Social Work with Adults

Module Code: SOW7007-B
Academic Year: 2018-19
Credit Rating: 20
School: School of Social Sciences
Subject Area: Social Work
FHEQ Level: FHEQ Level 7 (Masters)

Pre-requisites:
Co-requisites:

Contact Hours

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Availability Periods

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Module Aims

To understand the social work role in adult social care and investigate theoretical perspectives and methods used in adult social work.

To enable you to gather and apply knowledge from relevant social research and theory about the nature and context of social work practice with adults in different contexts and with differing needs.
To develop a thorough understanding of life transitions and reflect on culturally appropriate responses to change and/or crisis and their relevance to social work practice.

**Outline Syllabus**

Key community care legislation and policies; Personalisation and assessment frameworks; risk and adult protection; cultural theories and models of adult development; managing change and/or crisis over the life course; reflective practice; disability; mental health; bereavement and loss; domestic abuse; drug and substance misuse.

**Module Learning Outcomes**

*On successful completion of this module, students will be able to...*

1. a) demonstrate, through application to practice, a comprehensive understanding of theoretical models and approaches that affect the personal and social development of adults  
b) critically evaluate the significance of key life stages/events and apply to social work practice  
c) demonstrate, through reflection, the development and application of a range of culturally appropriate social work responses to change and/or crisis

2. a) critically reflect upon the nature and characteristics of skills associated with effective social work practice;  
b) demonstrate the development and application of the processes of critical reflection and evaluation to service and welfare outcomes; outcomes for adult users of social care.

3. a) critically appraise the skills and knowledge required in the assessment of need and care planning using person centred practice  
b) Further develop skills in anti-oppressive and anti-discriminatory practice  
c) develop further skills in reflective practice; be able to gather, analyse and synthesise knowledge

**Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy**

Lectures; collaborative learning experiences, workshops; presentations; guest speakers; group discussions; written assignment, formative feedback.

**Mode of Assessment**

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**Legacy Code (if applicable)**

SW-7012D
Reading List
To view Reading List, please go to rebus:list.