

Nursing Associate Placement 2

Module Code:	NUR4006-B
Academic Year:	2017-18
Credit Rating:	20
School:	School of Nursing
Subject Area:	Nursing
FHEQ Level:	FHEQ Level 4
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Additional Tutors:
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Pre-requisites:

Co-requisites:

Contact Hours

Type	Hours
Lectures	20
Clinical Placement	97.5
Tutorials	2
Laboratory	17
Directed Study	63.5

Availability Periods

Occurrence Code	Location/Period
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 3 (June - Oct)

Module Aims

In this module you will be required to demonstrate a range of clinical skills consistent with the roles, responsibilities and professional values of the nursing associate in the placement setting. You will work both independently and with other members of the healthcare team to contribute to effective planning and delivery of care.

Outline Syllabus

Contributing to assessment, planning, implementation of physical and psycho-social care within the context of practice/field. Physiological assessment and documentation skills to inform care planning. Skills of attending and listening – Service User and Carer perspectives. Risk Assessment. Nutritional assessment (MUST and STAMP tools), supporting service users with eating/drinking; urinalysis. Communication and working collaboratively within a team and across health and social care organisations. Professional standards and updates within the context of day to day practice. Safe Administration of Medications: oral, rectal and topical; intra-muscular and subcutaneous injections, legislative framework. Policy and procedures – Use of evidence/research based local policies and guidelines – role of the clinical research nurse. Collaborative working and communication with: Service users/carers/families & colleagues across professions/organisations.

Reflective Practice Forum - Professional Portfolio Development, Reflection in and on action, review of placement learning and peer discussion. Evaluation and feedback and student self-assessment, peer review

Module Learning Outcomes

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

- 1 Demonstrate safe clinical skills relevant to the practice setting.
- 2 Discuss the philosophy of care which underpins care delivery by a nursing associate within the practice setting
- 3 Use appropriate assessment tools to contribute to the holistic assessment of an individual.
- 4 Outline the legal, professional and ethical frameworks and local governance policies which protect self and others
- 5 Apply information technology appropriately demonstrating digital literacy in relation to recording and reporting clinical information.
- 6 Demonstrate safe practice within the parameters of nursing associate role to seek support and guidance when necessary
- 7 Use evidence of achievement to review and reflect upon own professional development and record in reflective portfolio.

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

You will undertake planned, supervised and supported practice placement learning to enable you to meet the learning outcomes (LOs) for this module and will demonstrate safe and competent practice commensurate with the stage through the achievement of clinical skills. These will be underpinned by supporting theory. Research informed lectures, seminars, group discussion and directed reading, will build-on and consolidate knowledge gained within the Professional values and nursing module (LO 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7). Small group, peer reviewed simulated clinical skills teaching will enable you to practice skills in a safe and supported learning environment (LO 1, 3, 5, 7). The VLE will be used to provide access to online resources, lecture notes & external links to websites of interest. Module content will reflect contemporaneous healthcare practice. You will be prepared to participate in compassionate and safe care delivery within the practice setting, described as 'Clinical Placement' in the hours (LO1, 2, 3,

4, 5, 6, 7). In addition you will have the opportunity to consolidate your learning through your training role in the practice environment.

You will document your progress in practice using an assessment document and reflective portfolio which will inform your on-going professional development (LO7). All LOs will be met using mode of assessment 1 & 2.

Mode of Assessment

Type	Method	Description	Length	Weighting	Final Assess't
Summative	Coursework	Essay: Reflection on the Nursing Associate role.	-1000 words	100%	Yes
Summative	Coursework	Practice assessment Document: Comprising standards and competencies		%	No

Legacy Code (if applicable)

Reading List

To view Reading List, please go to [rebus:list](#).