Wound Healing Foundation Modules

Next Intake: September 2017 and March 2018
Duration: 18 weeks, Part Time, Distance Learning
Qualification: 30 CATS (Level 6)

Modules available include:
- Foundation in Leg Ulcer Management
- Foundation in Pressure Ulcer Management
- Foundation in Diabetic Foot Ulcer Management

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Cardiff University School of Medicine - Postgraduate Taught Programmes
Wound Healing Foundation Modules (Standalone)

The overall aim of each of these three standalone e-Learning modules is to promote the understanding of the management of patients with leg ulceration, pressure ulceration and diabetic foot ulceration by exploring current evidence and practice. These 18 week, standalone, self-directed, e-Learning programmes constitute 30 credits - awarded at degree level (HE Level 6) - upon the successful completion of each module. Their unique design allows eligible students the flexibility to choose to the individual module of their choice. A common aim of these standalone modules is to provide students with the knowledge and skills to enable them to meet the challenges of caring for patients with a variety of commonly encountered wound types.

Special Features

* no attendance on campus required
* flexibility to choose module of choice
* online submission of assignments and access to individual marks enables students to access and track their progress online
* inter-student, and student/tutor contact is readily accessible, and maintained through online discussion forums and online tutorials.
* Hyperlinked reading lists to facilitate easy access to resource material.

- One-to-one and group tutorials are arranged online to encourage both lecturer and peer support and to suit students in different time zones.
- Self-assessment tests from the course material are also linked to discussion board groups in order to facilitate sharing of information and further facilitate peer support.

Application deadlines

- 31 July 2017 for 21 September 2017 start
- 22 January 2018 for 8 March 2018 start

Applicants should also provide an additional personal statement.

Your personal statement should include evidence of the following areas:

⇒ enthusiasm and interest for the subject area
⇒ discussion of current knowledge and experience and how this will help you to be successful on the course
⇒ reasons for choosing this module/institution
⇒ how does the module fit into a wider plan for personal and professional development

Admissions Criteria

- For entry to these modules, individuals should be working with patients who require day-to-day wound management and meet the Cardiff University criteria for degree level study outlined below:
  - 120 CATS at level 4 or 5 in nursing or a relevant subject area
  - All health professionals are eligible.
  - A non-graduate whose relative lack of formal qualification is compensated for by his/her age and relevant work experience may also be admitted.
  - Students whose language is not English are required to provide proof of their proficiency in the English language: IELTS 6.5. All applicants must satisfy the CU General Entrance Requirements, including English Language Requirement
- NOTE: International students pursuing part-time programmes of study are not eligible for Tier 4 General Student visas and must have alternative leave to remain in the UK if they intend to study at the University in person.