Policy and Economics of Healthcare Delivery

Health care systems are under constant reform, much of which has an economic dimension. This module analyses recent reforms in UK health care and assesses the contribution economics can make to policy evolution in key areas of health care provision. This module goes beyond the material covered in the Introduction to Health Economics and should equip you to critically appraise health care reforms from both an economic and policy perspective.

Credits

20 credits

Module Attendance Required

One week block of teaching

Module Dates

2014/15 dates
19 - 23 January 2015

Assessment

Two 3000 word assignments (50% each of total weighting)

Academics involved in the delivery of this module

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Stand Alone Course

This module can be taken as a stand alone course if required. To apply, please see below. For any further information please contact Helen Evans, Programme Administrator, 0121 414 7694, healtheconomics@contacts.bham.ac.uk.

To apply for a stand alone course

Please complete the application form and make payment **here (http://shop.bham.ac.uk/browse/extra_info.asp?compid=1&modid=2&prodid=511&deptid=4&catid=10)**.

Fee if taken as a stand alone course

2014/15 module prices

UK/EU - £995 (Public Sector), £1495 (Private Sector)

Non UK/EU - £1517

This module can be taken on a stand alone basis however it will not be assessed and no credits will be awarded.

Entry requirements if taken as a stand alone course

Prior knowledge of the basic principles of health economics is assumed. All applicants will be required to discuss eligibility with the Course Director at the time of applying.

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Course fact file

Type of Course: Continuing professional development, module

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