



MEDICINE, NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES UNDERGRADUATE

ABOUT MEDICINE, NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Monash Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences is a leading provider of healthcare education in Australia. You'll gain hands-on experience with top-tier clinical partners such as Monash Health, Bayside Health, Eastern Health, Cabrini Health and the Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre.

Embedded in an ecosystem of health, academia and industry, we deliver the research outcomes, skilled workforce, technology and partnerships to improve human health locally and globally.



INTEGRATING RESEARCH AND CARE FOR BETTER OUTCOMES

Australia's first specialist heart hospital, located on Monash University's Clayton campus. The Victorian Heart Hospital represents a new era of integrated heart research and clinical expertise in Australia, enabling patients to access world-leading cardiac care under one roof, supported by groundbreaking research led by the Monash Victorian Heart Institute.

Indigenous knowledges and Indigenous students

Monash Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences incorporates the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Curriculum Framework in educating future health professionals. Monash is committed to facilitating the entry of Indigenous students into courses. To learn more about entry and our Indigenous Access Interview, contact Gukwonderuk Indigenous Health Workforces Centre via med.indigenoushealth@monash.edu or 03 9905 3828.

Monash University recognises that its Australian campuses are located on the unceded lands of the people of the Kulin Nations, and pays its respects to their Elders, past and present.



WORLD RANKINGS¹

#19
NURSING

#33
MEDICINE

#41
ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY

#45
PSYCHOLOGY

WHY STUDY WITH US

Do what you love from day one

All our undergraduate degrees are specialist courses, so you'll focus on your chosen area of study from the start of your degree.

Benefit from our partners

We partner with leading healthcare providers, including Alfred Health, Monash Health, Eastern Health and Bayside Health. This gives you access to clinical placements in preparation for your health career.

Reputation for excellence

Did you know we're ranked in the top one per cent of universities in the world? Our research breakthroughs and our innovative teaching have cemented our reputation globally as a leader in medicine and health.

Multidisciplinary health community

You'll study alongside students from all areas of health. This prepares you to work collaboratively across professions in your future career.

A global alumni network

The benefits of studying at Monash continue long after you graduate. Access a network of over 68,000 faculty alumni who are making a difference in health worldwide.

Make a difference

At Monash, we don't accept the status quo. You'll question the answers, take action and be part of changing the world around you.

Become a leader, doer and game changer

Whether you want to unlock your leadership potential or start thinking like an entrepreneur, you'll have access to extracurricular programs that take you outside the classroom to solve real-world problems.

Our peer mentoring program

We ensure you get support when you need it. Many of our courses offer peer mentoring programs, so you can learn from other students who've been in your shoes.

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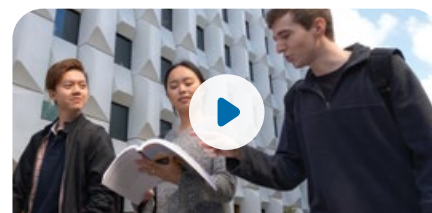
 Location

 Duration (years)

 Intakes

 Subject prerequisites

This course guide focuses on the features of our undergraduate courses. For information about entry requirements, please see monash.edu/study



OUR VISION
MONASH MEDICINE,
NURSING AND
HEALTH SCIENCES



A MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE FROM DAY ONE

Although we're known for delivering a high quality education, that's not all you'll enjoy at Monash. You'll also have opportunities to expand your network, make new friends, apply your skills and be part of a community.



Find out more about
student life:
[monash.edu/medicine/
study/student-life](https://monash.edu/medicine/study/student-life)



WATCH

A degree in health is more than a qualification, it's the start of a career where you'll make a real impact. At Monash, you'll gain hands-on experience from day one, explore your interests through flexible study options, and graduate career-ready with the practical skills the world needs.

Ready to improve lives and shape healthier communities?



ACCESS TO ONE-OF-A-KIND FACILITIES

Our Biomedical Learning and Teaching Building is a vibrant learning environment. The building contains four flexi labs – adaptive learning environments each accommodating 240 students with world leading AV speaker and video technology, enabling interdisciplinary sharing of spaces and ideas.



DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES

If you have a disability, medical or mental health condition that may impact on your study, our dedicated Disability Support Services can help you. Registered students can access services such as academic support, assistive software and equipment loans. monash.edu/disability



RURAL & REGIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

We offer unparalleled learning opportunities in regional and rural Victoria for health students. Our clinical training sites are attached to regional hospitals and partner with community-based health services, with accommodation close by.



DEDICATED CAREER SUPPORT

Monash Career Connect is your partner for success. By offering you tailored advice, regular workshops and connections to industry, it can help you with career planning, skills development, job application writing and more.



GET HANDS-ON

Volunteering is one of the most rewarding ways of developing your personal and professional skills. You can explore a range of volunteer roles both at Monash and outside of the University, and help make a positive change in your community.



INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Complete an international clinical placement, volunteer in an emerging healthcare system or try out a unit overseas at one of our partner universities. monash.edu/international

WATCH

EXPLORE THE PENINSULA CAMPUS WITH ONE OF OUR NURSING AND MIDWIFERY STUDENTS



GUKWONDERUK

The Gukwonderuk Indigenous Health Workforces Centre supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students to develop into healthcare professionals. This includes mentoring through our Indigenous healthcare student network, bursaries and accommodation help.



GLOBAL EXPERIENCES

VICE-CHANCELLOR'S ANCORA IMPARO LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Unlock your leadership potential with the Vice-Chancellor's Ancora Imparo Leadership Program. You'll learn directly from inspiring leaders, be mentored by Monash staff and alumni, and put your skills into practice by working in a team to solve a real-world problem for a community organisation.

monash.edu/students/future-work/leadership/ancora-imparo

GLOBAL DISCOVERY PROGRAM

Accelerate your global career options by participating in the Global Discovery Program, an immersive international program where you'll learn from influential Monash graduates and be inspired by their successes.

monash.edu/global-discovery

GLOBAL IMMERSION GUARANTEE (GIG)

Your funded, life-changing global learning experience.

Travel to an international destination and learn how local leaders are addressing the human impact on the environment. You'll spend two weeks overseas, expanding your intercultural skills and learning how to lead real change on the ground. We'll cover your flight, accommodation and visa costs – you'll only need to cover tuition and some food and personal expenses.

Destinations have included: Fiji, Vanuatu, Indonesia, Vietnam, Italy, India, China, Malaysia and Samoa.

Students in the following MNHS degrees are eligible:

M2001
Bachelor of Nutrition Science

M2003
Bachelor of Biomedical Science

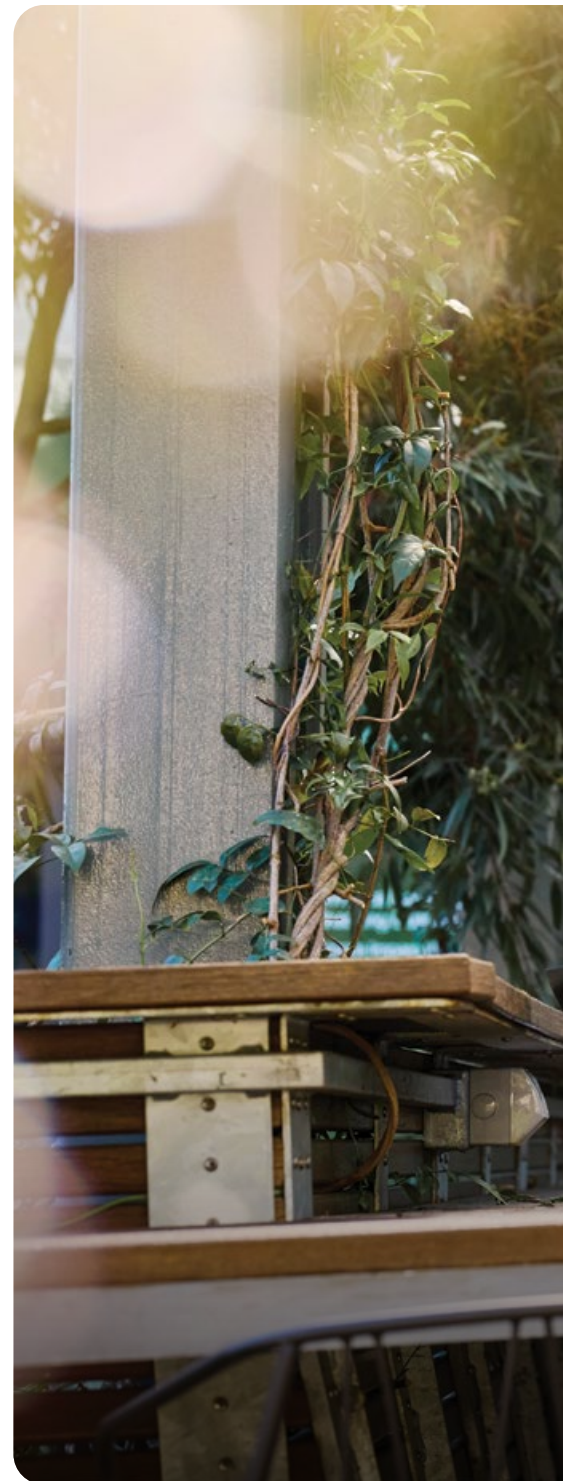
M2014
Bachelor of Health Sciences

M2018
Bachelor of Psychology

M2019
Bachelor of Psychology and Bachelor of Arts

M2020
Bachelor of Psychology and Bachelor of Commerce¹

¹ Depending on your major, you may not be able to fit this unit into your degree





MENTORING

MAKE YOUR CHANGE

Igor has always had an interest in medical research and chose to study biomedicine. Hear how Monash helped him to make an impact in the wider world.



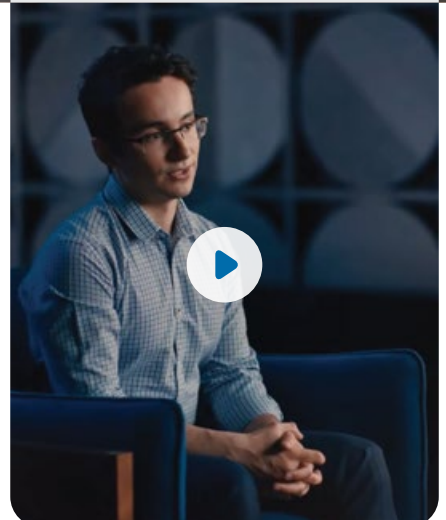
IGOR SUBASIC DE AZEVEDO

Bachelor of Biomedical Science (Honours) (2024)

PEER MENTORING

We want our students to have the best start to university life. From the moment you arrive on campus, our Peer Mentoring programs pair you with an experienced senior student in the faculty.

You'll start university in a fun and supportive environment, building connections with your mentor and faculty community, and learning tips about how to succeed and enjoy your first year. You can also benefit from becoming a mentor. This will allow you to share your knowledge about life at Monash while gaining important employability skills, and opportunities to participate in career development events. You'll also be able to network with other like-minded student leaders in the program and make a positive impact on others. monash.edu/about/peer-mentoring



FACULTY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS



You'll be asked to comply with the mandatory immunisation requirements, police and working with children checks in readiness for clinical and fieldwork placements. Our clinical courses require you to undertake off-campus rural and metropolitan clinical placements, which are essential for completion of the course. In the clinical setting you'll have an opportunity to apply theory to practice under supervision. Failure to hold satisfactory checks may result in you being unable to complete your course. You'll receive further instructions on the following requirements prior to or on course commencement.



IMMUNISATIONS

A Statement of Compliance form must be completed by a doctor from the University Health Service, Monash Infection Assessment Clinic, or your general practitioner. You'll also need to provide evidence of an annual flu vaccination.



PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

As a healthcare student you'll be required to wear PPE to prevent transmission of COVID-19 and other infectious illnesses on clinical placements. The removal of facial hair may be required for fit testing of masks as a lawful and reasonable direction by healthcare settings.



INHERENT REQUIREMENTS

To complete your degree, you'll need to demonstrate that you have the abilities, knowledge, and skills to achieve specific core learning outcomes. These are called inherent requirements. monash.edu/study/courses/admissionstransparency/inherentrequirements-for-courses



WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK

You must hold a valid Working with Children Check before undertaking clinical placements.



FIRST AID

If your course has clinical placements you'll need to undertake the relevant first aid course (including CPR).



NDIS WORKER SCREEN CHECK

A current NDIS Worker Screening Check may be required to undertake clinical and fieldwork placements.



POLICE CHECK

You'll be required to obtain a police check every three years unless otherwise specified by your course.

OVERSEAS CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK

You must provide your School with evidence of an international criminal history check (in addition to the Australian police check) if, after age 16, you have:

- Been a citizen or permanent resident of another country, or
- Lived in a single country (outside Australia) for 12+ months.



DRUG ADMINISTRATION AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES POLICY¹

Refer to the faculty's clinical guidelines webpage for information about your legal responsibilities. monash.edu/medicine/nursing/study/info-4-students/placement-reqs



PARAMEDICINE HEALTH CHECK

For more details on the medical and fitness examination visit Ambulance Victoria website ambulance.vic.gov.au

MATHS AND SCIENCE PREREQUISITE REQUIREMENTS

The best way to meet our Maths and Science prerequisite requirements is by completing the relevant subjects through your VCE or equivalent Year 12 studies. If you don't have the required subjects or study scores, Monash offers several alternative pathways.



¹ Nursing and Midwifery only.

BACHELOR OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE

📍 Clayton

🕒 3 years

(Standard and Scholars)

Time commitment

Approximately 12 contact hours per week plus self-directed study.

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Biomedical Science

Double degrees*

- Commerce
- Engineering (Honours)
- Laws (Honours)
- Science

*Not available with the Scholars Program. All double degrees will have different entry requirements.

Subject prerequisites

- ✓ English
- ✓ Mathematics: Methods, Specialist, General Mathematics or Physics
- ✓ Chemistry

COURSE CODE: M2003

CRICOS CODE: 028805K



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

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In the world for anatomy and physiology

2026 QS World University Rankings by Subject.

DEAN'S RURAL LIST

If you come from a regional or rural background, you may be eligible for the Dean's Rural List (DRL) — a special entry scheme that can help you gain entry into Biomedical Science at Monash.



The Bachelor of Biomedical Science helps you understand disease, how it occurs and how we can prevent it to better improve quality of life for everyone.

By studying biomedical science, you'll explore the various body systems and the interactions between organs, tissues and cells, as well as the complex processes that occur to allow humans to function and develop normally. You'll also learn how the disruption of these processes can lead to disease, and you'll gain an understanding of how this knowledge fits into the big picture of human health.

SCHOLARS PROGRAM

If you're a high-achieving student, you can apply for our Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences Scholars Program. As a Scholars student, you'll complete a Research In Action unit, have opportunities to meet research staff and get involved in a range of events and other extracurricular activities. You may also be eligible to receive a Biomedicine Discovery Scholarship.

monash.edu/study/fees-scholarships/scholarships/find-a-scholarship/biomedicine-discovery-scholarship

AREAS OF STUDY



Microbiology



Pharmacology



Bioinformatics



Epidemiology



Human pathology



Immunology



Biochemistry and molecular biology



Physiology



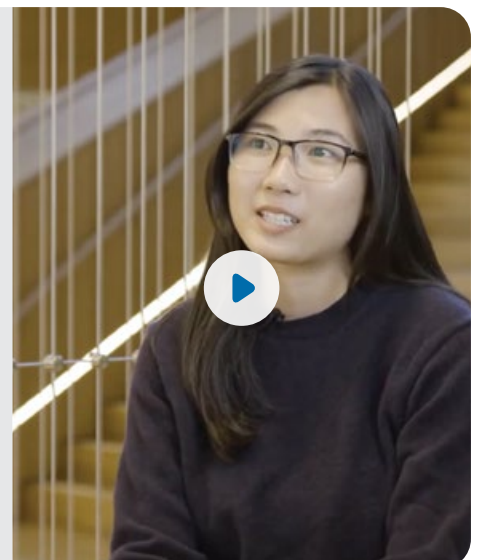
Anatomy and developmental biology

MEET MONASH ALUMNI

Cam chose Monash for the advanced teaching facilities and opportunities for hands-on experience. She lives on campus and gets involved in planning events to help people build connections and feel welcome. Hear more from Cam about her time at Monash and her future career plans.



CAM TIEU QUAN
Bachelor of Biomedical Science (2021)



WHERE CAN A BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE DEGREE TAKE YOU?

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We offer an embedded professional development program that integrates employability skills development into your coursework. From your first year of study, you'll start building your ability to communicate effectively with employers, develop an e-portfolio of your skills, and network with representatives from industry, senior researchers and graduates.

You'll complete the modules below:



REAL-WORLD CAREER EXPERIENCES FOR STUDENTS

Get a head start with the biomedical industry-based learning elective¹ – a three-week internship in a biomedical field. You'll learn the professional skills required to thrive in the workforce, get involved with hands-on projects, expand your network, or even explore other industries. It's your opportunity to enhance your professionalism and develop key transferable skills that can be used in your future workplace.

The placements are:

- Available in a wide range of organisations including private and non-profit
- Available to domestic and international students
- Minimum duration of 100 placement hours

1 Subject to availability and prerequisite requirements.
 2 Successful completion of a Monash University Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences degree with 36 credit points of specified public health units may provide a pathway to the M6024 Master of Public Health (entry level 2).
 3 Depending on prior qualifications, this course can be completed in one or two years (full time).

A STEPPING STONE FOR A WIDE RANGE OF CAREERS

Whether you are aiming for a job in or outside of the lab, in research or commercial areas, opportunities with a Bachelor of Biomedical Science from Monash are endless. Here's a taste of where your degree could take you after graduation:

- Commercialisation and biotechnology
- Food technology
- Health consultancy and project management
- Health promotion and policy
- Pharmaceutical industry
- Research management
- Science communications

PATHWAYS

Choose one of the following to further your career opportunities.

Bachelor of Biomedical Science	
Master of Biomedical and Health Sciences	2 years ²
Master of Biotechnology	1 or 2 years ³
Master of Clinical Embryology	1 year intensive
Master of Nutrition and Dietetics	2 years
Master of Forensic Medicine	3 years
Master of Nursing Practice	2 years
Master of Occupational Therapy Practice	2 years
Doctor of Physiotherapy	3 years
Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine (MD)	4 years
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine	3 years
Master of Public Health	1.5 or 2 years ²
Research (Honours/PhD)	1 year/3+ years

*Note – entry requirements must be met³.



WATCH
 WHERE A BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE
 DEGREE CAN TAKE YOU





Being a Scholars Program student offers numerous benefits including leadership development, career readiness and personalised mentoring, all encompassed in a supportive community. The program's emphasis on holistic development ensures we are well equipped to contribute meaningfully to our future careers."

**HASANYA RAJAPAKSHA
MANIKKUNAMBI**

Bachelor of Biomedical Science
(Scholars) (2024)





The transferable skills that I gained during my Biomedical Science degree such as problem solving, negotiation and communication definitely gave me a good standing to move into a corporate role in talent acquisition."

ELLA O'CONNELL

Bachelor of Biomedical Science (2021)

BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES

 Caulfield

 3 years

Time commitment

Approximately 10-12 contact hours per week and 36 self-directed study hours per week.

 February




Degree awarded

Bachelor of Health Sciences

Double degrees

- Arts

Subject prerequisites

-  English

COURSE CODE: M2014

CRICOS CODE: 068365J



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

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In the world for
Medicine and Health

Times Higher Education World University Rankings by subject (2025)

FLEXIBLE LEARNING

Our passionate teaching staff at the Alfred Campus are leaders in public health, working closely with leading hospitals and healthcare partners. You'll gain exposure to specialisation areas such as forensic medicine, translational research, and social and behavioural sciences, while also exploring electives in disciplines including psychology, biology, chemistry, nutrition, social work and pharmacology, allowing you to shape your degree around your interests.

Are you passionate about health? Do you want to contribute to addressing real health challenges at the individual or community level? If so, health sciences at Monash is for you.

Our course will provide you with a sound foundation in health sciences and a broad overview of healthcare, and skills in identifying, investigating, analysing and assessing health issues.

CAREER OPTIONS

Ready for a rewarding career?

The healthcare job market is rapidly expanding. You'll graduate work-ready and prepared for a wide range of rewarding career opportunities in areas like health promotion, clinical research and even forensic science.

- Community program roles
- Health education
- Health promotion
- Government policy
- Clinical research
- Occupational and environmental health
- Healthcare marketing.

CORE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE



Workplace readiness skills



Research and analytical skills



Health and communities



Global challenges in health



Epidemiology



Biological basis of disease



Healthcare systems



Disease prevention and control



Translating research into practice



Health promotion

PATHWAYS

Bachelor of Health Sciences

Research (Honours/PhD)	1 year/3+ years
Master of Nutrition and Dietetics	2 years
Master of Nursing Practice	2 years
Master of Occupational Therapy Practice	2 years
Master of Public Health	1.5 or 2 years ¹
Master of Social Work	2 years
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine	3 years ²
Doctor of Physiotherapy	3 years ²

¹ Successful completion of a Monash University Bachelor of Health Sciences degree with 36 credit points of specified public health units may provide a pathway to the M6024 Master of Public Health (entry level 2).

² Successful completion of a Monash University Bachelor of Health Sciences degree with specific units may provide a pathway into these courses.

COURSE STRUCTURE (INDICATIVE)

Year 1

Semester 1

Foundations of anatomy and physiology for health practice 1
Research and evidence in health
Public health and prevention
Elective

Semester 2

Foundations of anatomy and physiology for health practice 2
Human health and disease
Health care systems
Elective

Year 2

Semester 1

Current health challenges
Health across the lifespan
Health promotion and disease prevention
Elective

Semester 2

Foundations of epidemiology
Choose one of:
• Career skills for health professionals
• Foundations of biostatistics
• Health program planning
• Treatments and technologies
• Health policy and politics.
Elective
Elective

Year 3

Semester 1

Health evidence into practice 1
Infectious disease prevention and control
Elective
Elective

Semester 2

Health evidence into practice 2
Chronic disease prevention and control
Choose one of:
• Global and public health
• Health data in practice
• Social media and health (Summer elective)
• Professional experience placement
• Principles of forensic medicine and science.
Elective

■ Part A Core studies ■ Part B Specified elective studies ■ Part C Free elective studies

WHAT'S ONE SURPRISING THING HANAN HAS LEARNED ABOUT STUDYING THE BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES AT MONASH?

Tune in and find out! Watch the YouTube short featuring current student Hanan and hear the answers to common questions about studying the health sciences degree.



BACHELOR OF MEDICAL SCIENCE AND DOCTOR OF MEDICINE (MD)

📍 Clayton

🕒 5 years

Time commitment

Approximately 26 contact hours and 22 online and self-directed study hours per week.

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine

Subject prerequisites

✓ English

✓ Chemistry

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M6011

CRICOS CODE: 088889D



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

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In the world for medicine

2026 QS World University Rankings by Subject.

Start your journey to become a doctor from day one of your medical degree at Monash University.

The Monash medical program is ranked among the best globally. With a focus on patient safety and professional practice, you'll be prepared to change lives in communities across Australia and around the world.

With research-led teaching, modern facilities and challenging practical training, we're committed to developing the next generation of doctors and medical leaders. In this course you'll gain clinical experience in some of the country's most highly-recognised centres of medical care and expertise.

If you're passionate about improving health outcomes for rural communities or curious about exploring a regional medical career, you'll also have opportunities to spend time in these areas.

BONDED MEDICAL PROGRAM (BMP)*

28.5 per cent of Commonwealth Supported Places (CSP) offered in the Monash medical program will be BMP places. In return for a BMP place, you'll commit to working in a regional, rural or remote area for three years after graduation, to help meet important healthcare needs. By accepting a BMP place, you'll be required to sign a contract with the Commonwealth's Department of Health, Disability and Ageing.

EXTENDED RURAL COHORT (ERC)*

The Extended Rural Cohort (ERC) within the Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine (MD) gives you the opportunity to study, work and live in regional and rural Victoria. After completing your first two years at the Clayton campus, you'll spend the majority of your next three clinical training years placed in hospitals and community-based practices in Gippsland or north west Victoria. Small class sizes, friendly and committed clinical teachers and ample opportunity for hands-on clinical experience make this an exciting program.

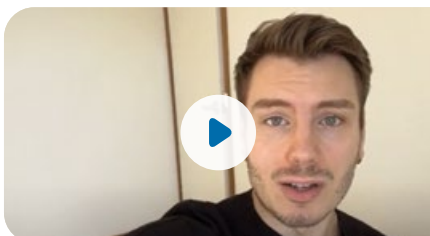


DEAN'S RURAL LIST (DRL) AND MONASH UNIVERSITY INDIGENOUS ENTRY SCHEME

If you come from a regional or rural background, be sure to find out about the Dean's Rural List (DRL) – a special entry scheme that can help you gain entry into the Monash undergraduate medicine course. Find out more at: monash.edu/medicine/drl

Also, if you identify as an Indigenous Australian, Monash University will support you in reaching your goals through our Indigenous Entry Scheme. Find out more at: monash.edu/indigenous-students

* Domestic students only



WATCH A DAY IN MY LIFE: MEDICINE IN LEONGATHA WITH BEN

Explore placement at a local GP clinic, tour Ben's accommodation and check out some of his favourite places to eat and study.



CLINICAL PLACEMENTS

You'll undertake clinical placements in years three, four and five in metropolitan and rural clinical schools and their related sites.

Year three



Medicine



Surgery

Year four



Children's health



General practice



Psychological medicine



Women's health

Year five



Aged care



Emergency/ acute care



Specialty



Medicine



Surgery



Scholarly Intensive Placement (SIP)



Metropolitan Melbourne



Rural Victoria



Eastern Health Clinical School



School of Translational Medicine



School of Clinical Sciences at Monash Health



Monash Rural Health

TIMELINE TO BECOME A DOCTOR IN AUSTRALIA

Monash Years 1 & 2

Pre-clinical skills on campus

Monash Years 3, 4 & 5

Clinical placements

Internship year (hospital-based)

Postgraduate Year 1 (PGY1)

Resident

Postgraduate Year 2 (PGY2)
1-2+ years

Specialist training

3-7 years

For more detailed information see: pmcv.com.au

ENTRY STEPS

What is a Multiple Mini Interview (MMI)?

At Monash we use a Multiple Mini Interview (MMI) for the selection of students. Each circuit comprises a series of scenarios and associated questions focusing on applicants' personal qualities. Each applicant is given two minutes of reading time followed by eight minutes to answer a series of questions relevant to the scenario. The MMI format allows the faculty to determine which applicants possess the personal qualities required to succeed in the MD program, as well as the qualities that we are looking for in health care professionals, including:



Collaboration and advocacy



Critical thinking



Motivation and resilience




Empathy and ethical reasoning


Entry requirements


Prerequisite studies and ATAR


✓ VCE/IB – Equivalent Year 12	1/3 rd
✓ UCAT – Domestic ISAT – International	1/3 rd
✓ Multiple Mini Interview (MMI)	1/3 rd

BACHELOR OF NURSING



 Clayton, Peninsula

 **3 years**
Time commitment
 Approximately 20 contact hours and 20 self-directed study hours per week.

 February

 **Degree awarded**
 Bachelor of Nursing

Subject prerequisites

-  English¹
-  Mathematics

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M2006 **CRICOS CODE:** 75119J

1 In addition to meeting the VCE English prerequisite, applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency either by providing a written declaration that English is their primary language or evidence that they have achieved the minimum English language test results as specified in the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia's (NMBA) English language skills registration standard. Information on this requirement can be found at monash.edu/study



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

#19

In the world for nursing

#1

In Victoria for nursing

2026 QS World University Rankings by Subject.

The Bachelor of Nursing will give you the knowledge and clinical skills to deliver high-quality nursing care. You'll also have the scope to provide care in multiple settings, including acute care, primary health care, mental health and health promotion.

PATHWAYS TO NURSING

Our Diploma of Tertiary Studies (DoTS) (Nursing) provides an alternate entry pathway. If you successfully complete all units in the diploma with at least a 55 percent average, you'll gain entry into the second year of nursing at Peninsula campus (only).

monash.edu/study/course/D0502

SCHOLARS PROGRAM

- Our Nursing Scholars Program offers high-performing students expert mentoring, special activities and seminars. These benefits are your reward for your effort and academic performance and they are sure to support and enhance your experience in this degree.
- An academic mentor will provide individual guidance and academic counselling.

- Focuses on research and leadership development.
- Provides a pathway to more advanced learning and engagement in nursing research.

CLINICAL LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Learn on the latest equipment in our Clinical Learning Environments with sophisticated manikins for use in CPR, Automated External Defibrillator (AED) for CPR resuscitation simulation and dopplers for listening to vascular systems. From learning to use an AED to mastering an IV pump, our programs ensure you gain clinical confidence before heading out on placement.

- Prepares you for a life on the healthcare front-line.
- Reflects modern day healthcare environment in looks, feel and sounds.
- Reinforces behaviours expected in the 'real world'. You're expected to wear a uniform and to conduct yourself professionally.
- Utilises actor patients for authentic learning experience.
- Simulation manikins give you 'real life' clinical scenarios.

AREAS OF STUDY



Bioscience



Chronic illness



Complex/
high acuity



Law and ethics



Mental health



Medical &
surgical nursing



Family/
paediatric
nursing



Pharmacology



Population
and society

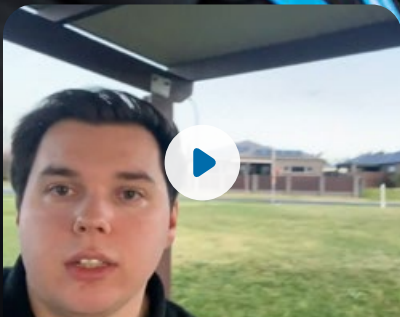


Primary health



The Peer Mentoring program helped me connect with senior students, gain valuable advice, and feel more confident in my first year. Becoming a mentor later also gave me the chance to develop my leadership and communication skills.”




FRANCISCA ANTOLIS
Bachelor of Nursing (2022)



WATCH A DAY IN MY LIFE:
NURSING IN TRARALGON
WITH RYLEY



BACHELOR OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY (HONOURS)

-  Peninsula
-  4 years
Time commitment
Approximately 20 contact hours and 20 self-directed study hours per week.
-  February
-  **Degree awarded**
Bachelor of Nursing and Bachelor of Midwifery (Honours)

Subject prerequisites

- English¹
- Mathematics

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M3007 **CRICOS CODE:** 089708F

- 1 In addition to meeting the VCE English prerequisite, applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency either by providing a written declaration that English is their primary language or evidence that they have achieved the minimum English language test results as specified in the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia's (NMBA) English language skills registration standard. Information on this requirement can be found at monash.edu/study



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

Midwives and nurses hold a special place in communities throughout the world. A combined midwifery and nursing degree will make you highly employable in many practice settings, especially in rural and remote areas where multi-skilled practitioners are highly valued.

In addition to your nursing qualification, as a midwife, you'll provide care to mothers and babies. You'll assist women during pregnancy, labour, birth and the postpartum period, including during emergencies.

CLINICAL LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

Learn on advanced equipment in our Clinical Learning Environment at Peninsula. It is equipped with manikin babies from newborns to approximately 18 months, birthing beds for use with our midwifery birthing manikin, humidicribs and resuscitaire.

AREAS OF STUDY (In addition to options on page 16)



Pregnancy and post-natal care



Normal/complex birthing



Care of healthy and sick babies



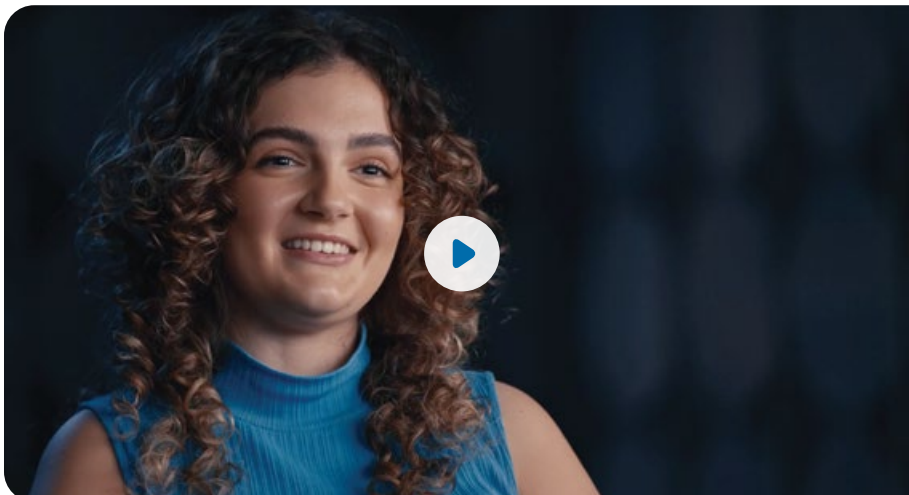
Pharmacology (maternity care)



Mental health (maternity care)



Women-centred care



MAKE YOUR CHANGE ASHLYN

"There's only a handful of universities that offer the double degree of nursing and midwifery, and Monash was my top choice. To be accepted into my dream degree has been a really rewarding experience."



Learn more about Ashlyn's story.



WATCH
CLINICAL LEARNING
ENVIRONMENT IN ACTION



BACHELOR OF NUTRITION SCIENCE

📍 Clayton

🕒 3 years

Time commitment

Year 1 – Approximately 24 contact hours per week.

Year 2 – Approximately 20 contact hours per week.

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Nutrition Science

Subject prerequisites

✔ English

COURSE CODE: M2001

CRICOS CODE: 075117M



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.



STUDY ABROAD

Our study abroad opportunities include the UK, Norway and Germany.

Nutrition scientists play a key role in addressing the global challenges of over- and under-nutrition, diet-related chronic diseases and sustainable food supply systems.

In this course, you'll develop a diverse set of skills as a nutrition scientist as you explore the multifaceted discipline of human nutrition. You'll gain in-depth knowledge of the science of food and nutrients, including how they function in the body and their role in health and disease. You'll also explore the importance of food security and sustainability for human and planetary health, as well as policy approaches to optimising diets at both individual and population levels. In third year, you have

an opportunity to tailor your nutrition studies to your interests with electives such as 'Applied sport and exercise nutrition' or you may choose to complete an industry or research work placement.

Teaching takes place in world class learning environments and state-of-the-art laboratories with educators who bring real-world experience to the classroom.

SCHOLARS PROGRAM

If you're a high-achieving student, you can apply for our Nutrition Science Scholars program. This pathway guarantees your entry into our Master of Nutrition and Dietetics program accredited by Dietitians Australia, provided you successfully complete the course with the required grades.

Visit: monash.edu/study/course/M6002

CAREER OPTIONS



Food regulation



Food safety



Food research



Dietitian (extra study required)



Health promotion



Nutritionist

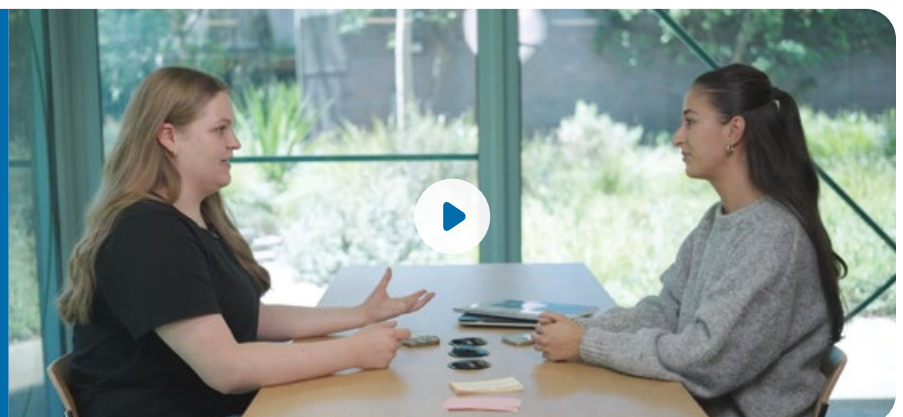


Nutrition educator



Public health

HEAR FIRST-HAND FROM OUR STUDENTS WHO MET ON THE FIRST DAY OF THEIR DEGREE AND HAVE BEEN FRIENDS SINCE





WORK PLACEMENT OPTION

You'll have the option to complete a 120-hour work-based placement, where you'll gain professional experience at national and internationally recognised companies, in community settings gathering food system intelligence or evaluating public health nutrition programs, or supporting nutrition research projects. These placements will take place in the food industry, health promotion or research.



ACCESS TO WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES

- Industrial kitchen facilities
- Nutrition & Exercise Research Laboratory
- Be Active Sleep and Eat (BASE) facility.



DID YOU KNOW?

Our course is the only course in Australia accredited by the UK Association for Nutrition (AfN) providing opportunities to work overseas on course completion.



NUTRITION SCIENCE WHERE CAN THE DEGREE TAKE ME?

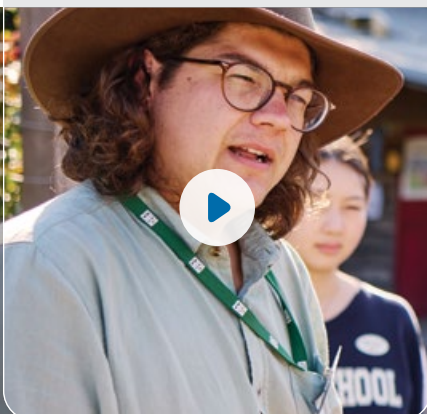


PATHWAYS

On course completion you'll be eligible to apply for the Master of Nutrition and Dietetics program.

Bachelor of Nutrition Science	
Master of Nutrition and Dietetics	1.5 years
Master of Public Health	1.5 or 2 years ¹
Master of Food Science and Agribusiness	2 years
Master of Biotechnology	2 years
Research (Honours/PhD)	1 year/3+ years

¹ Depending on prior qualifications, this course can be completed in one-and-a-half or two years (full time).



BACHELOR OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (HONOURS)

Peninsula

4 years
Time commitment
Approximately 24 contact hours and 24 self-directed study hours per week.

February

Degree awarded
Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)


Subject prerequisites

English

Special requirements

See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M3001 **CRICOS CODE:** 082509C



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

Occupational therapists work with people of all ages to address issues they may have in relation to participation in everyday activities and occupations. This could be due to illness, physical disabilities, psychological or emotional difficulties, developmental delay, the effects of ageing, and life transitions such as retirement.

You'll gain over 1000 hours of practical experience working with individuals, groups and communities through:

- practice education placements
- community placements
- school settings.

GLOBAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

You'll graduate as a qualified occupational therapist, as our course is accredited by the Occupational Therapy Council of Australia Ltd. and is recognised by the World Federation of Occupational Therapists.

CAREER OPTIONS

Community health services	Early intervention and education services	Mental health services	Hospitals – acute and subacute	Mobility support services
Occupational Health & Safety services	Private practice / consultancy	Rehabilitation and disability services	Vocational rehabilitation services	Aged care services



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY WHERE CAN THE DEGREE TAKE ME?

Occupational therapy is a career for life. It's a person-centred health profession that's all about positive change.

Hear from our Occupational Therapy staff and students about this rewarding and in-demand career that helps people of all ages to best participate in every day life.



UNDERSTANDING OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Occupational therapists are innovators, advocates and problem solvers. As an occupational therapist you'll have the opportunity to work in the following areas where you might contribute to assisting and supporting people throughout a range of life stages:

PAEDIATRICS



Supporting children and their families to reach their full potential is incredibly rewarding. Working in paediatrics, occupational therapists assist children to develop the skills they need at home, school or play.

ACUTE CARE



In hospitals, occupational therapists work with people who have a range of health conditions, to assess their needs and develop skills and strategies to enable their safe discharge home.

MENTAL HEALTH



Sometimes people experiencing mental health conditions need ways to overcome challenges in daily life. Occupational therapists working in mental health settings help individuals identify practical approaches for coping with stress, rebuilding social connections, and re-establishing their participation in community life.

REHABILITATION



When someone is recovering from an illness or injury, they might need the support of an occupational therapist to get back to home, work or community life.

HOME MODIFICATIONS



Everyone should feel safe at home. An occupational therapist can help make home environments more accessible by recommending physical modifications, specialised equipment or assistive technology devices.

AGED CARE



As we age, it's important to stay active and engaged in community life. Occupational therapists work with older people to prevent injury (like falls), promote their health and wellbeing, and encourage them to remain engaged with everyday activities.



BACHELOR OF PARAMEDICINE

Peninsula

3 years
Time commitment
Approximately 24 contact hours and 24 self-directed study hours per week.

February

Degree awarded
Bachelor of Paramedicine

Subject prerequisites

English

Special requirements

See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M2011 **CRICOS CODE:** 094996F



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

Paramedics are first responders in an emergency and their work saves lives.

They assess, treat and transport patients as required in emergencies and health-related events in the community, ensuring patients receive the most appropriate care. Paramedics also work with other emergency services in a range of situations.

In the Bachelor of Paramedicine, you'll learn about the role of paramedics in the community and undertake practical and highly focused studies in areas including:

- Trauma
- Mental health response
- Complex medical presentations
- Maternal and neonatal care.

ADVANCED STUDIES

Want to take your career further? We also offer several advanced courses:







- Bachelor of Paramedicine (Honours)
- Master of Critical Care Paramedicine
- Master of Paramedic Practitioner
- Graduate Certificate of Aeromedical Retrieval.

INDUSTRY PARTNERS

We are the education provider for Ambulance Victoria's paramedic practitioners and Aeromedical Retrieval paramedics and educate critical paramedics for numerous ambulance services nationally and internationally. We also provide the education for Fire Rescue Victoria's Emergency Medical Responder program.



WHY BECOME A PARAMEDIC?

 <p>A challenging and rewarding occupation</p>	 <p>Diverse career paths</p>	 <p>Excellent basis for further study</p>	 <p>Helping the community</p>	 <p>Flexible working environment</p>	 <p>Global career opportunities</p>
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THE INNOVATIVE PARAMEDICINE PARTNERSHIP TRAINING FIREFIGHTERS TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE

Learn all about the Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) program, an innovative partnership between Monash University, Fire Rescue Victoria (FRV), and Ambulance Victoria. The program trains firefighters to provide medical care in out-of-hospital emergencies, such as out-of-hospital cardiac arrests and trauma. The EMR program is a collaborative

model that creates unique learning opportunities for Monash Paramedicine students, provides simulation practice for firefighters and improves community care alongside the ambulance service.





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At Monash, you'll be taught by amazing healthcare professionals, such as on-road paramedics, doctors, and specialists.”

ALESSIA RESTIGLIAN
Bachelor of Paramedicine (2023)

BACHELOR OF PHYSIOTHERAPY (HONOURS)

-  Peninsula
-  4 years
Time commitment
Approximately 24 contact hours and
24 self-directed study hours per week.
-  February
-  **Degree awarded**
Bachelor of Physiotherapy
(Honours)

Subject prerequisites

- English
- Any two of Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics (Methods or Specialist) or Physics

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M3002 **CRICOS CODE:** 064804A



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

Physiotherapists restore and promote good health, helping people get the most out of life. They conduct assessments and create treatment plans using movement analysis, manual therapy, education, and exercise to aid recovery, prevent injury, reduce pain, and improve mobility.

With our Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours), you'll think like a physiotherapist from day one. Our integrated curriculum means you study only physiotherapy subjects. Each week you'll learn about a different part of the body and related health conditions through case-based learning and hands-on clinical skills.

START LEARNING ABOUT PHYSIOTHERAPY FROM WEEK 1

You'll gain over 1000 hours of hands-on experiences in our practice labs and rehabilitation gym, our award-winning clinical simulation program and during clinical placement at locations such as Monash Health, Bayside Health and the Royal Children's Hospital.

DISCOVER YOUR DREAM JOB

Test-drive a range of physiotherapy careers in various practice settings including hospitals, rehabilitation centres, private practices and sports medicine clinics.

ADVANCED STUDIES

Want to take your career further? Talk to us about your opportunities to undertake a Higher Degree by Research.

CAREER OPTIONS



Sports
physiotherapy



Rehabilitation



Research



Paediatrics



Private
practice



Public
health





HIGHLIGHTS OF STUDYING PHYSIOTHERAPY

I chose to study at Monash because of its great reputation. I'm excited to already have a job lined up after graduation."

NATACHA WATERSTONE
Bachelor of Physiotherapy
(Honours) (2022)

Natacha, pictured left

BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGY

📍 Clayton

🕒 3 years

Time commitment

A full time study load requires approximately 16 contact hours and 32 self-directed study hours per week.

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Psychology

Double degrees

- Arts
- Commerce
- Laws (Honours)
- Science

Subject prerequisites

- ✓ English

COURSE CODE: M2018

CRICOS CODE: 108900M

Career options

- Counselling
- Rehabilitation
- Research
- Market research
- Psychotherapist
- Policy and administration/ government
- Education



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

Pursue your passion for understanding human cognition and behaviour with a Bachelor of Psychology.

This degree covers the core sequence of units accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) and will give you a deep understanding of psychological research and practice.

Follow your passion by choosing a major stream of study in either:

- neuroscience,
- public health or
- mental health and wellbeing.

You'll also have the opportunity to build a strong skill set in interpersonal communication, research and writing, statistics, and project management,

culminating in a capstone unit with the potential of industry placement.

Over the course of this degree, you'll explore the complex biopsychosocial factors that influence human behaviour, gain exposure to evidence-based and culturally informed approaches, and develop your understanding of scientific methodology and its application in psychology.

#45

In the world for psychology

2026 QS World University Rankings by Subject.

AREAS OF STUDY

Our course will equip you with exceptional knowledge of brain function and the key skills required to go into clinical pathways.



Child psychology



Brain injury and rehabilitation



Psychopathology: prevention and intervention



Attention, memory and consciousness



Neurodevelopment and neurodegeneration



Sleep

BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGY (HONOURS)

Explore your passion for clinical and neuroscience research with a Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) degree.

In order to gain provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia, you'll need to complete a fourth-year Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) or equivalent. This course aims to increase your understanding of theoretical and methodological aspects of research, to develop your analytic, research and communication skills, and to provide you with advanced knowledge in specific areas of the science and practice of psychology.

📍 Clayton

🕒 1 year

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)

Subject prerequisites

- ✓ English

COURSE CODE: M3708

CRICOS CODE: 108901K

Career options

- Child psychology
- Clinical psychology
- Health psychology
- Organisational psychology

PSYCHOLOGY PROGRAMS

Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

Bachelor of Psychology

Our Bachelor of Psychology degree will lead you toward a professional career that helps people to lead more satisfying and meaningful lives.

Throughout the duration of the course, you'll build a strong foundational understanding of the core areas of psychology and equip yourself with the skills that will enable you to pursue diverse pathways into research, mental health and welfare, human resources, community services, counselling, education, and health services.

You'll also build the breadth of your knowledge by undertaking elective options that focus on related areas including Indigenous and cross-cultural psychology, sleep and circadian rhythms, and digital technology and innovation.



Fourth year psychology

- Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)
- Graduate Diploma of Psychology Advanced (online)
- Graduate Diploma of Professional Psychology.



Graduate Degrees

- Doctor of Philosophy (Clinical Psychology)³
- Doctor of Philosophy (Clinical Neuropsychology)³
- Master of Clinical Psychology (two years)
- Master of Educational and Developmental Psychology (two years – Monash Education)
- Master of Professional Psychology (one year – Monash Education)²



PATHWAY TO REGISTRATION AS A PSYCHOLOGIST

apac.au/students/registration-pathways

Other Psychology programs at Monash

- Bachelor of Arts (with a Psychology major or APAC accredited major)
- Bachelor of Science (with a Psychology major or APAC accredited major).

Alternate pathways

- Graduate Diploma in Psychology (online)¹.



WATCH

WHERE A PSYCHOLOGY DEGREE CAN TAKE YOU



DID YOU KNOW?

The Bachelor of Psychology degree has an embedded Work Integrated Learning unit where you'll have the opportunity to gain skills in interpersonal communication, research and writing, programming and statistics and even project management.



- 1 For students who have previously completed a bachelor's degree in another discipline.
- 2 Following graduation, you'll be eligible to undertake one year of supervised generalist practice – you'll then progress to full registration as a psychologist.
- 3 3-4 years full time.





The psychology program at Monash is ranked among the best in the world and offers a broad range of courses exploring the mind, brain and behaviour. It is also known for attracting leading educators and researchers from Australia and around the globe. These factors aligned strongly with my interests and goals, making Monash an excellent fit for my psychology studies.”

SUGANDHA SHARMA
Bachelor of Psychology
(Honours) (2024)




BACHELOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH

 Caulfield

 3 years

Time commitment

Approximately 10-12 contact hours per week and 36 self-directed study hours per week.

 February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Public Health

Subject prerequisites

 English

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M2012

CRICOS CODE: 094997E



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.



EXPERIENCE PUBLIC HEALTH IN THE REAL WORLD

You'll have opportunities to apply your knowledge by completing a professional placement with a health organisation, or participate in public health research with one of our partners.

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In the world for Medicine and Health

Times Higher Education World University Rankings by subject (2025)

Are you interested in the big picture? From promoting good health, through to preventing disease and managing illness and disability, public health focuses on populations and communities rather than individuals.

You'll learn how to develop, implement and evaluate programs and policies to promote health and prevent disease and injury, as well as undertake public health research. This course has a global orientation, examining both Australian and international health challenges.

FUTURE CAREER OPTIONS

With a Bachelor of Public Health, you can explore a variety of rewarding careers where you'll make a difference to health within the community.

Our graduates find rewarding opportunities in the following public health areas:

- health promotion
- epidemiology
- disease surveillance and monitoring
- data analysis
- outbreak and epidemic planning and management
- disease prevention
- practice and policy
- health resource and program planning and management.

Also consider:

- graduate or internship programs with private companies, State and Federal Governments and other statutory authorities
- sales and marketing within health organisations
- working in non-profit and non-government organisations (NGOs).

PATHWAYS

Bachelor of Public Health

Master of Public Health ¹	1.5 years
Master of Clinical Research	1.5 years
Master of Nursing Practice	2 years
Master of Occupational Therapy Practice	2 years
Master of Social Work	2 years
Research (Honours/PhD)	1 year/3+ years

¹ Successful completion of the Bachelor of Public Health may provide a pathway to the M6024 Master of Public Health (entry level 2).



Listen to the Public Health Insiders podcast and hear the answers to common questions about studying and working in public health.

You'll learn how you can make an impact by preventing disease and promoting wellbeing at the population level.



COURSE STRUCTURE (INDICATIVE)

Year 1

Semester 1

Foundations of anatomy and physiology for health practice 1
Research and evidence in health
Public health and prevention
Health communication

Semester 2

Foundations of anatomy and physiology for health practice 2
Human health and disease
Healthcare systems
Global health

Year 2

Semester 1

Current health challenges
Health across the lifespan
Health promotion and disease prevention
Choose two of:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture, society and health • Indigenous health and cultural safety

Semester 2

Foundations of epidemiology
Foundations of biostatistics
Choose two of:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health program planning • Career skills for health professionals • Treatments and technologies • Health policy and politics

Year 3

Semester 1

Infectious disease prevention and control
Choose three of:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental determinants of health and disease • Health program evaluation • Social and behavioural sciences • Social media and health (summer elective) • Biostatistics for health

Semester 2

Chronic disease prevention and control
Choose one of:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional experience placement • Global and public health
Choose two of:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health data in practice • Social media and health (summer elective) • Principles of forensic medicine • Professional experience placement • Global and public health

■ Part A Core studies ■ Part B Specified elective studies



I'm excited about one day helping with policies and guidelines that have an upstream impact on health and more direct engagement with health consumers. This course taught me the skills to do both confidently. I'd like to use my knowledge in a not-for-profit setting to help those most in need."

DANIELLE PATTINSON
Bachelor of Public Health (2022)



BACHELOR OF RADIOGRAPHY AND MEDICAL IMAGING (HONOURS)

📍 Clayton

🕒 4 years

Time commitment

Approximately 26 contact hours per week, varying year to year based on clinical placements, with a similar time commitment for self-directed learning.

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Radiography and Medical Imaging (Honours)

Subject prerequisites

- ✓ English
- ✓ Mathematics: Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics
- ✓ Biology or Physics

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M3006

CRICOS CODE: 0800326



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

DID YOU KNOW?

Many graduates describe their patient interactions as one of the most satisfying parts of working in radiography and medical imaging.

We'll help you build strong communication skills to liaise with other health care professionals and patients in clinical settings.



Radiographers play a pivotal role in the patient journey, creating medical images using a variety of speciality methods. These images are used to diagnose injury or illness and inform the patient's pathway of care.

Radiography and medical imaging are at the heart of a modern health service. Radiographers require great communication and team-focused skills and the capacity to combine knowledge of technology with the delivery of patient-centred care. They also are digital health experts and applications specialists who work in collaboration with radiologists and other specialist medical practitioners.

PATHWAY TO SPECIALIST STUDY

Our graduates are eligible for credit towards a range of postgraduate courses including the Graduate Certificate of X-ray Image Interpretation; Graduate Certificate of Magnetic Resonance Imaging, the Graduate Diploma of Medical Ultrasound and the Master of Advanced Medical Imaging Practice that prepares you for leadership and research roles in CT, MRI or general radiography.

TEACHING AND LEARNING APPROACHES

- case-based learning approach, engaging with real-world cases
- programmatic and program wide ePortfolio learning and assessment
- clinically and professionally relevant cultural and ethical learning opportunities, based on authentic lived experiences of healthcare.

CAREER OPTIONS



General radiography

Including trauma, paediatrics, mobile imaging, dental imaging, fluoroscopy, digital angiography, mammography, bone densitometry.



Ultrasound

Sonographer (following additional graduate study).



CT scanning

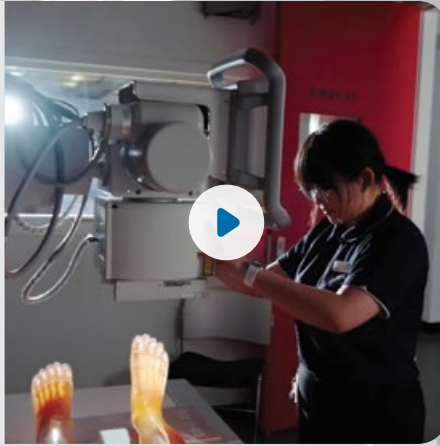
Further study recommended to assume a leadership role in the modality.



MRI

Further study recommended to become a specialist practitioner.

WATCH
HOW RADIOGRAPHERS
PERFORM AN X-RAY



Rural and international placements during her Monash studies prepared Sabrina to work confidently in a regional health service. Sabrina now provides imaging across X-ray and CT while training in mammography.

SABRINA LEWICKI
Bachelor of Radiography
and Medical Imaging
(Honours) (2023)



BACHELOR OF SPEECH PATHOLOGY (HONOURS)

📍 Peninsula

🕒 4 years

➔ February



Degree awarded

Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours)

Subject prerequisites

- ✓ English
- ✓ One of Biology, Chemistry, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics, Physics, Health and Human Development, or Physical Education

Special requirements



See page 8 for explanations of the special requirements.

COURSE CODE: M3008

CRICOS CODE: 117403J



Scan the QR code for full course requirements.

The Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours) equips you to assess and treat speech and language challenges across all ages.

You'll explore the science behind speech and language – diving into anatomy, physiology, linguistics, and human behaviour.

Speech pathologists work with people across the lifespan to assess, diagnose and treat communication and swallowing difficulties. These challenges may arise from developmental delays, neurological conditions, learning disorders, disability, acute illness, or the ageing process.

During this course, you'll learn about these different challenges and gain extensive hands-on experience through diverse clinical placements, including hospitals, community health centres, disability services, schools, and private practices. You'll learn to work collaboratively within multidisciplinary healthcare teams to support individuals, families and communities.

You'll graduate as a qualified speech pathologist and will be prepared to enter a growing profession with strong employment opportunities, equipped with the specialised skills needed to improve communication and quality of life.

CAREER OPTIONS



Hospitals – acute & subacute



Aged care services



Community health services



Early intervention & education services



Justice systems

WATCH

COURSE DIRECTOR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR HANS BOGAARDT SHARES FOUR SURPRISING FACTS ABOUT WHAT SPEECH PATHOLOGISTS DO AND WHO THEY WORK WITH! TAKE A LOOK.



UNDERSTANDING SPEECH PATHOLOGY

Who do speech pathologists work with?

INFANTS AND YOUNG CHILDREN



Speech pathologists support infants and young children experiencing delays in speech or language development, speech sound difficulties, early stuttering, feeding and swallowing challenges, and communication needs related to developmental conditions. Their work helps children build strong foundations for communication, learning, and social connection.

SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS



Speech pathologists work with school-aged children and adolescents who have language and literacy difficulties—including understanding, expression, reading, and writing—along with social communication challenges, speech clarity issues, stuttering, and voice difficulties. Intervention supports academic success, confidence, and participation in school and daily life.

ADULTS



Adults may work with speech pathologists due to communication changes following a stroke, brain injury, or other neurological conditions such as Parkinson's disease, dementia, or multiple sclerosis. Speech pathologists also treat voice disorders, swallowing difficulties, communication changes associated with head and neck cancer, and progressive or acquired speech and language disorders.

FAMILIES AND CARERS



Speech pathologists collaborate closely with families, carers, and teachers. They offer strategies to support communication at home, school, and in the community, empowering caregivers to create environments that foster communication, participation, and learning.

OTHER SETTINGS



Speech pathologists work across a wide range of settings, including hospitals and rehabilitation centres, community health services, schools and early intervention programs, disability organisations, aged care facilities, private practice, and universities or research environments. This diversity allows graduates to choose pathways that match their interests and career goals.



DISCOVER MORE TO CHANGE MORE AT OUR UPCOMING EVENTS DISCOVER MONASH

Do you want to learn more about Monash, get a feel for which course is right for you, or perhaps experience what life and study would be like on one of our four campuses? We've got an event to suit you.

Discipline and Course Events

Join us to find out more about our courses, internships, career outcomes and so much more! Hear from current and past students as well as academics.

Campus Experience Events

Join us at Open Day to see and experience student life at Monash. You can also tour one of our Victorian campuses throughout the year. Can't make it to a tour? That's ok, we have a virtual option for you.

Find out more

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