

MSC (CLINICAL TRIALS)

Overview

NFQ Level 9, Major Award

(Online)

The MSc in Clinical Trials is a part-time programme delivered wholly online and runs for three 10-week blocks beginning in late September.

Programme Requirements

For information about modules, module choice, options and credit weightings, please go to Programme Requirements (p. 1).

Programme Requirements

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| Students take 30 credits as follows: | | |
| <i>Core Modules</i> | | |
| EH6131 | Dissertation in Clinical Trials | 15 |
| EH6134 | Research Methods for Clinical Trials | 10 |
| EH6135 | Embedding Research in Clinical Trials | 5 |
| Total Credits | | 30 |

Examinations

Full details and regulations governing Examinations for each programme will be contained in the *Marks and Standards Book* and for each module in the *Book of Modules*.

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for MSc in Clinical Trials (NFQ Level 9, Major Award)

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

- Design methodologically sound clinical trials;
- Employ the appropriate analysis methods with confidence and expertise;
- Write a clinical trial protocol and/or ethics application;
- Lead a clinical trial that complies with the highest ethical, legal, regulatory and scientific standards;
- Critically evaluate a published clinical trial;
- Embed primary methodological research in clinical trials;
- Scrutinise new information in critical, evaluative and analytical ways.