



MALTA UNIVERSITY CONSULTING

Residential & Day Care Work Course – 2018/2019 Module 2 - Intermediate (36 Hours)

Intermediate (Module 2) Fee: €345

Time: 5.00p.m. – 8.00p.m

Venue: University Residence, Robert Mifsud Bonnici Street, Lija

Lectures: November 2018 – February 2019

The timetable will be advised at a later date

This module will include 15 hands-on hours in a care work setting.

This module is Part 2 of the Award in Residential Day Care Work accredited course

Aim and content of the Module:

This module will continue to develop further the knowledge, understanding, practical skills and values that students would have acquired in the *Introductory Module of the Course for Residential and Day Care Workers*. The module is very practical and continues to develop the student's experience and knowledge that employers in the caring field are looking for. By the end of this module students should be able to:

- value basic principles of social care
- demonstrate intra-personal and interpersonal qualities and skills required for caring in relation to the needs of service users
- acquire knowledge and aptitude to recognise the sociological and psychological needs of service users
- evaluate their personal contribution in the role of residential/day care work
- affirm their role as residential/day care workers in a caring agency

Module Overview:

- **Stress Mastery and Supervision:** The aim is to be aware of personal and social stressors and learn means to cope with them
- **Developing through the Life-Span:** The aim is to understand aspects of human development through the life-span which are essential to working with people receiving a caring service
- **Grief and Coping with Loss:** The aim is to explore issues of loss and grief experienced by the service user and the residential/day care worker
- **Personal Development:** The aim is to gain self-awareness, awareness of others and the implications related to the caring services
- **Helping Skills:** The aim is to learn how to listen and respond effectively with service users in the role of a residential/day care worker
- **Keeping the Records:** The aim is to explore practical applications of recording related to the role of the residential/day care worker
- **Social Benefits:** The aim is to understand the state's care provision through the framework of the social security system