SPECIAL REGULATIONS: BSc (HONS) PHYSIOTHERAPY (APPLIED SCIENCE)

INTRODUCTION

1 The Special Regulations relate only to the following programme: BSc (Hons) Physiotherapy (Applied Science)

PROGRAMME AWARD

2 The award of BSc (Hons) Physiotherapy (Applied Science) is made upon successful completion of 480 credits over a period of 4 years full-time study.

DEFAULT AWARDS NOT LEADING TO PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

3 The following exit awards do not lead to a recommendation for eligibility for professional registration.

(i) BSc (Hons) Rehabilitation Sciences, on successful completion of 360 credits

(ii) BSc Rehabilitation Sciences, on successful completion of 300 credits

(iii) DipHE in Rehabilitation Sciences, on successful completion of 240 credits

(iv) CertHE in Rehabilitation Sciences, on successful completion of 120 credits

(v) An Aegrotat award

ASSESSMENT

4 All assessments must be passed. This includes theoretical assessments and those involved in the assessment of practice.

5 Clinical placement modules will receive a mark as per the process detailed within the Programme Specification.

REASSESSMENT RESTRICTIONS

6 A student may be reassessed in all placement opportunities.

7 Students may only be reassessed in one clinical placement assessment in placement modules per academic year. If a student fails more than one clinical placement assessment then the student will automatically retake the placement modules with attendance in the next academic year. The table below indicates placement reassessment opportunities per year.

Year of Study	Placement Modules	Placement component reassessment opportunities
Year 2 (Level 5)	1 (Physiotherapy Practice 1)	1 out of 1 placement modules
Year 3 (Level 6)	2 (Physiotherapy Practice 2, Physiotherapy Practice 3)	1 out of 2 placement modules
Year 4 (Level 6)	3 (Physiotherapy Practice 4, Physiotherapy Practice 5 & Physiotherapy Practice 6)	1 out of 3 placement modules

8 A student may be reassessed in the practical component of a clinical placement assessment on one occasion only for each assessment of practice. This does not apply to any theoretical component where standard University assessment regulations apply.

9 A student who fails the clinical placement assessment after all reassessment opportunities have been exhausted will not be allowed to repeat the module and will be required to withdraw from the programme.

COMPENSATION

10 The programme is excluded from University regulations regarding compensation.

11 There will be no compensation for failure in the assessment of clinical placement and there can be no compensation between theory and clinical placement. Students must pass successfully all elements of clinical placement learning.

PROGRESSION

12 A student may only progress from one year or one stage of the programme to the next on successful completion of the required clinical placement assessment.

13 Students are excluded from the University Trail and Progress regulations. Students may, however, continue into the next stage of the programme with any outstanding reassessment opportunities provided this is in exceptional circumstances only and the final reassessment opportunity for the referred credits occurs and is confirmed within 12 weeks of entering the next stage of the programme.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE AND CONDUCT

14 As a condition of a professional award, students must meet successfully the requirements concerning attendance and professional practice, together with any professional requirements relating to student conduct, good health and good character. Breaches of professional conduct will be subject to the University Student Disciplinary Procedures.

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