

Programme Specification Document

Approved, 2022.03

Overview

Programme Code	35253	
Programme Title	Independent and Supplementary Prescribing	
Awarding Institution	Liverpool John Moores University	
Programme Type	CPD	
Language of Programme	All LJMU programmes are delivered and assessed in English	
Programme Leader	Donal Deehan	
Link Tutor(s)		

Awards

Award Type	Award Description	Award Learning Outcomes
Target Award	Certificate of Professional Development - CPM	See Learning Outcomes Below

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External Benchmarks

Programme Offering(s)

Mode of Study, Mode of Delivery	Intake Month	Teaching Institution	Programme Length
Full-Time, Face to Face	April	LJMU Taught	15 Weeks
Full-Time, Face to Face	January	LJMU Taught	15 Weeks
Full-Time, Face to Face	July	LJMU Taught	15 Weeks
Full-Time, Face to Face	October	LJMU Taught	15 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Programme Structure

Programme Structure Description

Structure - 20 credit points			
Level 7 Core - 20 credit points	CORE		
[MODULE] 7100NPAPP Independent and Supplementary Prescribing Approved 2022.01 - 20 credit points			

Module specifications may be accessed at https://proformas.ljmu.ac.uk/Default.aspx

Teaching, Learning and Assessment

Entry Requirements

Type Description	
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Extra Entry Requirements

Health care trusts will have the responsibility for selecting applicants for interview by the University. You must be a practitioner with opportunities to practice as an independent and/or supplementary prescriber following the successful completion of the programme.

You must also have:

valid registration on the appropriate professional register maintained by the professional bodies

appropriate experience in the area in which you will be prescribing

at least three years clinical experience (see nomination form)

the ability to study at Level 6

appropriate numeracy skills to undertake drug calculations

the ability to undertake clinical assessment and diagnose within their area of practice

a designated medical practitioner who meets the appropriate criteria and is willing to provide 12 days prescribing practice supervision. This will include supervision, opportunities, support and shadowing to develop competence in prescribing

the support and agreement from the prescribing lead and the employing organisation to allow your attendance and completion of all elements of the prescribing course

The programme centres on a tripartite commitment between you, LJMU and your employer. Your employer will be required to:

commit to ensuring protected practice time

the identification of a prescribing supervisor