

FOUNDATIONS OF CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY (MSc/PgDip/PgCert)

57C84CB1/61C84CVX/62C84CVZ

Duration: 12 months full time or 24 months part time (MSc); 9 months full time or 18 months part time (PgDip); 4 months full time or 8 months part time (PgCert).

Content: Candidates take the following programme of designated courses:

FULL TIME ROUTE

Stage 1

- PS5015 Introduction to the Postgraduate Process and Professional research Skills (15 credit points)
- PS5302 Basic Psychology Research Methods (15 credit points)
- PS5019 Key issues and debates in Clinical Psychology (15 credit points)
- PS5020 Clinical Psychology across the Life Span Core Areas (15 credit points)

Stage 2

- PS5521 Core Clinical Skills – Practitioner and Lived Experience Perspectives (15 credit points)
- PS5522 Clinical Research Methods (15 credit points)
- PS5523 Ethical and Professional Issues in Clinical Psychology (15 credit points)
- PS5524 Clinical Psychology across the Lifespan Specialist Areas (15 credit points)

Stage 3

- PS5904 Clinical Project (60 credit points)

PART TIME

Year 1

All students will take the following:

- PS5015 Introduction to the Postgraduate Process and Professional research Skills (15 credit points)
- PS5019 Key issues and debates in Clinical Psychology (15 credit points)
- PS5521 Core Clinical Skills – Practitioner and Lived Experience Perspectives (15 credit points)
- PS5523 Ethical and Professional Issues in Clinical Psychology (15 credit points)

Year 2

All students will take the following:

- PS5302 Core Psychology Research Methods (15 credit points)
- PS5020 Clinical Psychology across the Life Span Core Areas (15 credit points)
- PS5522 Clinical Research Methods (15 credit points)
- PS5524 Clinical Psychology across the Lifespan; Specialist Areas (15 credit points)
- PS5904 Clinical Project (60 credit points)

Assessment: By course work as prescribed for each course. Candidates must pass all courses at a CGS grade of D3 or above for the award of the MSc degree.