FACULTY OF SCINCE

STRATHCLYDE INSTITUTE OF PHARMACY AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

INDEPENDENT PRESCRIBING

Practice Certificate in Independent Prescribing

These regulations are to be read in conjunction with General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level.

Admission

1. The General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level shall apply subject to the following. Applicants shall have appropriate qualifications and current registration with GPhC &/or PSNI as a practising pharmacist.

Credit Transfer and Recognition of Prior Learning

2. The General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level shall apply.

Duration of Study

3. The minimum duration of study is normally 12 months, and the maximum duration of study shall normally be 24 months.

Mode of study

4. The programme is only available by part-time study

Curriculum

5. Students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
MP904	Therapeutics	5	5
MP905	Prescribing and public health	5	5
MP906	Care planning	5	5
MP907	Period of learning in practice	5	10
MP908	Communicating with patients and colleagues	5	5

Examination, Progress and Final Assessment

- 6. The General Academic Regulations Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level shall apply
- 7. The final award will be based on performance in the Objective Structured Clinical Examination, the coursework and submission of a satisfactory portfolio of evidence from the Period of Learning in Practice.

Award

8. In order to qualify for the award of Practice Certificate in Independent Prescribing, a student must have accumulated 30 credits.