

SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMME

SECTION A: CATALOGUE

CODE: HEQC/H06/EMS/MSP (Credit-bearing SLP)

TITLE: Municipal Service Partnerships (Public Sector)

NQF LEVEL: 7

CREDITS: 16

NOTIONAL LEARNING HOURS: 160

FORMAL CONTACT TIME: 25 HOURS

LEARNING ASSUMED TO BE IN PLACE

- A formal qualification on NQF level 5 *plus* relevant experiences.
- The general regulations of the University of the Free State will also be applicable.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

Learners will be able to:

- Learners will be familiar with the concept and principles involved in the privatization of government services.
- Learners will be familiar with the guidelines to be taken into account when a PPP arrangement is considered.
- Learners will be familiar with the requirements and guidelines applicable when co-operation with the private sector or NGOs are considered.
- Learners will be familiar with the analytical skills required to determine what kind of service rendering options is most appropriate in a specific situation.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF CONTENT:

1. Privatization of government services
2. Public Private Partnerships
3. Co-operative and sponsorship arrangements
4. Apply alternative methods of service rendering in strategic decision-making

CRITICAL OUTCOMES SUPPORTED BY SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMME:

- Managing policy optimally with limited resources for sustainable service delivery.
- Utilisation of alternative methods of service delivery through service partnerships.
- Value continuously added to government's clients (the community).

METHODS OF ASSESSMENT:

A portfolio of evidence, consisting of individual and group assignments, activities, group discussions, individual feedback, case studies, role-play and simulation.

ORGANISING FIELD: 3

(1=Agriculture and Nature Conservation)

(2=Culture and Arts)

(3=Business, Commerce and Management Studies)

(4=Communication Studies and Language)

(7= Human and Social Studies)

(8=Law, Military Science and Security)

(9=Health Sciences and Social Services)

(10=Physical, Mathematical, Computer and Life Sciences)

(5=Education, Training and Development)
(6=Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology)

(11=Services)
(12=Physical Planning and Construction)

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