

Health and Applied Sciences

Promoting Sexual Health in Practice UZVSQA-20-3 or UZVSJC-20-M

The aim of this module is to develop knowledge and understanding of the factors that contribute to good sexual health. It takes a broad approach drawing on a range of disciplines including social sciences; nursing; education and public health. It is particularly suitable for those wishing to gain an underpinning of sexual health knowledge and gain confidence in promoting sexual health awareness in a range of settings e.g. primary care/general practice; schools; community care settings; hospitals; prisons; youth centres; and as such is appropriate for nurses, midwives, allied health professionals, teachers, youth workers and health and social care staff (note: the minimum level of study is level 3; applicants would need to have studied up to this level before applying).

Teaching will be delivered over five consecutive days by specialist nurses in contraception and sexual health, and includes speakers who are experts in their field. Following the study days, a 3,000 word assignment will be submitted with particular reference to improving awareness and provision in the student's work environment. The module runs over a three month period.

Upon successful completion of the module, 20 credits at either level 3 or M level will be awarded.

Topics covered include:

- Public health perspectives of sexual health
- Values and attitudes that influence sexual health
- Questions to help raise and address sexual health issues
- Screening and treatment of sexually transmitted infections
- Contraception methods and rationale for use
- Legal and practical aspects of young people and sexual health
- Broad overview of sexual difficulty, intimate partner violence and female genital mutilation
- Medico/legal aspects of sexual health

Additional module in sexual health is also available for nurses working in an appropriate setting and have a sexual health mentor:

- Integrated Practice for Sexual and Reproductive Health (DFSRH)
UZVRVC-20-3

Date

[Full date information](#) can be found on our website.

Location

UWE Bristol
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Cost

[Full fees information](#) can be found on our website.

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