



# CLINICAL ASSESSMENT & MANAGEMENT

The aim of this module is to facilitate the acquisition of knowledge & skills to enable the participating professionals to independently carry out physical assessment on patients with specific conditions & plan appropriate management within their speciality. The module has been used extensively by nurse specialists from a variety of backgrounds including those who care for patients with **Chronic Heart Failure**. The module also aims to enable professionals to practice autonomous patient care within defined protocols, without reference to a doctor, and/or refer to more specialist services.

The course begins with one full study day on clinical assessment theory and skills practice, which is delivered by the module team within GCU. This study day is followed by a period of work based learning & supervised practice, within your own area, during which time you complete the module assessment requirements. You are required to identify a work based clinical supervisor & discuss the requirements of the

course with them: A suitably qualified Dr (Cardiologist/GP) or an experienced Nurse Specialist, in order to arrange & gain hands on/directly supervised practice in the clinical assessment skills that are taught on the study day.

The module will run in Semester A and B and due to the nature of work based learning, spans a 30 week period.

## Assessment

A formative piece of work is submitted in **week 15**.

A summative piece of work: A portfolio of evidence including a 2000 word case study, competency booklet & reflective accounts, is submitted in **week 30**.

Academic accreditation of these modules may be used towards the award of BSc/BSc (Hons) Professional Development. It can also be taken as a stand-alone module.

**Module Code:** M3B712923  
(20 level 3 SHED / level 9 SCQF points)

## POST-REGISTRATION PROGRAMMES

### KEY FACTS

This is a work based learning module

**COST**  
£360

The study day is based in Glasgow Caledonian University

## FURTHER INFORMATION

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