Module Aims
This module aims to:
- Examine the current health and social care agenda
- Support students explore innovative new ways of working and how these could potentially improve the quality of care received by patients, clients, carers and the public.
- Students will be enabled to reflect upon and justify the need for effective change management and implementation.

Learning Outcomes
On successful completion of this module, students will be able to:
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the current healthcare agenda and its impact on health and social care provision.
- Explore current innovative practice in health and social care delivery, relating to a specific area of practice.
- Critically assess the role of change in the process of innovation.
- Examine opportunities to overcome resistance and barriers to change.

Module Content
Indicative content includes:
- Exploring the challenges for modern healthcare provision
- Identifying opportunities to improve quality
- The concept of quality from differing perspectives
- Innovation and service redesign in practice
- Analysis of barriers to change
- Negotiating, influencing and managing change

Pre-requisites/co-requisites of study
None

Delivery of Module
The learning and teaching methods include:
- Lectures (including e-lectures)
- Seminars
- Presentations
- Guided study
- E-learning

Assessment
A summative assessment comprising of:
A report exploring the opportunities and challenges involved in transforming services for quality, within a specific area of healthcare.
2000 words

Study Dates
October 2016: 4, 5
November 2016: 1, 2, 22, 23
*Please check our website to ensure that there have been no revisions to the course dates listed

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