

Module Details	
Module Title	Practice Learning II
Module Code	SOW6004-D
Academic Year	2024/5
Credits	40
School	School of Social Sciences
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 6

Contact Hours	
Type	Hours
Tutorials	1
Practical Classes or Workshops	35
Work based learning	700 (100 days)
Directed Study	364

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

Module Aims
<p>To enable you to reflect critically on your own social work practice in preparation for and during your second placement and to enhance your skills in drawing on literature to inform your work, relating theory to practice and understanding the role of values within your practice. This module includes 5 Skills Days. These sessions are within the class-based content of the Practice Learning 2 module. These Skills Days are in addition to the 100 practice placement days. The skills days make up the last 5 mandatory days of the 30 skills days.</p>

Outline Syllabus
<p>Reflective practice; higher level communication skills; models and methods of assessment; risk assessment; values and ethics characteristics of practice within a range of organisational settings including group care, within statutory voluntary and private sectors; the integration of theoretical perspectives within the implementation of effective social work; the relationship between justice, care and control in social welfare and the practical and ethical implications of these; discussion of social work values and key roles in respect of work undertaken on placement.</p>

Learning Outcomes	
Outcome Number	Description
01	Critically evaluate, utilise analyse direct practice and communication with people who access social work services/carers, including an analysis of the assessment, professional judgement and the processes of risk assessment; planning, intervention and review undertaken, using social work knowledge, theory, research and law in the analysis.
02	Utilise your acquired theoretical perspectives and evidence from international research of models and methods of assessment and decision-making processes in social work; understand processes of reflection and evaluation within social work through evidence based practice assignment.
03	Understand the moral concepts of rights, responsibility, authority and power inherent in the practice of social workers as moral and statutory agents.
04	Discuss and reflect on the challenge of working in an organisational context of change and uncertainty and to identify and critically reflect on oppression and demonstrate the ability to practice in accordance with social work values.
05	To discuss and evaluate partnership working with people who access social work services/carers and other professionals.
06	Demonstrate a good range of interpersonal skills including the use of information technology.
07	Assess, negotiate goals, plan and intervene addressing in a creative manner organisational and structural impediments to change which will give you the capacity to work with more complex situations.

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy
<p>Group discussion, practice placement, lectures, joint University and placement tutor visits. You will compile an evidence file and practice learning assignment to assess the learning outcomes of the module. You will be required to pass a series of exercises/tasks and self-assessment reports including attendance monitoring, that are designed to test out capabilities developed by the end of the final placement.</p> <p>Module teaching to be undertaken alongside the placement element. This includes 5 skills days. These sessions are within the class-based content of the Practice Learning 2 module. These Skills Days are in addition to the 100 practice placement days. The skills days make up the last 5 mandatory days of the 30 skills days. See the schedule for details. Attendance is required as class participation and discussion are integral to the learning and in preparation for professional practice.</p> <p>All three elements of the module must be passed</p>

Mode of Assessment			
Type	Method	Description	Weighting
Summative	Attendance requirement	Attendance at 5 mandatory skills days (Must Pass)	0%
Summative	Attendance requirement	Practice placement. Pass/fail only; no resit permitted. This	0%
Summative	Coursework - Written	Up to 3000 word evidence based case analysis	100%

Reading List

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

Please note:

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