Module Name: Contemporary Issues in Intellectual Disability Nursing
Module Code: NU4D01
ECTS: 5
No. of Hours: Lectures 20
Term: Michaelmas
Assessment Date: Week 16
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Aims

This module aims to enable the student to examine, critically analyse and develop his /her practice in the context of current developments in Intellectual Disability Nursing.

Learning Outcomes

Following completion of this module the student should be able to:

• Critically analyse current issues in Intellectual Disability in the context of Irish political, economic and societal trends.
• Explore and analyse advances in Intellectual Disability.
• Evaluate advances in Intellectual Disability Nursing.

Indicative Content

• Contemporary issues in Intellectual Disability and Advanced Nursing Practice in Intellectual Disabilities Nursing:
  • Introduction and Autism (5)
  • Dementia care (5)
  • Profound Intellectual and Multiple Disability (5)
  • Rights based Care (5)

Teaching and Learning Activities

• Lectures
• Directed Learning

Student Effort Hours

• 100
Assessment

Mode of Assessment     Seen Examination

Assessment Details     2hrs
Answer 2 questions out of 4

Reading List

Essential Reading


Recommended Reading


Other books / research papers will be added to the reading list by subject lecturers.