

COURSE DETAIL

GENDER, SEXUALITIES AND HEALTH

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Women's & Gender Studies Health Sciences

UCEAP Course Number

119

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

GENDER, SEXUALITIES AND HEALTH

UCEAP Transcript Title

GENDER/SEX & HEALTH

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course addresses gender and sexuality in healthcare contexts. The course provides a basis for understanding health from interdisciplinary social science perspectives, drawing in the ways gender and sexuality play important roles for understanding and shaping healthcare experiences. Issues around gender, sexualities and health are intimately shaped by social, cultural, political and economic forces; they are contemporary issues with ongoing debates around the globe concerning rights, justice, activism, and access to services, all of which can be examined using the lens of sex and gender. The course is delivered by a multi-disciplinary team of experts within the School of Health in Social Science, and introduces students to social scientific approaches to exploring issues around gender, sexualities and health. The course draws on the sociology of health and illness, as well as gender studies, anthropology, policy and politics, law, and history.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SHSS08008

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Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/25-26/dpt/cxshss08008.htm>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

School of Health in Social Science

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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