Postgraduate Diploma in Mental Health Science

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available online via the Open University ‘Student Policies and Regulations’ website at https://help.open.ac.uk/documents/policies.

Short title
PG Dip Mental Health Science

Award letters
PG Dip MHS (Open)

Entry requirements
An Honours degree from a UK university or other recognised degree-awarding body. Your Honours degree should be in science or in a science-related subject including biomedical and psychological sciences, health science, mental health nursing or medicine.

Maximum duration of study
4 years

Credit requirement
120 credits:
60 credits from the compulsory Stage 1 module
60 credits from the compulsory Stage 2 module

Maximum transferred credit
60 credits

Maximum age of credit transfer
10 years

Unique study requirement
40* credits

Classification
Distinction: 60 module credits at Distinction grade
Merit: 60 module credits at Merit grade

Additional rules
* minimum requirements will require completion of a 60 credit module
An amended classification scheme was applied to this qualification from March 2021.