Module Title
Co-operative Learning Group 4: Exploring the Nurse-Patient/Client Partnership

Module Code
HEA00117I

Module Level*
5

Word Limit /Exam Duration
3,000 words

Assessment Type(s)
Essay

Marking Criteria
Guidelines should be read in conjunction with the marking criteria guidance for the module level* noted above: http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/markgrid/

Confidentiality
It is a breach of confidentiality to disclose any personal information about a patient, service user, colleague, staff or any other person or place that could in principle enable them to be identified. For further guidance please refer to the departmental policy on Confidentiality at the following link: www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/conduct/confidentiality/

Assessment Timing
The deadline for correctly presenting a submission is 4.30pm on the published submission date. The submission deadline is published on the Programme Assessment Schedule available on the following link: http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/timetables/assessment-schedules/

Referencing
You must reference your work in accordance with departmental referencing guidelines which you can access via the following link: http://www.york.ac.uk/integrity/harvard.html

Assessment Guidance
Formative – 500-word draft
You will have the opportunity to submit and receive feedback on a 500-word (maximum) draft relating to your summative assessment (essay).

Your formative draft may include:
- An outline of your chosen topic/essay focus and rationale.
- How you have accessed sources/relevant reading, and examples of key source material you will use to underpin your work.
- An essay plan outlining your proposed structure and how you will develop your discussion – i.e. the main points you plan to cover in your essay.
- Draft section(s) of your essay with specific questions relating to areas of your work you require feedback on (e.g. application of theory to practice; level of analysis; explanation of relevant issues etc).

Summative – essay
You are required to write an essay which reflects on a clinical incident and explores the way in which nurses and healthcare professionals discuss or interact with patients/clients.

Your essay should:
- Consider how specific aspects (e.g. the language, terminology or descriptions used) of this discussion represents the values, attitudes, beliefs and behaviours of the nurse and what influence this has regarding the relationship between the nurse and the patient/client

Your essay must include:
- Critical reflection on the implications of this incident for nursing practice.
- Reference to the academic literature from the health and social care related disciplines.
- Discussion how this learning will influence your future nursing practice.
- An example from your observed discussion in the essay appendix.

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