

# Access to H.E. National Programme Unit



Unit Title:	Access to Health Care in Modern Britain		
Graded Unit Code:	GA33HEA05	Ungraded Unit Code:	UA33HEA05
Pathway(s):	Health Humanities and Social Science		
Module(s):	Health Studies Sociology		
Level:	3	Credit Value:	3
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**The following QAA grade descriptors must be applied if you are delivering the graded version of this unit:**

1	Understanding of the subject
2	Application of knowledge
5	Communication and presentation
7	Quality

LEARNING OUTCOMES		ASSESSMENT CRITERIA	
<b>The learner will:</b>		<b>The learner can:</b>	
1. Understand health and illness as both social and biological constructs		1.1	Define the terms health and illness
		1.2	Evaluate sociological and biological constructs of health
2. Understand the reasons for differences in the patterns of illness in modern Britain		2.1	Identify structural patterns in inequality in modern Britain

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<b>The learner will:</b>	<b>The learner can:</b>
	2.2 Evaluate different perspectives on the unequal distribution of illness in different parts of modern Britain and among different groups
3. Understand factors affecting access to health care in modern Britain	3.1 Identify and explain factors that may reduce the freedom of access to health care for different groups and individuals in modern Britain.
	3.2 Evaluate how changes in the structure of the health service in Britain might affect access to health care for different groups and individuals.