Alternative Assessments during the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak

In line with our current General Regulations, the University may offer you alternative assessments where necessary. This includes holding online timed examinations in place of written examinations which are usually held at examination centres. Please note that this statement replaces any published information relating to assessments or written examinations in any of our materials including the website. Previously published materials relating to examinatitegs

Date of examinations

4.5

Timed unseen written examinations normally take place in June each year.

> See the website for the list of examination centres.

4.6

You must submit all assessed module assignments by the deadlines given in the Module Specification Documents. Assessed assignments must be submitted electronically (unless otherwise specified in the assignment guidelines).

> Extensions to assignment deadlines will only be given in extenuating circumstances, and will only be considered on application to the LSHTM Extenuating Circumstances Committee before the deadline.

4.7

An assessed assignment received after the deadline without an agreed extension, will either be downgraded or will not be marked (see section 8b.6.5.10 of the LSHTM Academic Manual).

4.8

An initial proposal must be submitted for approval of the Project. Full details about how to submit the project proposal and other project report stages and deadlines for submission, including word limit and format requirements, are included in the relevant GHM300 Project Module Student Guidelines.

Extensions to the project proposal and project report submission deadlines may only be given where there are extenuating circumstances and will only be considered if you have written to the Project Organiser or, in the case of the final project report, on application to the LSHTM Extenuating Circumstances Committee, before the deadline. A project report received after the deadline, without an agreed extension will either be subject to a grading penalty (which may include a zero (0) grade) or not be marked as specified in section 8b.6.5.10 of the Academic Manual.

Materials and aids allowed in the examination room

> See General Regulations Rules for taking written examinations.

5 Number of attempts permitted at an assessment

5.1

The maximum number of attempts permitted at any assessed assignment or unseen written examination is two. If you fail a module at the first attempt, you will be permitted to make a second attempt (resit). Extenuating circumstances may be take9. /Span

If you fail an elective module which is assessed by two or more elements of assessment (unseen written examination and/or one or more assessed assignments), having passed one element but not the other, you may only resit the failed element.

5.4

If you resit the assessed assignment element of a module assessment you will be required to submit a new assignment in answer to a new question or assignment topic.

Project (GHM300)

5.5

If your project proposal has been approved and you enter to be assessed in the Project (GHM300) module, you must submit the final report before the annual stated submission deadline in the same academic year. If you do not submit the report before the annual deadline (or within an agreed extension deadline) the report will not be accepted for marking that year

If you have a recommendation from the Board of Examiners that you may progress to elective module studies, you may study and be assessed in the remaining GHM1 module in the same year as up to four elective modules.

PGCert Global Health Policy

7.6

If you are registered for the PGCert you may choose to study and be assessed in a maximum of four GHM1 modules in any one year.

8 Scheme of award

8.1

The programmes of Global Health Policy are marked on the following scale:

Qualification GPA	Classification
2.00 - 3.84	Pass
3.70 3.84	Consider merit
3.85 4.29	Merit
4.15 - 4.29	Consider distinction
4.30 - 5.00	Distinction

8.2

The Board of Examiners will approve the final qualification classification once the criteria for that qualification have been met. Once you have met the criteria for the qualification for which you are registered, you will not be permitted to resit any failed modules or substitute any failed modules with other modules.

8.3

All written examinations, assessed module assignments and the p

Appendix A   Structure of the programmes

All module specifications can be found on the LSHTM website.

PGCert Global Health Policy

CTM203   Project management and research coordination [15 credits]

CTM204   Regulatory affairs, good clinical practice and ethics [15 credits]

CTM205   Data management [15 credits]

EPM1

EPM101   Fundamentals of epidemiology [15 credits]

EPM3

EPM307   Global epidemiology of non-communicable diseases [15 credits]

GHM2

Appendix A1   Module restrictions

Some modules have been withdrawn from study and replaced with updated versions. You must not register for or study the following currently available modules if you have already been awarded credits and a grade for the equivalent withdrawn module as follows: