Non Medical Prescribing

The course aims to equip Nurses, Midwives, Health Visitors Physiotherapists, Podiatrists and Radiographers with the required competence to safely prescribe medication as Independent and Supplementary Prescribers. This is a level 7 module, equivalent to 40 CAT points.

Topics include:

Therapeutic pharmacology, Clinical management plans, Professional accountability. A range of speakers will be involved in delivering the areas of specialist knowledge.

Essential: students must have:

- Current professional registration Parts 1 of the NMC Professional Register or registration with the hcpc
- A minimum of 3 years post registration experience (or part time equivalent), the year preceding application to the programme must have been in the clinical field in which you intend to prescribe.
- Health assessment skills relevant to their area of practice
- Secured a Designated Medical Practitioner (DMP)
- Funding and Line Manager approval.
- A University Interview
- Current DBS Check

Assessment:

Formative and summative, which include: An unseen examination, Observed Structured Clinical Examination, A Portfolio of Evidence, Seminar.

Further Information

For information please go to <u>www.worcester.ac.uk</u> and click on courses and departments, then course search and the MSc Advancing Practice is in the A-Z of courses list.

In any given year the availability of optional modules will depend on student numbers and in the event of an optional module not being able to run due to a low number of students registering for that module, students will in these circumstances be able to choose an alternative optional module or the negotiated study module as an alternative (where appropriate, and subject to the approval of the Programme Lead)

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Credits Level 7, 40 Credits

Dates

MSc Advancing Practice - Academic Induction Day for New Students – Semester 1 – 20 September 2018 Semester 2 – 17 January 2019 (09:30 – 16:00)

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Semester 1

Prescribing Induction Day – 18 September 2018 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 September 2018 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 October 2018 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 November 2018 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 December 2018 10, 11, 14, 15, 16 January 2019

Semester 2

Prescribing Induction Day – 22 January 2019 28, 29, 30, 31 January 2019 1, 25, 26, 27, 28 February 2019 1, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 March 2019 29, 30 April 2019 1, 2, 3, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 May 2019

(09.15 - 16.15)

In addition there will be 12 clinical days that must be completed. Students should negotiate these with their Medical Supervisor.

How to apply

Please contact Work Based Learning Support Administrator on tel: 01905 542705 or e-mail: <u>wblso@worc.ac.uk</u>

Study Leave Form

All students employed by a Worcestershire NHS Trust or Wye Valley NHS Trust have to complete a study leave form (or equivalent) if they want (a) to study in works time, or (b) want the Trust to fund or part fund the course, or both.

Please ensure that funding for your study leave has been authorised by the Education lead for your Trust, before submitting your application, together with your study leave form.



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