COURSE DETAIL

MENTAL HEALTH AND THE MIND

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
University College London

Program(s)
Summer at University College London

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Psychology

UCEAP Course Number
106

UCEAP Course Suffix
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UCEAP Official Title
MENTAL HEALTH AND THE MIND

UCEAP Transcript Title
MENTAL HEALTH&MIND

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Mental disorders, e.g. schizophrenia, dementia, depression, are common across all countries and constitute about 14% of the global burden of disease. Many people with a mental disorder - and the majority of those living in low income countries - still have no access to the treatments they need. This course offers students from a range of backgrounds, e.g. social sciences, medicine, psychology, an understanding of basic principles of how mental disorders present, the impact on individuals and the advances in treatment and recovery. The course addresses general aspects of the aetiology of mental disorders, the setting within which such disorders are managed in the UK and globally, and finally brings the students in touch with people with lived experience of a mental disorder in order to elucidate aspects of stigma and health and social inequalities.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ISSU0046

Host Institution Course Title
MENTAL HEALTH AND THE MIND

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/summer-school/modules/mental-health-…

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Bachelors

Host Institution Department
Division of Psychiatry

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