

Module Details			
Module Title Ethics, Laws and Values in Healthcare			
Module Code	CLS4010-B		
Academic Year	2024/5		
Credits	20		
School	School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences		
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 4		

Contact Hours				
Туре	Hours			
Directed Study	160			
Lectures	16			
Practical Classes or Workshops	24			

Availability				
Occurrence	Location / Period			
BDA	University of Bradford / Academic Year			

#### Module Aims

To introduce students to knowledge, skills and values that will enable them to exhibit an ethical and holistic understanding of health and illness within and across United Kingdom populations. To demonstrate an understanding of the principles of philosophy of ethics, biomedical ethics and medical law and governance in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. To develop an ability to apply ethical guidance and understand the legal implications with medicine and healthcare practice. Finally, to examine the core values of healthcare workers to treat others with respect and sensitivity to encourage effective teamwork, leadership and professionalism.

### Outline Syllabus

Nature of ethics & moral reasoning, relationship between ethics & law, ethics & religion, ethics & culture. Impact of ethical values on professional behaviours & responsibility. Basic concepts of medical ethics & medical law including consent, confidentiality, prejudice, disclosure & rights. Good medical practice.

In depth knowledge of governance structures including the National Health Service, General Medical Council, health and care professions council and case studies of good practice.

Learning Outcomes				
Outcome Number	Description			
1	Explain the principles of applied and biomedical ethics.			
2	Discuss the ethics and governance involved in healthcare provision within the National Health Service.			
3	Identify and discuss key medical case law and legislation.			
4	Reflect on the governance bodies in medicine and healthcare practice.			
5	Examine the core values across all health and social care professions.			
6	Plan and undertake problem-solving exercises, work with others to achieve given objectives and communicate using effective discursive and written skills.			

# Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

The knowledge and understanding required of this module is delivered in lectures and tutorials. Debates, workshops and community visits will be used to reinforce the taught component and formative assessments will allowyou to monitor your progress. Sessions will be a mixture of synchronous, asynchronous and face to face in small groups.

Module is assessed by multiple choice questions and written exam

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Mode of Assessment					
Type	Method	Description	Weighting		
Summative	Examination - Closed Book	Multiple choice questions and written exam	100%		

### 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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