Systemic Anti-Cancer Therapy (SACT) Nursing Practice: Issues in Care and Management
Module Code NURM175

Credits / Level of Study  15 credits / Level 7

Module Aims
The aim of this module is to develop existing competencies in Systemic Anti-Cancer Therapy (SACT) practice to enable senior cancer nurses to explore and debate existing practice issues at local and national levels.

Learning Outcomes
On completion of the module, the student should be able to:
- Expand their existing theoretical base to enhance their own and others’ practice in relation to the care pathway of a person with cancer who requires SACT treatment including cancer biology and cytotoxic pharmacology.
- Explore their clinical role in terms of nurse led practice and multi-disciplinary team education.
- Critically analyse their SACT service in terms of leadership and management issues.
- Critically reflect on their professional practice and evaluate the need for service improvement and practice development.

Pre-requisites of Study
None

Delivery of Module
Blended learning –
- online workbook using UK Oncology Nursing Society (UKONS) SACT Competency Passport Part 1
- interactive lectures/discussions
- student led seminars
- simulation scenarios in skills labs

Work based learning –
- supervised practice
- portfolio of clinical practice using UKONS SACT Competency Passport Part 2

Assessment
There are two options for the assessment this will be discussed and agreed with the module lead prior to day 2 and will be dependent on practice experience.
- Presentation of a practice development proposal within their SACT service, (100% of the module marks) and completion of the UKONS SACT Competency Passport Part 2
- Presentation of a service development proposal within their SACT service (100% of the module marks)

Key Information

Study Dates
September 2019: 27
October 2019: 18
November 2019: 8
December 2019: 6
January 2020: 10
Assessment: 14 February 2020

Practice Days: (five to be negotiated with practice to be taken between, October 2019 and April 2020)

*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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