MASTER OF ADVANCED HEALTH CARE PRACTICE

Enhance your specialist physiotherapy knowledge, advance to a leadership position or embark on a research project with the Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice, one of seven specialisations within the Master of Advanced Care Practice.

With a contemporary and evidence-based curriculum written by clinical experts, our course will deepen your knowledge of neurological, cardiorespiratory and musculoskeletal conditions in infants and children.

Be prepared to deliver high-quality paediatric health care in collaborative settings and within family-centred practice, and gain the tools to develop new career pathways.

Delivered primarily online, the Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice offers the quality and recognition of a Monash graduate degree with the flexibility required by working professionals.

COURSE STRUCTURE

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<td>Part A focuses on expanding your core skills for advanced health care practice. (24 points)</td>
<td>Part B provides you with the opportunity to pursue advanced specialist study in paediatric physiotherapy through either coursework or a research focus. (48 points)</td>
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Visit monash.edu/study/course/m6001 to learn more about what you'll learn within the paediatric physiotherapy practice specialisation

All students complete Part B. Depending on your qualifications and experience, you may be eligible to apply for credit of up to 24 credit points towards part or all of Part A. This means you can complete your course in as little as 1 year (full time) or 2 years (part time).

In the Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice you will:

- Advance your clinical management and decision-making skills in paediatric physiotherapy.
- Explore the pathophysiology and latest medical management of a range of paediatric conditions.
- Learn the latest evidence underpinning paediatric physiotherapy interventions and the physiotherapist’s role in multidisciplinary teams, using a case-based approach.

Course code
M6001

Study mode
Online

Intakes
First semester: February
Second semester: July

Durations
Full time: 1.5 years
Part time: 3 years
Duration depends on your prior qualifications.

“With significant changes in practice and service models, today’s paediatric physiotherapist needs to be well informed to take leadership roles in health and community services. This course will open new doors and provide a competitive advantage when applying for clinical or leadership roles.”

Professor Prue Morgan
Head of Department of Physiotherapy, Monash University
RESEARCH

Monash is recognised globally for its research excellence. The Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice offers both coursework and research streams. If you choose the research stream, you will undertake a research project or minor thesis in physiotherapy, where you’ll be matched to a supervisor who is an expert in their field.

Supported research areas include:
- Physiotherapy education
- Paediatric disability
- Cerebral palsy
- Transition challenges in adolescence

Research works best if it arises from a specific practice-based challenge. Discuss your proposed research project with the course coordinator and we will endeavour to support your project.

Completion of the research stream within the Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice can be used as a pathway to a PhD.

WHY CHOOSE MONASH?

- Ranked #31 in the world for Clinical, Preclinical and Health Sciences (Times Higher Education 2021).
- We take a bench to bedside approach; our clinical research is focused on directly improving outcomes for patients.
- We participate in Monash Partners Academic Health Science Centre, one of only four advanced research and translational centres in Australia.

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For further information about the Master of Advanced Paediatric Physiotherapy Practice, including entry requirements and fees, visit monash.edu/study/course/m6001 or contact:

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