

FIRST STEPS TO NURSING

OUR FIRST STEPS TO NURSING MODULE IS A GREAT CHOICE IF YOU ARE DUE TO START OUR BSC ADULT NURSING OR BSC MENTAL HEALTH NURSING COURSES AT UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST OF SCOTLAND OR INTEND TO APPLY FOR THEM IN THE FUTURE.

About the course:

You will begin the course by choosing an appropriate health condition which interests you. Your topic provides the main theme that you will revisit throughout the module. Each week there will be a set of online tasks which have been designed to support your development in relation to finding evidence, academic writing, referencing and numeracy. During the module there will be the opportunity to come into university for one or two days to become familiar with the campus and our state-of-the-art teaching resources. This course will enable you to develop strategies to organise study time effectively, work to deadlines and familiarise yourself with UWS learning and assessment platforms. It is assessed through a graded essay which will require you to gather, evaluate and present information regarding your topic. This will be combined with a reflective statement discussing your experiences during the module.

Entry to our BSc Adult Nursing / BSc Mental Health Nursing programmes:

Upon successful completion, the First Steps to Nursing module is worth 20 credits at SCQF Level 7. It is recognised as equivalent to one SQA Higher at Grade B as part of an application for our BSc Adult Nursing/BSc Mental Health Nursing programmes. For the full entry requirements for these courses please visit our website at: www.uws.ac.uk/study/

For further information about using this module towards meeting the entry requirements please contact our Applicant Enquiry Team.

Please note: This module alone does not meet the academic entry requirements for our BSc Adult Nursing / BSc Mental Health Nursing courses.

Campus

The majority of this module is delivered online but there will be the opportunity to attend one of our Scottish campuses (Ayr, Dumfries, Lanarkshire or Paisley) to familiarise yourself with the campus and our state-of-the-art teaching facilities.

School

Health and Life Sciences

Duration

This module is delivered in Term 3 (May-August).

Entry

There are no academic entry requirements but we would expect that you have or are currently working towards the entry requirements for our BSc Adult Nursing / BSc Mental Health Nursing courses and have or intend to apply for one of these courses. We also require a suitable reference in support of your application.

Apply

Applications can be made directly to the University at: **http://apply.**

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Contact:

For further information please contact:

Applicant Enquiry Team: Email: ask@uws.ac.uk Telephone: 0800 027 1000

