

MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Professional Practice 1			
Reference	PL1004	Version	1
Created	April 2022	SCQF Level	SCQF 7
Approved	June 2022	SCQF Points	30
Amended	October 2021	ECTS Points	15

Aims of Module

To develop an understanding of the knowledge, skills and professional behaviours required of a pharmacist in the practice setting.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- 1 Explain the role of the pharmacist and multidisciplinary teams in patient care.
- 2 Demonstrate appropriate knowledge, skills and professional behaviours required of a pharmacist.
- 3 Reflect on personal and professional aspects of pharmacy practice.

Indicative Module Content

An introduction to aspects of pharmacy practice relating to the patient, the medicine and the profession, allowing students to explore the knowledge, skills and professional behaviours required by a pharmacist. Topics include: exploring pharmacists? professional responsibilities, including ethical responsibilities, responding to symptoms, principles of pharmaceutical care and public health; patient safety; introduction to legislation concerning the supply of medicines; interpersonal, communication and teamworking skills, information retrieval and study skills; interprofessional working including an awareness of the roles of other healthcare professionals; pharmaceutical calculations; reflective practice; equity, diversity and inclusion; sustainability.

Module Delivery

Lectures, coursework sessions, group and individual based problem-solving activities, tutorials, directed study activities, experiential learning alongside a range of additional Professional Experiences where a student will undertake a minimum of 35 hours of experiential learning on placement.

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Indicative Student Workload		Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours		78	N/A
Non-Contact Hours		187	N/A
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours		35	N/A
TOTAL		300	N/A
Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body		35	

ASSESSMENT PLAN

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

Component 1

Туре:	Coursework	Weighting:	0%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 3					
Description:	cription: A portfolio of evidence that demonstrates achievement of the module learning outcomes as specified in the assessment instructions and 100% attendance at all timetabled professional experiences.									
Component 2										
Туре:	Practical Exam	Weighting:	100%	Outcomes Assessed:	2					
Description:	Oral presentation.									

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR

Explanatory Text

To pass this module, the student must achieve a module Grade of Grade D or better.

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Module RequirementsPrerequisites for ModuleNone, in addition to course entry requirements.Corequisites for moduleNone.Precluded ModulesNone.

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