

Module Title	Reference NUM074
Specialist Community Public Health Practice	SCQF SCQF
Keywords	Level 11
Public health; health visiting; school nursing.	SCQF Points 15
	ECTS Points 7.5
	Created March 2016
	Approved June 2016
	Amended
	Version No. 1

This Version is No Longer Current

The latest version of this module is available [here](#)

Prerequisites for Module

None, in addition to the course entry requirements or equivalent.

Mode of Delivery

Practice based learning, as negotiated in learning agreement.

Corequisite Modules

None.

Assessment Plan

Precluded Modules

None.

	Learning Outcomes Assessed
Component 1	1,2,3,4,5

Aims of Module

To develop the student's ability to integrate and apply the required theories, principles, concepts and skills of a specialist community public health nurse in their defined area of practice

Practice portfolio including clinical competencies

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

Indicative Bibliography

- 1.BASSOT, B., 2016. *The reflective practice guide: an interdisciplinary approach to critical reflection*. Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2.CHILTON, S. and BAIN, H., eds., 2017. *A textbook of community nursing*. 2nd ed. Abingdon: Routledge.

to:

1. Critically assess the health and social needs of individuals, families and groups relevant to their defined area of practice.
2. Apply strategies and skills to improve health and to address care needs and inequalities.
3. Critically evaluate collaborative working with partners using advanced communications skills.
4. Critically appraise risk management approaches evident within the public health context.
5. Examine their developing knowledge, skills and values in their defined area of practice.

Indicative Module Content

Health profiling; Health needs assessment; Screening; Advanced communication skills; Multi-agency working; Interdisciplinary team working; Information technology; Public health; Human development; Teaching and learning; Parenting skills; Critical reflection.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full	Part
<i>Contact Hours</i>	Time	Time
	5	5

Directed Study

3. LUKER, K.A., MCHUGH, G.A. and BRYAR, R.M., eds., 2017. *Health visiting: preparation for practice*. 4th ed. Chichester: Blackwell.
4. NHS EDUCATION FOR SCOTLAND (NES), 2012. *Career and development framework for public health nursing - health visiting and school nursing*. Edinburgh: NES.
5. NURSING AND MIDWIFERY COUNCIL (NMC), 2004. *Standards of proficiency for specialist community public health nurses*. London: NMC.
6. A current and comprehensive list of references will be supplied on an annual basis to reflect the evolving nature of the topics addressed within this module.

Additional Notes

This module normally includes 10 weeks whole time equivalent in practice. HV and SN students will undertake an additional 3 weeks Alternative Practice hours to be completed within the module time frame of either NUM074 or NUM078/98. This will be negotiated with the Health Board/Health and Social Care Partnership.

Practice Based Learning	120	120
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<i>Private Study</i>	25	25
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