

Faculty	Community and Health Sciences		
Home Department	Psychology		
Module Topic	Psychopathology		
Generic Module Name	Abnormal Psychology 702		
Alpha-numeric Code	PSY702		
NQF Level	8		
NQF Credit Value	20		
Duration	Semester		
Proposed semester to be offered	First Semester		
Programmes in which the module will be offered	BA Hons (Psych) (8753)		
Year level	1		
Main Outcomes	<p>On completion of this module students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Display content knowledge of some of the symptoms of some major mental health categories from the DSM IV-TR; display content knowledge of some of the major aetiological approaches to mental health problems; display content knowledge of the major approaches to treatment for mental health problems. • Apply this knowledge to case material; apply this knowledge to community level interventions; display content knowledge of the major contextual approaches to mental health; apply this knowledge to the mental health problems studied earlier; apply this knowledge to community level interventions; apply knowledge of both mainstream and critical approaches to understanding learners own personal development in critical thinking. 		
Main Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major mainstream approaches to psychopathology • DSM-IV multi-axial framework • Post-traumatic Stress Disorder • Major Depression • Paedophilia • Schizophrenia • Borderline Personality Disorder • Critical psychology approaches to mental health • Marxist approaches to mental health • Liberation psychology and mental health • Community psychology and mental health 		
Pre-Requisite Modules	None		
Co-Requisite Modules	None		
Prohibited Module Combination	None		
Breakdown of Learning Time	Hours	Timetable Requirement per week	Other teaching modes that does not require time-table
Contact with lecturer / tutor:	28	<i>Lectures p.w.</i>	2
Assignments & tasks:	137.25	<i>Practicals p.w.</i>	0
Practical's:	0	<i>Tutorials p.w.</i>	0
Assessments	3		
Self-study	31.75		
Other: Research	0		
Total Learning Time	200		
Methods Of Student Assessment	Continuous Assessment (CA): 40% Final Assessment (FA): 60%		

Assessment Module type	Continuous and Final Assessment (CFA)
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