

H6LSD: Lifespan Development

Module Code:	H6LSD
Long Title	Lifespan Development APPROVED
Title	Lifespan Development
Module Level:	LEVEL 6
EQF Level:	5
EHEA Level:	Short Cycle
Credits:	5
Module Coordinator:	
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Departments:	NCI Learning & Teaching
Specifications of the qualifications and experience required of staff	
Learning Outcomes	
<i>On successful completion of this module the learner will be able to:</i>	
#	Learning Outcome Description
LO1	Describe the developing person at different stages from early childhood to late adulthood.
LO2	Identify the key developmental theories impacting development from early childhood to adulthood.
LO3	Apply theoretical approaches to understand the physical, cognitive, social, emotional issues in human development.
LO4	Develop a perspective on the changes that take place during an individuals life from birth to death.
Dependencies	
Module Recommendations	
No recommendations listed	
Co-requisite Modules	
No Co-requisite modules listed	
Entry requirements	

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Module Content & Assessment			
Indicative Content			
Introduction to Lifespan Development • Basic concepts and methods • Theories of Development • Research methods in Lifespan Development			
• Beginnings (0-1 Year of Age) • Genetics, Conception and Prenatal Development • Birth and Competencies of the New born and Infant • Infant Personality and Social- Emotional Development			
• Early Childhood: Toddlers and Preschool Children (1-6 Years of Age) • Physical, Cognitive and Gender Role Development • Language Development • Personality and Social-Emotional Development			
• Middle childhood (6-12 Years) • Physical, Cognitive and Moral Development • Intelligence and Creativity • Personality and Social-Emotional Development			
• Adolescence (12-18 Years) • Physical and Cognitive Development • Social and Personality Development			
• Early Adulthood (18-40 Years) • Physical and Cognitive Development • Social and Personality Development			
• Middle Adulthood (40-65 Years) • Physical and Cognitive Development • Social and Personality Development			
• Late Adulthood (65+ Years) • Physical and Cognitive Development • Social and Personality Development			
Death, Dying and Bereavement • Models of grief and bereavement (Dual Process Model of Coping with Loss)			
Summary and Overview of Course n/a			
Assessment Breakdown			%
Coursework			50.00%
End of Module Assessment			50.00%
Assessments			
Full Time			
Coursework			
Assessment Type:	Essay	% of total:	50
Assessment Date:	n/a	Outcome addressed:	1,2,3,4
Non-Marked:	No		
Assessment Description:	n/a		
End of Module Assessment			
Assessment Type:	Terminal Exam	% of total:	50
Assessment Date:	End-of-Semester	Outcome addressed:	1,2,3,4
Non-Marked:	No		
Assessment Description:	End-of-Semester Final Examination		
No Workplace Assessment			
Reassessment Requirement			
Repeat failed items <i>The student must repeat any item failed</i>			

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Module Workload				
Module Target Workload Hours 0 Hours				
Workload: Part Time				
Workload Type	Workload Description	Hours	Frequency	Average Weekly Learner Workload
Lecture	per week	2	Once per semester	0.17
Independent Learning	No Description	8.5	Once per semester	0.71
Total Weekly Contact Hours				0.17

Module Resources	
<i>Recommended Book Resources</i>	
<p>Satrock. J.W.. (2013), A Topical Approach to Lifespan Development, 7. McGraw-Hill Education, p.620, [ISBN: 9781259060854].</p> <p>Boyd, D.A. & Bee, H.L... (2011), Lifespan Development., 6th. Pearson Education.</p>	
<i>Supplementary Book Resources</i>	
<p>Schaffer, D. & Kipp, K.. (2006), Developmental Psychology, Wadsworth Publishing.</p>	
<i>This module does not have any article/paper resources</i>	
<i>This module does not have any other resources</i>	
Discussion Note:	