Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences
School of Health Sciences

Strategic Leadership for Healthcare
Module Code HCRM039

Credits / Level of Study
15 credits / Level 7

Module Aims
This module invites students to critically review their assumptions about leadership and management, and to reflect on their own and their organisation’s leadership practices. This will be achieved through exploring and analysing key leadership and management issues in health and social care, with the emphasis on challenging and debating contemporary theory and practice.

Learning Outcomes
On successful completion of this module, students will be able to:
- Critically analyse current leadership issues within health and social care practice
- Critique key leadership theories, appreciating their theoretical underpinnings and evaluating their practice implications.
- Take a broad view of the political, organisational and policy issues impacting the delivery of services.
- Reflect critically on their own leadership style and impact

Pre-requisites of Study
None

Delivery of Module
The learning and teaching methods include:
- Interactive lectures,
- Group discussions,
- Experiential activities,
- Podcasts, DVD.
- SurreyLearn

Content
- Theory and practice of strategic leadership
- Leading effective teams
- Understanding organisational culture and its impact on care delivery
- The politics of healthcare
- Staff welfare
- Emotional intelligence
- Strategy

Assessment
A critical reflection on a leadership issue within the student’s own area of practice.

Word Count: 3,000 words

Key Information

Study Dates
March 2020: 3, 4, 17, 18
April 2020: 21, 22

*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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