MASTER OF ADVANCED NURSING

DISASTER NURSING

Challenging and rewarding. The disaster nurse has leadership skills to respond and coordinate nursing activities during disasters. Gain an understanding of interventions associated with global and local disaster situations and with Commonwealth Supported Places available, there’s never been a better time to further your nursing career.

Learn from experts within disaster nursing, develop leadership skills to respond and coordinate nursing activities during disasters. Study interventions associated with global and local disaster situations.

Explore the role nurses play in emergency preparedness and disaster management in both local and international settings, as well as environmental influences on health including physical, chemical and biological hazards as well as principles of assessment, management and control of environmental health risks.

In the Disaster Nursing specialisation you will:

- Examine interventions associated with global and local disaster situations
- Explore the role nurses play in emergency preparedness and disaster management in both local and international settings
- Discover environmental influences on health including physical, chemical and biological hazards as well as principles of assessment, management and control of environmental health risks.

Course code
M6006
CRICOS Code: 098319M

Study mode
On-campus (Clayton, Peninsula)
Multi-modal (Clayton, Peninsula)

Intakes
First semester: February
Second semester: July

Durations
Full time: 1 or 1.5 years
Part time: 2 or 3 years

COURSE STRUCTURE

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<th>CORE UNITS (Part A)</th>
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<td>NUR5210 - Disaster and emergency nursing management</td>
<td>You have the choice of completing either a coursework or research stream. Choose from a range of electives in areas like nursing education and leadership, or undertake a minor thesis or research project.</td>
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<td>NUR5212 - Nurse leadership in disaster</td>
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You may be eligible to exit early with a Graduate Certificate or Graduate Diploma in Advanced Nursing if the award requirements have been met.

Visit monash.edu/study/course/m6006 to see what you’ll learn in the Disaster Nursing specialisation.

“The I have broadened my vision of disaster nursing with the help of our extremely supportive coordinators and fellow students. I am looking forward to applying what I have learned in practice and giving back to the community one day.”

Weilin Dai
Master of Advanced Nursing student
ELECTIVES

As part of this Master’s degree, you’ll have the opportunity to customise your degree around your interests, with a choice of electives. You can pick nursing electives, or even units from another area of study (with the permission of the course convener).

Explore a list of approved electives at handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/M6006

If you’re studying the on-campus mode, you’ll attend your nominated campus during Part A, and then attend both the Clayton and Peninsula campuses for Part B.

RESEARCH PATHWAY

Monash is recognised globally for research excellence. As part of the Master of Advanced Nursing, you may have the opportunity to work on a nursing research project, with one of our expert supervisors. Completing this can be used as a pathway to a graduate research degree, such as Doctor of Philosophy.

WHY CHOOSE MONASH?

- Complete the Disaster Nursing specialisation in 12 months
- Content developed and delivered by recognised experts
- Flexible learning delivery modes – study on campus or online
- Study by all coursework or combine coursework and a minor thesis
- Elective units allow you to meet your career aspirations
- Network with like-minded nurses wanting to advance their careers
- Ranked #15 in the world for Nursing (QS World University Rankings 2021)
- COMMONWEALTH SUPPORTED PLACES (CSP) AVAILABLE - this means your fees could be partially covered by the Federal Government.

LEARN MORE

For further information about the Master of Advanced Nursing, including entry requirements and fees, visit monash.edu/study/course/m6006 or contact:

FUTURE STUDENT ENQUIRIES

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“As an emergency nurse I was drawn to disaster nursing during my graduate studies where all my training came together during my final subject - health impacts from climate change. My emergency management practices have expanded into writing/planning for more relevant scenarios of heatwaves, bushfires, and emerging pathogen pandemics.”

Nyree Parker
Specialisation Coordinator

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