Occupational Health (Policy and Practice)
MSc/PGDip

Why Study This Course?

- Three day face to face introductory programme followed by fully online delivery of materials and teaching.
- An emphasis is on practical solutions.
- Focused on your professional needs and tailored to your own schedule and study style.

Course Structure

There are two stages in the course: the taught component that leads to the award of the Post Graduate Diploma and the MSc dissertation.

Taught stage
- Introductory course (three days)
- Delivery of six course e-modules (two years)

Available Modules

Three compulsory core modules in Year 1 cover essential occupational health practice (N.B. at the end of Year 1 you may exit the course with a Postgraduate Certificate).

- Occupational Risk Assessment & Control
- Occupational Health Law & Ethics
- Occupational Health Statistics Epidemiology & Evidence Based Practice.

The first core module in Year 2 is also compulsory.
- Occupational Health Processes & Management.

Next there is a choice of modules:
- Promoting Health & Wellbeing in the Workplace OR Occupational Psychology & Psychiatric Health
- Occupational Health Clinical Practice OR Chemical Exposure in the Wider Environment

The MSc stage comprises 1 year.

Entry Requirements

Applications are welcome from graduates in a relevant subject e.g.
- medicine
- nursing
- health care professions with an interest in occupational health
- health & safety
- other related disciplines (including those with more limited involvement in employee health issues).

Applicants without a degree, but with appropriate vocational qualifications and experience in occupational health, will also be considered.

Who is it suitable for?

The programme is aimed at professionals working in Occupational Health: e.g. doctors, nurses, health & safety advisers, physiotherapists, and occupational psychologists. It may also be suitable for professionals working in fields with indirect involvement in employee health issues: e.g. trade union officials, human resource managers etc.

Course Duration

(Part-time)
PgDip 2 years.

For further information including full details of all modules, fees, application deadlines and how to apply, as well as access to our on-line application form, please visit our website: http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/study/postgraduate/taught/courses/browse-by-school/school-of-medicine

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This programme focuses on the science underpinning Occupational Health and Safety, and teaches practical problem-solving and research skills from a multi-disciplinary perspective.

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