

PHTY90087 Advanced Clinical Practice 2A

Credit Points:	12.50												
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)												
Dates & Locations:	2012, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus.												
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 100 hours Total Time Commitment: 136 hours												
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Recommended Background Knowledge:	Undergraduate degree in Physiotherapy plus clinical experience in either musculoskeletal physiotherapy or sports physiotherapy.												
Non Allowed Subjects:	None												
Core Participation Requirements:	None												
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Subject Overview:	This subject is directed at post graduate students in the field of musculoskeletal or sports physiotherapy. It allows the theoretical concepts and practical skills learned in 513-648 Musculoskeletal and Sports Physiotherapy A to be applied in the clinical or sports medicine settings. Furthermore it aims to create an opportunity for students to refine examination, differential diagnosis, patient/athlete education and management skills, including implementation of appropriate treatment regimes, exercise prescription and provision of patient/athlete education and advice as necessary.												
Objectives:	On completion of this subject, students will have had the opportunity to develop: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # A deeper understanding of the basic sciences and their integration with musculoskeletal and/or sports physiotherapy clinical practice # Advanced theoretical knowledge and understanding of conditions affecting the neuro-musculo-skeletal system 												

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # The ability to perform an appropriate subjective and physical examination with complex patients and develop suitable analytical skills to evaluate data obtained # The ability to select optimal treatment options based on the best evidence and available resources # The ability to develop and implement a clinical management plan based on the interpretation of assessment findings # The ability to monitor patient response to modify or progress treatment appropriately # An awareness of the paramount importance of patient safety at all times # A knowledge of the role of other health care professionals involved in patient care # Advanced appreciation of the team approach to injury management, # An appreciation of the limitations of sports and musculoskeletal physiotherapy
Assessment:	<p>Summative assessment - Two Clinical Examinations – Up to 3 hours total (75%). Exam 1 – (in the last week of semester) - up to 1 hour with known patient (25%) Exam 2 (in exam week) – up to 2 hours over 2 days with unknown patient (45%). Students must gain a pass in exam 2 in order to pass the subject. Case presentation during 2nd clinic – 10-15 min (5%)</p> <p>Formative assessment – Continuous supervisor clinical assessment based on performance criteria and case study presentation (25%). At end of 1st clinic (mid semester): 10% At end of 2nd clinic (end of semester): 15%</p>
Prescribed Texts:	None. (Note: A list of recommended texts will be discussed at the commencement of the semester)
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	<p>On completion of the subject, students will have developed the following generic skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Critical thinking, problem-solving and analytical skills # Good written and verbal communication # Ability to apply evidence-based knowledge and skills to patient management # Effective management of competing demands on time # Sensitivity and respect for the social and cultural diversity of individuals, organizations and the communities in which they work
Related Course(s):	Master of Physiotherapy (Musculoskeletal Physiotherapy)