DIPLOMA IN PARAMEDICAL SCIENCE

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for Diploma in Paramedical Science (NFQ Level 7, Major Award)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Describe and undertake comprehensive assessment and examination using a range of diagnostic skills and provide appropriate therapeutic interventions based on the clinical presentation;
- Identify the roles, responsibilities and support arrangements necessary to deliver emergency care;
- Define current regulations, guidelines and recommendations of their professional bodies (and employer), in relation to their professional practice;
- Demonstrate an appreciation of health and social care issues within a multidisciplinary context;
- Demonstrate a range of theoretical and practical knowledge, skills and communication methods throughout professional practice in order to work with the diversity of needs in society, in a nondiscriminatory way, across the multifarious cultural, ethnical and age spectrums;
- Demonstrate good communication skills whilst working amongst teams that operate in emergency care;
- Illustrate exemplar qualities of leadership, followership and team working within the various intra-professional or inter-professional groups operating in emergency care;
- Reflect on practice, through a critical thinking, problem solving and enquiry-based approach.