



UWA Plus Micro-credentials

Critical Information Summary

Title and brief description	PUBHM010 Disease Detectives. In this module, students will be introduced to concepts surrounding detecting and tracking health problems associated with diseases. They will explore current public health care emergencies such as our drug crisis; smoking and alcohol use; and sexual health by focussing on disease transmission, causes and risk factors.
Certified learning	(1) demonstrate an understanding of key concepts in public health, including the basics of epidemiology.; (2) analyse current approaches to promoting health and preventing disease.; and (3) apply critical thinking skills to interpret current health issues..
How learner participated	Online only
Effort required (indicative)	50 hours of contact and preparation time. This will be made up of: Lecture (asynchronous): 8 x 15min @ 4 weeks Practical application: 2 hours per week @ 4 weeks Seminar (synchronous): 4 x 90min over the 4 weeks Personal study and preparation: 5 hours per week @ 4 weeks Assessment: 8 hours total (due 2 weeks after module completed)
Main assessment task	Testing recall of facts,Application of multiple skills to routine problems
Indicative equivalent level	Undergraduate
Industry recognition	N/A
Quality assurance	The quality of UWA Plus micro-credentials is assured through The University of Western Australia's standards and academic integrity processes.
Successful learner earns PD Points for conversion to:	2
. Admission to an award course	No
. Credit towards an award course	Yes
. If yes, how much credit?	Credit is less than one unit