# ASSESSMENT GUIDELINE

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Module Title</th>
<th>Protection &amp; Assistance in International Humanitarian Law</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Module Code</td>
<td>HEA00096M</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Module Level*</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Word Limit /Exam Duration</td>
<td>4,000 words</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Assessment Type(s)</td>
<td>Analytical Report</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

## 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/](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/](http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/conduct/confidentiality/)

## Assessment Timing
The deadline for correctly presenting a submission is MIDNIGHT 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/](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](http://www.york.ac.uk/integrity/harvard.html)

## Assessment Guidance

### Formative Assessment
You will have the opportunity to submit a 1,000 word (maximum) draft relating to your summative assignment (report plan).

Your formative plan can include:
- An outline of your chosen report focus and rationale.
- A plan outlining your proposed structure and how you will develop the core sections of your plan i.e. main points you aim to cover in each section.
- Draft section(s) of your plan with specific questions relating to areas of the plan where you require specific feedback for example, application of theory to real-time response situations, level of analysis, explanation of relevant issues.

### Summative Assessment
You are required to write an analytical report examining what are the challenges in implementing International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights Law in real-time humanitarian response situations? Examine this question by using a case study. You are required to use information from a range of sources including course materials, readings, journals and grey literature such as, the websites and documents publicly available from humanitarian organisations and other reputable sources.

Your report should demonstrate knowledge and understanding of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights Law and the challenges of implementing them in a disaster or conflict. The report should:
- Analyse the challenges of implementing IHL and HRL in a particular context/case
- Demonstrate an understanding of the differences between IHL and IHRL
- Provide a critical analysis of some of the contemporary challenges of applying IHL and IHRL to a humanitarian crises today/ or reflectively.

Your essay should be supported throughout by references.

---

**Date last reviewed**: 04.05.2017  
**Reviewer**: Janaka Jayawickrama  
**Date last updated**: November 2016  
**Date last reviewed by External Examiner**:  

---

*Form version Aug 2014*