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## Biomechanics and ergonomics 702 (BEX 702)

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| <b>Qualification</b>          | Postgraduate                               |
| <b>Faculty</b>                | <a href="#">Faculty of Health Sciences</a> |
| <b>Module credits</b>         | 10.00                                      |
| <b>NQF Level</b>              | 08   |
| <b>Programmes</b>             | <a href="#">PGDip in Hand Therapy</a>      |
| <b>Prerequisites</b>          | No prerequisites.                          |
| <b>Contact time</b>           | 1 practical per week, 14 lectures per week |
| <b>Language of tuition</b>    | Module is presented in English             |
| <b>Department</b>             | Occupational Therapy                       |
| <b>Period of presentation</b> | Year                                       |

### Module content

Biomechanics of the upper limb and disturbance thereof; the biomechanics of splints. Environmental factors for effective posture and handgrip; relationship between man and environment; disturbance of this relationship.

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