

MODULE DESCRIPTOR Module Title Examining Narratives of Mental Health Care Reference NU4418 Version 1 Created February 2024 SCQF Level SCQF 10 **Approved** May 2024 **SCQF** Points 15 Amended **ECTS Points** 7.5

Aims of Module

To provide students with a learning experience that prioritises the narratives of people with lived and living experiences of mental health and distress.

Learning Outcomes for Module

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

- Examine accounts of mental health care and treatment experiences, from the perspective of lay, lived and living experiences.
- 2 Test personal and research-based viewpoints against differing mental health narratives.
- 3 Examine the holistic impact of mental distress on peoples' quality of life.
- Devise ways of collaborating with people with lived and living experiences to produce evidence and research that informs mental health care.

Indicative Module Content

Lay, lived and living experiences, carers' experiences, and perspectives; Quality of life and wellbeing; Historical perspectives, power and control, and intersectionality, impact of language and labelling; Role of media; Collaboration, peer support, shared decision-making, and involving people and communities; Advocacy, self-determination, and self-management; Relevant policy, legislation, and research methodologies.

Module Delivery

Blended learning approach including lectures, seminars, tutorials, workshops, and online learning.

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Indicative Student Workload	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	30	N/A
Non-Contact Hours	120	N/A
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	150	N/A
Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body		

ASSESSMENT PLAN

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

Component 1

Type: Coursework Weighting: 100% Outcomes Assessed: 1, 2, 3, 4

Description: Pre-recorded presentation or Written assessment.

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR

Explanatory Text

Pre-recorded presentation or Written assessment.

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
Α	C1 = A
В	C1 = B
С	C1 = C
D	C1 = D
E	C1 = E
F	C1 = F
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module None in addition to SCQF 10 entry requirements or equivalent.

Corequisites for module None.

Precluded Modules None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

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