

Plan for Postgraduate Diploma Nursing Students SEPTEMBER 2010 COHORT – MENTAL HEALTH NURSING BRANCH (YEAR 1)

COMMON FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

Week of programme	30 Aug 10	6 Sept 10	13 Sept 10	20 Sept 10	27 Sept 10	4 Oct 10	11 Oct 10	18 Oct 10	25 Oct 10	01 Nov 10	08 Nov 10	15 Nov 10	22 Nov 10
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
YEAR 1	Theory							Study/ Assessment THEORY APEL	Placement x 8 weeks (Ward)				
	NM3911								NM3912				

BRANCH PROGRAMME

Week of programme	29 Nov 10	06 Dec 10	13 Dec 10	20 Dec 10	27 Dec 10	03 Jan 11	10 Jan 11	17 Jan 11	24 Jan 11	31 Jan 11	07 Feb 11	14 Feb 11	21 Feb 11
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
YEAR 1	Placement/ Assessment OSCE	Placement (Ward)		Annual Leave			Placement x 4 weeks			Theory/ Assessment PORTFOLIO, CLINICAL APEL & ESSAY	Theory		
	NM3912					NM3912			NMM952				

Week of programme	28 Feb 11	7 Mar 11	14 Mar 11	21 Mar	28 Mar 11	04 Apr 11	11 Apr 11	18 Apr 11	25 Apr 11	02 May 11	09 May 11	16 May 11	23 May 11
	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
YEAR 1	Placement x 6 weeks (Client Attachment)						Annual Leave	Theory					
	NMM953							NMM952					

Week of programme	30 May 11	06 June 11	13 June 11	20 June 11	27 June 11	04 Jul 11	11 Jul 11	18 Jul 11	25 Jul 11	01 Aug 11	08 Aug 11	15 Aug 11	22 Aug 11
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52
YEAR 1	Theory	Study	Study/ Assessment CASE STUDY	Placement x 5 weeks (Client Attachment)				Study/ Assessment ESSAY & PORTFOLIO	Annual Leave				
	NMM952			NMM953									

Assessment Submission Deadlines:			Results
NM3911	Theory APEL		Friday 22 October 2010
NM3911	OSCE		Week beginning 29 November 2010
NM3912	Record of Achievement in Practice (Portfolio) & Clinical APEL		Wednesday 2 February 2011
NM3911	Essay		Thursday 3 February 2011
NMM952	Case Study		Friday 17 June 2011
NMM953	Essay		Friday 29 July 2011
NMM953	Record of Achievement in Practice (Portfolio)		Friday 29 July 2011

NOTE: According to NMC Regulations, all students must have passed their Common Foundation Programme (CFP) assessments and clinical hours within 12 weeks of starting the Branch programme. Therefore, if you do not pass all **NM3911** & **NM3912** assessments and clinical hours and progress to the Branch programme by **Friday 22 April 2011**, you may be required to take a break from the programme and pass the outstanding assessments/clinical hours before rejoining the next available cohort.