30
Amended		ECTS Points	15

Aims of Module

The aim of this module is to enable the student to develop clinical knowledge and skills in challenging and/or unfamiliar locations. In addition the elective nature of this module aims to facilitate development of organisational and planning skills.

Learning Outcomes for Module

On completion of this module, students are expected to be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate highly effective communication skills required to work effectively in unfamiliar clinical environments.
- 2 Apply safe and effective practices in unfamiliar clinical environments.
- 3 Demonstrate professional behaviours, conduct and attitudes in unfamiliar clinical environments.
- 4 Practice a range of radiographic procedures under clinical supervision in unfamiliar clinical environments.
- 5 Demonstrate effective organisation, planning, arrangement and reflective experiences of the elective placement.

Indicative Module Content

This practice-based module will include experiential learning involving supervised practice, professional discussion and reflective activities which involve linking theory with practice. This will include orientation to the department and observation of the clinical practices on a day by day basis. Under supervision the student will undertake a range of radiographic procedures, demonstrating an appropriate level of care and communication before, during and after the intervention. The student will also have opportunities to self-assess radiographic skills and to plan and organise involvement in the department. Attendance at appropriate clinical meetings will be encouraged. The student will be given the opportunity to reflect on and discuss his/her progress and to explore personal strengths and to implement strategies to overcome weaknesses.

Module Delivery

This module consists of an elective placement where the student arranges to undertake a 4 week (150 hours) period of clinical placement in a radiology department of their choosing.

Indicative Student Workload	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	10	N/A
Non-Contact Hours	140	N/A
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	150	N/A
TOTAL	300	N/A
<i>Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body</i>	150	

ASSESSMENT PLAN

If a major/minor model is used and box is ticked, % weightings below are indicative only.

Component 1

Type:	Practical Exam	Weighting:	70%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 2, 3, 4
Description:	Continuous clinical assessment including 100% attendance. Pass/Fail				

Component 2

Type:	Coursework	Weighting:	30%	Outcomes Assessed:	5
Description:	Essay (planning) and presentation (reflective). Graded.				

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR

Explanatory Text

C1: Major component C2: Minor component

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
A	Grade configuration C1/C2 - Pass and A
B	Grade configuration C1/C2 - Pass and B
C	Grade configuration C1/C2 - Pass and C
D	Grade configuration C1/C2 - Pass and D
E	Grade configuration C1/C2 - Pass and E, Fail and A, Fail and B, Fail and C, Fail and D
F	Fails to achieve the minimum requirements for an E and/or fails to meet the module attendance requirements
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module	A provisional pass in all Stage Three modules of Master of Diagnostic Radiography will normally be required.
Corequisites for module	None.
Precluded Modules	None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 1 CARVER, E. and CARVER, B. 2012. *Medical imaging*. 2nd ed. London: Churchill Livingstone Elsevier.
- 2 Journals and Professional Publications.