

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL POLICY

PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL INNOVATION

Master of Science in Public Health and Social Innovation
Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health and Social Innovation
Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Innovation
Postgraduate Certificate in Public Health and Social Innovation
Postgraduate Certificate in Health and Innovation

These regulations are to be read in conjunction with [General Academic Regulations – Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Admission

1. See the [General Academic Regulations – Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#) applicants shall possess:
 - i. a first or second class Honours degree) from a United Kingdom university (in social sciences, health sciences or a closely related subject); or
 - ii. a qualification deemed by the Programme Director acting on behalf of Senate to be equivalent to (i) above, or
 - iii. be deemed, by the Programme Director on behalf of Senate to have achieved an academic standard equivalent to (i) above.
2. In all cases, applicants whose first language is not English, shall be required to demonstrate an appropriate level of English.

Duration of study

3. The [General Academic Regulations – Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply

Mode of study

4. The programme is available by full-time and part-time study.

Place of study

5. The programme will take place on-campus. In accordance with the [General Academic Regulations – Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#), some off-campus work may be required.

Curriculum

6. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:
 - i. for the degree of MSc no fewer than 180 credits including a 60 credit research project,
 - ii. for the Postgraduate Diploma no fewer than 120 credits,
 - iii. for the Postgraduate Certificate no fewer than 60 credits.

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
S2901	Foundations in Public Health	5	20

S2902	Social Innovation in Public Health	5	20
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Optional Modules

Students should select 80 credits chosen from:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
L5981	Perspectives on Social Research	5	20
L2905	Quantitative Methods: Survey Methods	5	20
L2909	Qualitative Methods	5	20
L2908	Quantitative Methods: Statistics and Analysis	5	20
L8918	Quantitative Methods: Survey Methods	5	20
L8928	Inequalities and Social Policy	5	20
L5976	Welfare Concepts & Ideas	5	20
L8924	Health Policy from an International Perspective	5	20
P3985	Feminism, Gender and Violence	5	20
L8925	Comparative Social Policy and Welfare Systems	5	20
P3977	Media and Health	5	20
V1988	Gender, Health and Modern Medicine	5	20
MS824	Becoming an Effective Health Analyst	5	20

Or other modules approved by the Programme Director. Not all optional modules on this list will be available in each academic year.

Students for the degree of MSc only:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
L8926	Placement-based dissertation	5	60
Or			
L5980	Dissertation in Social Policy	5	60

Progress

- The [General Academic Regulations – Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
- The final award will be based on the student's performance in their assessments.

Award

9. **Degree of MSc:** In order to qualify for the degree of MSc in Public Health and Social Innovation, a candidate must have performed to the satisfaction of the Board of Examiners and must have accumulated no fewer than 180 credits, of which 60 credits must have been awarded in respect of the research project.
10. **Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health and Social Innovation:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health and Social Innovation, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 120 credits from the programme curriculum including both compulsory modules.
11. **Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Innovation:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Innovation, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 120 credits from the programme curriculum.
12. **Postgraduate Certificate in Public Health and Social Innovation:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in Public Health and Social Innovation, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 60 credits from the programme curriculum including both compulsory modules.
13. **Postgraduate Certificate in Health and Innovation:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in Health and Innovation, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 60 credits from the programme curriculum.