Implementing Change in Practice
Module Code HCR3019

Credits / Level of Study 15 credits / Level 6

Module Aims
- Examine the conceptual basis of quality improvement and implementation science applying it to a specific area of practice within healthcare.
- Students will have the opportunity to reflect on the necessary skills required for effective change in practice within healthcare.

Learning Outcomes
- Demonstrate knowledge and appreciation of quality improvement and implementation science theory.
- Undertake an exploration of the challenges of implementing change within healthcare.
- Explore, critique and present data and research evidence in a format that will persuade staff of the need for change.
- Develop innovative and effective presentation skills to influence and support change.

Key: C-Cognitive/Analytical; K-Subject Knowledge; T-Transferable Skills; P- Professional/ Practical skills

Module Content
- Quality improvement theory
- Implementation science theory
- The human element of change
- Communication and presentation skills to influence change
- Utilising effective project management tools

Pre-requisites/co-requisites of study
Completion of the taught element of HCR3008 Transforming Services for Quality or demonstration of equivalent knowledge and understanding.

Delivery of Module
- Lectures
- Discussions
- E-learning
- Self directed learning
- Reflection

Assessment
Summative assessment:
- A poster designed to explain and market the proposed change to colleagues (30%)
- A project implementation document which analyses the stages of project implementation (30%)
- Audio presentation to support the above which will analyse and critique the stages of the project against the underpinning theory (40%)

Formative assessment:
- Students will have the opportunity to submit a detailed plan of their work to tutorial staff and receive feedback.
- Students will also be supported with a peer/review clinic style discussion in preparation for the assignment.

Key Information

Study Dates
February 2019: 25 & 26
March 2019: 11, 12, 25, & 26
*Please check our website to ensure that there have been no revisions to the course dates listed

Location
University of Surrey

Cost £980.00

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