

Module Details				
Module Title	Diagnosis and Management of Diabetes; Gaining Glycaemic Control			
Module Code	PSI7028-C			
Academic Year	2021/2			
Credits	30			
School	School of Nursing and Healthcare Leadership			
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 7			

Contact Hours					
Туре	Hours				
Seminars	4				
Lectures	6				
Directed Study	110				
Work based learning	180				

Availability				
Occurrence	Location / Period			
BDA	University of Bradford / Full Year			
BDA	University of Bradford / Non-Standard Academic Year			

#### Module Aims

To acquire knowledge and competence in the diagnosis and management of diabetes, enabling the student to develop skills to work confidently & effectively as a Clinical Practitioner with a Special Interest in Diabetes.

### Outline Syllabus

Epidemiology & pathophysiology of glucose homeostasis and intoleranceDiagnosis of diabetes including appropriate diagnostic criteria for the different types of diabetesDiagnosis of special categories for example pregnancy, stress, MODY, LADA and secondaryInterpretation of laboratory test resultsAppropriate use of clinic, home and laboratory assessment of diabetes and monitoringTreatment of diabetes including pharmacological and non pharmacological interventionsAssessment of riskDevelopment of the current evidence base for the management of diabetes and care deliveryUnderstanding pharmacodynamics, pharmocokinetics, compliance and concordanceHealth policies and national and international guidelines in relation to diabetesThe role of targets in the management of diabetesThe impact of the diagnosis on a person and their familyThe impact of diabetes on the local and national population

Learning Outcomes				
Outcome Number	Description			
01	a) Apply the evidence for epidemiology & pathophysiology of glucose intolerance to diagnosis and management of diabetes mellitus. b) Critically evaluate the pharmacodynamics and pharmacokinetics of medications to understand treatment options for the management of each type of diabetes. c) Evaluate the existing care pathways in the context of appropriate non-pharmacological and pharmacological treatments for a person newly diagnosed with diabetes. d) Show an advanced critical appreciation of the principles of screening for diabetes.			
02	a) Investigate, diagnose, and risk assess a person with glucose intolerance. b) Initiate the most appropriate treatment plan for a person diagnosed with diabetes. c) Initiate appropriate non-pharmacological measures in a person with glucose intolerance and diabetes. d) Refer patients appropriately for a second opinion.e)Understand the impact of the diagnosis of diabetes on a person, their family and the local and national population.			
03	a) Practice critical and effective problem solving skills. b) Demonstrate an evidence based approach to patient care. c) Demonstrate effective team working skills with colleagues and peers. d) Communicate effectively with patients, their carers and families.			

# Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

Assessment is in the form of: Verification of competence and key skills as observed by mentor tests LO: 2a, 2b,2c, 2d, 2e, 3a, 3b, 3c. This is supported by a learning diary demonstrating breadth of learning and experience LO: 3d. Reflective case studies address patients seen and managed and assesses LO: 1a, 1b, 2a,2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 3a. Students submit their work electronically and receive a summative % mark and written feedback. A draft may be sent to tutors for formative assessment. The preparation and presentation of the critical appraisal of a piece of published research to the student group tests LO: 3a, 3b,3d. Students are awarded a % mark and receive written and verbal feedback.

Mode of Assessment						
Туре	Method	Description	Weighting			
Summative	Clinical Assessment	Verification of competence & key skills together with completed learning diary.	0%			
Summative	Coursework - Written	Written reflective case assessment One complex management case (3 oral medications 0-1500 words	33%			
Summative	Coursework - Written	Written reflective case assessment One new diagnosis management case 0-1500 words	33%			
Summative	Presentation	Presentation of the critical appraisal of a key research paper relating to the management of diabetes. 15 mins plus 5 mi	34%			

## Reading List

To access the reading list for this module, please visit <a href="https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html">https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html</a>

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