

Contemporary Approaches to Children and Families Social Work Practice

Credits from this 30-credit module can be put towards a PG Cert/PG Dip Experienced Social Work Practice, PG Cert/PG Dip Advanced Social Work Practice or the MA Advanced Social Work Practice. Applications are open to registered social workers with at least one years' post-qualification experience.

Introduction

The module is aimed at registered social workers, in all practice settings (Children's, Adult's and Mental Health Services) reflecting the generic nature of social work practice.

Overview and Aims

Professional judgement and evidence-based practice need to be re-evaluated within the context of frequent change within social work. This module recognises how critical analysis of contemporary approaches supports the development of appropriate knowledge and skills for effective communication in relationship-based practice. It includes critical reflection on a range of interventions and balancing rights and risks to support, protect and promote positive change.

Teaching

Teaching is delivered through lectures, group work, direct supervision, e-learning and experiential activity. Delivery is usually at the City Campus and is supported by a range of online learning materials and access to library resources for personal study.

Assignment

This module will be assessed through a 5000 word critical analysis and evaluation of practice in meeting complex needs and reflection on contemporary practice approaches.

Fees

The modular fee for academic year 2018/19 is £765.

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